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DULUTH--About 50 area teachers are on the UMD campus this week for a workshop in audio-visual aids and physical education.

The workshop, offered through the General Extension Division's Center for Continuation Study, is being held in response to a request from elementary school teachers and principals for further training in the two fields. Sessions beginning Monday were centered in the campus Physical Education building.

Forenoons were devoted to objectives and techniques of fitness activities in the grades. Guest specialists in the audio-visual field conducted afternoon meetings.

Charles Schuller, professor in the audio-visual department of Michigan State University, demonstrated newest equipment for projection of slides, graphs and classroom notations.

"With more material to teach and more youth to be taught, we must consider audio-visual aids an integral part of classwork," he told his audience.

Movies as motivation for reading was the topic presented by Robert Brown, field director for Encyclopedia Britannica Films, Chicago.

Classroom films should be treated as a "tie-in with course work rather than a picture show," he said.

UMD faculty taking part in the program were Academic Dean Thomas W. Chamberlin; Dr. Valworth Plumb, head of education and psychology; Dr. Harry C. Johnson, head of elementary education and Dr. Ward Wells, head of men's physical education.

Twin Cities speakers involved in the workshop were Arnold E. Luce, supervisor, audio-visual aids in the State Department of Education, St. Paul, and Neville P. Pearson, instructor in education, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

Coordinator was Gilford W. Remington, resident manager and assistant professor, General Extension Division.