

# Web Project

A very good friend of your family is moving to the United States in two weeks. She has only \$4000.00. She needs your help. You must decide what she will need and how you can help her. Use the Internet, the Roanoke Times and the Yellow Pages to find the information you need.

Start by making a list of the most important things your friend will need. For example: housing and utilities, home furnishings, banking, transportation, employment and where to shop.

Remember—your friend has only \$4000.00. This money must be enough until she receives her first paycheck! If she needs more money, she will ask *you* for it.

You have \_\_\_\_\_ evenings to complete this project. At the end, you will give your teacher a written report of what you did, and read your report to the class. Good luck!

Below are some Web sites that may help you. Also, you can do your own Web search by using Google ([www.google.com](http://www.google.com)) or Yahoo ([www.yahoo.com](http://www.yahoo.com)). For example, type *Roanoke and apartments* or *Roanoke and "for rent"* in the search window if you want information about housing. *And don't forget the YELLOW PAGES of the Roanoke phone book and The Roanoke Times classified ads!*

## **Housing**

[http://www.apartmentguide.com/states/Virginia/Roanoke\\_Virginia.asp?wsv\\_qsGeoKey=1,46,236](http://www.apartmentguide.com/states/Virginia/Roanoke_Virginia.asp?wsv_qsGeoKey=1,46,236)

<http://www.anglinrealty.com/rentallistings.htm>

[http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/vccbc/0/VA/Roanoke/\\_n\\_/15/\\_n\\_/index.html](http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/vccbc/0/VA/Roanoke/_n_/15/_n_/index.html)

<http://www.rent.com/apartments/virginia/roanoke/>

## **Utilities**

<http://www.wprealtors.com/market/swva/utilities.html>

## **Home furnishings**

<http://www.infosourceusa.com/CAT/Furniture-Stores/VA/Roanoke.htm>

<http://www.grandhomefurnishings.com/index.html>

<http://vahomefurnishings.com/hours.htm>

<http://www.pier1.com/home.asp>

### **Employment**

<http://www.virginia.jobopenings.net/>

<http://www.expresspersonnel.com/office.asp?id=1507>

<http://jobs.roanoke.com/job/index>

<http://www.manpower.com/mpcom/index.jsp>

### **Banking**

<http://www.finance-info.net/VA/Roanoke.asp>

### **Transportation**

<http://www.valleymetro.com/community.htm>

<http://www.car-buying-strategies.com/car-dealers/va/roanoke-car-dealers.html>

<http://www.smartcarfinder.com/used-cars/Virginia-Roanoke.html>

<http://www.infosourceusa.com/CAT/Car-Dealers-Used-Cars-Only/VA/Roanoke.htm>