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Duluth-- A two week Summer Workshop in Reading for Elementary and Secondary Teachers will be held at UMD July 26-Aug. 6 sponsored by the General Extension Division.

Workshop Director Dr. Vernon L. Simula, assistant professor of elementary education at UMD, said the sessions will provide new information to teachers on the latest methods and materials required for conducting developmental reading programs.

Dr. Simula said three hours of graduate or undergraduate credit will be given to those who successfully complete the requirements of the Workshop.

Theme of the elementary section will be "Beyond the Basal Reader" and will deal with techniques of beginning reading instruction, the implications of linguistics to reading instruction, a survey of word analysis skills, a survey of comprehension skills, a survey of trends and experimental programs and a survey of new materials.

Theme of the secondary section will be "Developing Power in Comprehension." Classes will discuss a survey of fundamental word analysis and comprehension skills, developing vocabulary skills, utilizing structure and flexibility to increase comprehension, developing varied rates of comprehension, exploring the readability problems of high school materials and developing personal reading habits.

Director of the elementary section will be Mrs. Verna V. Norha, UMD instructor in elementary education. Secondary director will be Dr. Anna Lee Stensland, associate professor of English at UMD.

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Guest lecturers will be Dr. James I. Brown, professor of Rhetoric at the University of Minnesota, St. Paul; Dr. Stanley B. Kegler, associate professor of education, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis; and Dr. Victor L. Lohman, director, Psycho-Educational Clinic, St. Cloud State College, St. Cloud.

Interested teachers can formally apply by writing to General Extension Division, Center for Continuation Study, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis. They can get additional information by contacting Dr. Simula at UMD.