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AREA SUPERINTENDENTS AND PRINCIPALS MEET

Superintendents and principals of high schools in the West Central area met Tuesday, December 15, in the auditorium of Edson Hall on the campus of the new University of Minnesota, Morris, to discuss entrance requirements and curriculum for the college, which will open classes for freshman students in September, 1960.

The meeting was called by Rodney A. Briggs, acting dean of the college, to solicit the assistance and guidance of the superintendents and principals in the development of standards for entrance and a type of curriculum needed for West Central Minnesota.

Recommendations from this meeting will be forwarded to the Morris Campus Advisory Committee, which is under the chairmanship of Dr. Malcolm Willey, academic vice-president of the University of Minnesota.

The group urged the establishment of a threshold of entrance sufficiently high to encourage a "quality instruction" program in the new Morris College.

In closing, Dean Briggs advised the superintendents and principals that entrance requirements and first year course offerings will be made available and generally distributed in the West Central Minnesota area early next year.