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\$85,496 NSF GRANT
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MISSOULA--

A grant of \$85,496 from the National Science Foundation will support the Summer Institute for Secondary School Teachers of Mathematics June 21-Aug. 20 at the University of Montana, Missoula.

The institute, under the direction of Dr. William R. Ballard, a UM mathematics professor, will be held in conjunction with the 1971 UM Summer Session.

Sixty teachers will participate in the program. Fifty will be continuing their studies for the degree, Master of Arts for Teachers.

Dr. Ballard said 10 new participants will be selected from those applying for the vacancies. Deadline for applications is March 1. Inquiries may be sent to Dr. Ballard in care of the Department of Mathematics, University of Montana, Missoula 59801.

This will be the 12th summer that the mathematics institute has been offered on the Montana campus in Missoula. About 80 teachers have earned their master's degrees since the program originated, with four summers usually required to complete the degree program.

Dr. Ballard said a number of Missoula teachers have participated in the institute over the years, including several who moved to Missoula after enrolling in the summer graduate program.

Idaho, Washington, Pennsylvania, Florida, Minnesota and Montana are among the states represented by institute participants. England and Germany also have been represented.

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