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More than 100 students expected

at Laurier's 6th career institute

With planning for a career becoming more important every year, it is

expected that approximately 100 Grade 12 and 13 students from southern Ontario

will attend Wilfrid Laurier University's sixth annual Spring Career Planning

Institute May 17.

About 20 high school counsellors, who will function as small group leaders, also are expected.

"During the day-long workshop students will examine such topics as their interests, aptitudes, values and goals," said Peter Soroka, Laurier's career advisor. "We want to show how all these things are related to sound career choices."

There is a registration fee of \$9.50 per student, which includes lunch. a career planning manual and other seminar materials. Due to increasing interest it is planned to restrict admission to six students from each high school.

Large and small group sessions and exercises are planned. From 11 a.m. to noon a panel of Laurier students and recent graduates will share their career explorations, experience and advice.

After lunch students will attend an'Occupational Fair' in the Theatre

Auditorium where they can consult with more than 20 occupational representatives

from the Kitchener-Waterloo area.

Soroka said the institute is open to all students interested in attending university and not just those considering Wilfrid Laurier University.