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DANCE SPECIALIST WILL
LEAD UM WORKSHOP

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Dance movements through notation is the highlight of a free public dance workshop to be held on the University of Montana campus this weekend (Jan. 20-21).

Sponsored by the UM Department of Health and Physical Education and the Associated Students Program Council, the workshop is expected to attract beginners in dance as well as active dance enthusiasts.

Mrs. Dana Jeane Bunnell, H and PE instructor, reports the workshop will feature lecture demonstrations by the noted dancer-teacher, K. Wright Dunkley, assistant professor of dance, University of Oregon at Eugene.

No previous dance experience is necessary in order for one to attend the workshop, according to Mrs. Bunnell. The workshop is free to participants as well as observers.

Mr. Dunkley's first presentation at 8:15 p.m. Friday (Jan. 27) in the UM Music Recital Hall will feature his "Movement Through Notation" theory. The theory involves a system of symbols based on notations of specific movements of men and animals. The UM Dance Company will assist in the demonstrations.

The workshop goes into full swing Saturday (Jan. 28) in the UM Women's Center with Modern Technique Class at 9:30 a.m., Jazz Class Technique at 12:30 p.m., Primitive Dance Class at 2 p.m., Repertoire Class at 3 p.m., all followed by an informal discussion at 4 p.m.

Dunkley has choreographed several musical shows, conducted numerous lecture-demonstrations, and published several dance articles. He holds degrees in vocal music, music theory, drama and dance.