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GEAR-UP OFFERS FOUR NEW SUMMER PROGRAMS  
TRUMAN COLLEGE

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- REPORTS
- that the Truman College GEAR-UP program is offering four new enrichment programs for area children and their parents this summer; and
  - that the Youth on Youth Summer Program is an academic enrichment program for 70 students from Arai Middle School, led by high school and college students planning careers with the Chicago Public Schools; and
  - that the Step'n Up program helps students make the transition from middle school to high school and from ninth to tenth grade; and
  - that the Parent/Family Summer Program, carried out with local theater company Kuumba Lynx and social workers from Children's Memorial Hospital, prepares parents to aid in their children's education and development; and
  - that the Summer Mathematics Institute, led by Truman College professors Sheila McNicholas and Ernie Berman, is helping teachers at Arai Middle School and Senn High School build a unified mathematics curriculum; and
  - that these and all federal GEAR-UP programs are designed to increase the college-going rate of area children from low-income families.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chancellor

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