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A PRE-REGISTRATION DAY AT UMM

Each morning during August a pert young blonde from Donnelly greets approximately twenty new University of Minnesota, Morris, enrollees in the main lobby of Edson Hall.

Miss Delores Holdgraber[†], official hostess, introduces the incoming students and passes out name tags, starting the Pre-Registration program at the UMM.

A full day is planned in testing, tours and selection of courses. The program starts in the Lounge in the Science building when Dean Briggs officially welcomes the group. At this time emphasis is made on the potentialities of campus academic and social life. Students are to begin a new set of experiences in the transition from high school to college.

A tour of the campus which begins at nine at the Science building includes the dormitories, laboratories, Humanities and Social Science building, the dining hall, gymnasium and ends at Edson Hall. Then the students have time for group program planning during a coffee break. From 10:00 to 11:00, students take the ~~math~~^{math}-placement test.

Dr. Steven Granger, student counselor, explains minutely the programs and procedures of the University which are connected with registration.

Students are guests of the University of Minnesota, Morris, for the noon lunch after which packets for individual registration are distributed. Students as a group plan their program in general and fill out all the necessary blanks. Following the program planning sessions, each student meets with the counselor for individual problems or questions. The individual appointment completes a full program planning session preparatory to the start of collegiate courses on September 26, at the UMM.