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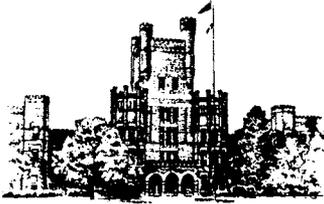
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EASTERN PLANS HONORS COURSE

By: Susan Duncan  
Student Hometown News Bureau

CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University will offer a Residential Honors Course for qualified high school students July 6-16.

The course, entitled "The Analysis of the Short Story," will be devoted to the understanding and enjoyment of short fiction, with emphasis on reading and evaluating selected fiction.

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A significant portion of the course will involve written analysis of such works as Baldwin's "Sonny's Blues" and Melville's "Bartleby the Scrivener."

Students will also have time for scheduled recreational and cultural activities. Each day will consist of classes, studying, relaxation and recreation.

To attend the camp, students should have completed their junior year in a recognized high school with 12 acceptable units and a class ranking in the upper 25%.

They must also have a letter of recommendation from their principal which addresses both the academic and personal qualifications of the student.

Recommendations, along with applications, should be mailed to Adult and Continuing Education, Eastern Illinois University, Booth House, Charleston, Illinois 61920. Application forms may be obtained through the Continuing Education office.

Because the Honors Camp has a limited enrollment and applications will be accepted only until the course is filled, students are encouraged to apply early.

A \$50 deposit on the camp fee of \$299 should accompany the application. The balance of \$249 is due by June 10.

The fee covers all instruction, materials, housing and meals in a university residence hall, accident insurance and recreational activities. Tuition has been waived by the University for accepted applicants.

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Students attending the camp will receive two semester hours of university credit that will count towards EIU graduation as elective credit for completion of English 1999.

Persons having questions regarding the camp content, topics or instructors, may call Dr. Herbert Lasky at (217) 581-2017. Questions concerning the application process, should be referred to Adult and Continuing Education at (217) 581-5114, Kaylin Johns.