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Summer school aids

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migrants' children

Twenty-five children of migrant farm workers in Union County have enrolled in a summer school at the Cobden Grade School.

The summer school has been federally funded under Title I programs for \$11,900.

The school opens with a snack of milk and cookies at 8:15 a.m. and closes at 1 p.m. after lunch is served.

Activities include recreation, skills in arts and crafts, field trips once a week to a police or fire station, Little Grassy Lake, Giant City State Park and to the St. Louis, Mo., zoo in August.

Teaching includes remedial English and mathematics.

John B. Lipe, assistant superintendent of the Anna-Jonesboro High School, is principal.

The teachers are: Carol Belcher of the A-J High School, and Jack Lamer, Richard Keene and Mrs. Carolyn Schafmeyer, all three from the Cobden Grade School.

The Cobden Unit District is furnishing facilities in the district's new grade school building.

Lipe said there is very little

absenteeism. He said they expect the enrollment to fluctuate and maybe grow to 40 or 45 by peach and apple harvesting time.

The school will remain open until Aug. 8.