**Humanities proposal accepted**

By Mike McNamee

A two-year, interdisciplinary program is being introduced this fall in the arts, humanities, and social sciences.

**Assessment**

By Paul Schandler

Chancellor Peter L. Gray '54 played a slightly different variation on a familiar theme at Wednesday's faculty meeting.

He told some 10% of the faculty (those present at the meeting) that men's income items will be insufficient to cover women's higher rents, together with the additional need for on-campus parking.

For women.

But interest in technology is particularly necessary, he added, when the Institute should require all students entering in 1979 to take an additional course in the humanities.

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The panel, addressing an audience composed primarily of high school students participating in the MIT Open House program of the Planning Office, MIT is conducting a survey to determine which parking lots can be restricted and limited in the area under consideration.

In particular, the panel expressed hope that the Institute should require all students entering in 1979 to take an additional course in the humanities.

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Now, according to the panel, the field of science and technology is open to women; and that is a good thing, they declared.

Ultimately, women will have the freedom to choose between staying home and doing professional work. For example, a "Women and Technology" program exists at MIT, and there are many other organizations that are working to open up opportunities for women in science and technology.

According to Mildred Dresselhaus, Professor of Electrical Engineering, the encouragement is particularly necessary because opportunities in traditional fields such as nursing and teaching are closing up.

In science, according to Prof. Mildred Dresselhaus at Women's Forum. 

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