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school principals, supervisors, elementary school teachers, junior high school teachers, kindergarten teachers, rural teachers, and special class teachers. Subject matter fields will include History, Geography, and Social Science, Mathematics, Science, Art, Music, English, Literature, Foreign Language and Health Education. The Summer Session catalogue will contain a complete list of offerings with course descriptions.

Courses for Principals and Supervisors. At least four courses will be offered in this field including two on the work of elementary school principal, one on elementary school supervision and one on general school administration. Students may secure sufficient credit in this field to meet the requirements for an elementary school principal's provisional certificate.

**Progressive Education.** Aside from the Demonstration classes there will be a course dealing with the progressive elementary school and one on language-arts in the elementary school.

Kindergarten-Primary Education. A theory course in Kindergarten and Primary Education, one in Children's Literature, as well as certain elective courses required for this field will be available for teachers preparing to teach in the kindergarten or lower elementary school.

Education and Psychology. A considerable number of professional courses, commonly called Education and Psychology, but under the new curriculum known as Professional and Technical Sequences, will be available to meet needs of both under-graduate students and teachers in service.

Social Studies. Both required and elective courses in History, Geography and the Social Sciences will be offered. Emphasis upon the teaching of Social Studies will be one of the features of this department. The Summer Session will cooperate with the State Committee on the Social Studies and an important conference is being planned.

Science. Recognition of the emphasis recently given to elementary science work in the schools will be found in the courses offered in our Summer Session. We expect to offer a minimum of six courses, which will include both Biological and Physical Science.

English Literature. The courses in this field are planned for teachers in service as well as for students who desire to meet degree requirements. They include Oral English, Choral Reading, Dramatics, Survey Courses in English and American Literature and the Teaching of the Language Arts.

Art. Efforts are being made to plan a more extensive program in Art Education than we have had

in recent Summer Sessions. It is hoped that this will appeal to a considerable number of students,

**Music.** The usual offerings in Music with the supplementary work in orchestra, choral work and assembly programs will be of interest to elementary teachers of music.

Mathematics. All of the mathematics work essential to meeting the requirements for junior high school certification will be available in the Summer Session.

Additional Courses. Some work in Health and Physical Education and Foreign Language will be included in the course offerings.

A special bulletin announcing courses for teachers of physically handicapped children is in preparation. Interested persons may secure this circular by addressing the Director of the Summer Session.

Some very interesting work in Safety Education is to be offered this summer and will emphasize Auto safety. This course will enable teachers to meet State requirements.

Special Conferences. Following the practice of recent sessions a number of special conferences are being planned to emphasize certain problems and questions of general interest to teachers. These will include, the new State syllabus on arithmetic and elementary school mathematics, guidance and counselling, rural school problems, science in the elementary school, teaching the social studies, etc,

Director of Summer Session, State Teachers College, 1300 Elmwood Avenue, Buffalo, New York.

## Gentlemen:

Kindly mail me a complete Summer Session catalog upon publication.

Very truly yours,

## PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT

Summer Session

1938



State Teachers College at Buffalo

Tuesday, July 5th-Friday, August 12th

## CALENDAR

- July 5th, at 8:30 A.M.—General meeting and instructions for Registration. Auditorium, State Teachers College, Buffalo. Registration closes at 4:00 P.M.
- July 6th—Regular classwork begins. A late Registration fee will be charged after this date.
- July 9th—Last Day for registering in classes for credit. College will be in session this first Saturday to compensate for Monday's holiday.

August 12th-Summer Session closes at 3:15 P.M.

### GENERAL STATEMENT

Catalogue. This is a preliminary announcement of the Summer Session of 1938 of State Teachers College at Buffalo. For the Summer Session catalog containing description of courses, names of instructors, and other detailed information, write to the Director of the Summer Session, State Teachers College, Buffalo, New York.

Location. Buffalo, at the eastern end of Lake Erie, offers many of the advantages of a summer resort. The temperature is ordinarily cool in comparison with that of other large cities. The easy access of the Great Lakes region, Canada, and the countryside of Western New York affords opportunity for many interesting excursions and recreational features. The new campus of State Teachers College, comprising some 20 acres, is adjacent to Delaware Park with its golf course, tennis courts, lake, rose garden and the like. Albright Art Gallery and the Buffalo Historical Museum are next door neighbors. The four new college buildings are splendidly equipped. The swimming pool, gymnasium and athletic grounds offer opportunity for well planned summer recreation.

Admission Requirements. Any present teacher or prospective teacher in the public schools of New York State or students from New York normal schools or teachers colleges are eligible for admission. Other persons may be admitted at the discretion of the Director of the Summer Session. Special interest groups such as school nurses or hygienists, etc., should apply to the proper State Department for information. Applicants from other states are required to pay special tuition fees in addition to the regular registration and incidental fees. No high school work is offered in the Summer School.

Credit. Work done in courses at the Summer Session will be as nearly as possible equivalent to the work of the same courses during the regular session. Therefore, courses will be credited hour for hour on the basis of semester-hour credit. The maximum amount of credit allowed is eight semester hours. Students are strongly advised to attempt not more than six semester hours of work.

Fees. The State Department has authorized the collection of Registration and Incidental Fees from all students attending Normal schools and Teachers colleges. A student blanket tax fee will also be collected to finance student social activities, assembly programs and the summer-school "Record". This year the total of these two fees will not exceed \$25.00 and is payable at the time of registration. These fees are the same for all students and are in addition to the tuition fee paid by out-of-state students.

Extra Class Activities. The Summer Session at State Teachers College offers unusual opportunity for avocational pursuits. During the assembly periods speakers of national reputation will be brought before the student body; community singing will be emphasized: and where possible, student musical and dramatic organizations will appear. During the coming Summer Session especial attempts will be made to organize a choral club, a dramatic club, and an orchestra. Students who are interested in writing may join the staff of the Summer Session Record. The new swimming pool is open to the student body without charge except the necessary cost of towels, suits, etc. Experienced swimming instructors will be available. The spacious gymnasium of the college will be used for formal and informal competition. Golf and tennis are both available in Delaware Park. The park lake may be used for canoeing. As in previous sessions a wide variety of excursions and trips will be planned, to industrial establishments, social institutions, and places of natural beauty.

Rooms and Board. Rooms and board may be secured at moderate prices in nearby residences. The college has a comprehensive list of acceptable rooming houses which have been inspected and approved. Assistance will be given to any student who wishes to secure accommodations, either for board and room or for rooms alone. Information may be secured by writing to the Housing Committee, State Teachers College, Buffalo, New York.

Rooms may be secured from \$2.00 per week per person in double rooms or \$3.00 per week in single rooms and upwards. Room and board in the same house (two in a room), from \$6.00 and upwards per person per week.

Demonstration School. Our Demonstration School will be somewhat larger than in previous summers. The first, third, fifth and seventh-grade classes will be provided for elementary and junior high school teachers. A one-room school, including all classes, will be provided especially for the benefit of rural teachers. In connection with the work for physically handicapped children, hard-of-hearing, sight conservation and orthopedic units will be included. Some of the more important aspects of progressive education will be included in the work of demonstration classes. All students are invited to visit the Demonstration School without additional fees.

### ANNOUNCEMENT OF COURSES

The 1938 Summer Session offers an exceptionally varied and comprehensive program of courses. These include programs of professional studies for elementary