

INVITATION...School administrators and teachers are invited to the Central Michigan Regional Conference on Educational Research on Saturday, October 26, at the University Center on CMU's campus. Several partnership schools will participate in the sessions, which will be designed to (1) stimulate schools to engage in research, (2) inform schools of resources and help that are available, (3) identify schools and personnel now involved in research, (4) provide opportunities for schools now engaged in research to share their experiences, (5) offer suggestions to schools wishing to initiate studies and (6) encourage schools and teachers to make use of research findings already available. Charles B. Park, director of special studies at CMU, and Dr. Rolland A. Alterman, director of research and evaluation for the Teacher Education Project, will appear on behalf of the Project. The conference will open with registration and coffee between 9 and 9:30 a.m. and conclude early in the afternoon. It will be sponsored by the Michigan Educational Research Council and Central Michigan University, through the Teacher Education Project.

OCTOBER 2...This is the date for a meeting of school administrators and cooperating teachers representing each of the partnership schools. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the University Center and will close in the afternoon.

REPORTS...During the summer the Teacher Education Project published its fourth progress report. This report explains how teacher interns fit into the overall pattern of instruction in school systems. It describes the types of school systems associated with the Project. The report also summarizes prominent characteristics of the teacher intern program operated by the Project and lists various contributions made by the Project to education in the state of Michigan. Another report, by Dr. Rolland A. Alterman, covers a study of teacher competency in which administrators from 40 Michigan school systems participated.

LEADER...Dr. Roy C. Hanes, a Project coordinator, served as a workshop leader August 18-23 at Marshall University, Huntington, W. Va., where a teacher intern program is underway.

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