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NORWOOD REPORT BY DON DUNSTAN.

The Norwood Adult Education Centre is continuing to expand the number and range of courses for formal and leisure education available to people in this area.

This term for the first time music tuition is being offered at the Centre, with tuition in guitar, violin, bass and clarinet being given to one or two students at a time in half hour sessions.

About 30 students are already involved in this programme.

Full-time day secretarial classes have been established this year for the first time. They are catering for 20 students at the moment.

These provide an excellent opportunity for married women who wish to return to work to train or re-train in secretarial skills.

The Minister of Education, Mr. Hugh Hudson, tells me that every effort will be made to extend these classes when accommodation can be made available.

Another noteworthy activity at the Centre is in dressmaking, with fifty classes a week in operation.

Millinery work at the Centre, too, is among the best in the State.

Last year thirteen prizes for millinery were obtained by students of the Centre exhibiting in 13 sections of the Royal Adelaide Show.

Adult day classes in Leaving and Matriculation subjects are being offered this year for the first time.

Other activities at the Centre include painting, sculpture, pottery work, ticket and showcard writing and advertising art, as well as many others.

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