



Carver College Collection: An Inventory of the Collection, 1951-1964

Overview of the Collection

Title:	Carver College Collection.
Inclusive Dates:	1951-1964
Bulk Dates:	1958-1961
Abstract:	An artificial collection of records related to Carver College in Charlotte, North Carolina.
Collection Number:	AR.0032
Quantity:	0.084 linear feet (3 boxes, 19 oversized items)
Language:	The records are in English.
Repository:	Central Piedmont Community College Archives, Central Campus LR201, PO Box 35009, Charlotte, NC 28235
Preferred Citation:	[Description of item], Box/Folder Number, Carver College Collection, (Collection #). Central Piedmont Community College Archives, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Administrative History

Carver College was operated by the Charlotte City School Board from 1949-1958 and by the Charlotte Community College System from 1958-1963. It was the predominately black counterpart of the predominately white Charlotte College. The name of Carver College was changed to Mecklenburg College in 1961. The college closed in July 1963 when it was merged with the Central Industrial Education Center to form Central Piedmont Community College (CPCC). As part of CPCC the campus facilities were known as the Beatty's Ford Road campus until the property was sold in 1965.

Scope and Contents

This collection consists of administrative records, academic records, facilities records, reports, publications and printed materials that document the activities of Carver College, later known as Mecklenburg College.

The Administrative Records Series (1951, 1957-1963) contains faculty meeting minutes and accreditation documentation related to the school library.

The Academic Records Series (1956-1960, 1963-1964) contains reports on suggested curriculums for Carver College.

The Facilities Records Series (1960-1961) contains plans for Carver (Mecklenburg) College including the student union, library, and facilities master plan.

The Reports and Publications Series (1958-1961) contains a variety of reports about Carver College.

The Printed Material Series (1958-1961) contains ephemeral material about events held at Carver College such as orientation, commencement, and ground breaking ceremonies.

This collection is an artificial collection and order was imposed upon the records by a CPCC librarian at an unknown time.

Arrangement

The collection is arranged into five series:

- I. Administrative Records, 1951, 1957-1963
- II. Academic Records, 1956-1960, 1963-1964
- III. Facilities Records, 1960-1961, undated
- IV. Reports and Publications, 1958-1961
- V. Printed Material, 1958-1961

Restrictions

Restrictions on Access

Records containing student grades or transcripts are restricted until 2042.

Restrictions on Use

None.

Index Terms

This record series is indexed under the following controlled access subject terms.

Organizations

J.N. Pease Associates.

Subjects

Carver College (Charlotte, N.C.).
Mecklenburg College (Charlotte, N.C.).

Document Types

Blueprints (reprographic copies)
Floor plans

Related Material

The Carveran, 1957, 1959, 1961

The Echo, 1962, 1963

CPCC Office of the President. Dr. Richard H. Hagemeyer Records, AR.0002

Carver College Records, University of North Carolina at Charlotte Library

Separated Material

Carver College catalogs were separated to the books collection.

Materials related to the campus after it became part of Central Piedmont Community College in July 1963 were separated to the Hagemeyer Records, AR.0002.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Accession #(s): 0000-0036

Processing Information

Initial inventory and preliminary processing by/date: Kate Howell/August 2012

Final processing and finding aid by/date: Kate Howell/September 2012

Detailed Description of the Collection

Series I. Administrative Records, 1951, 1957-1963 (0.2 linear feet)

Box	Folder	
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1	1	College seal and alma mater, 1951, 1963, undated
	2	Faculty meeting minutes, agendas, bulletins, 1958-1961

- 3 Library information for SACS accreditation report, 1957-1960
 - 4 SACS accreditation report forms, 1958
 - 5 Accreditation report information, 1959-1960
 - 6 Mecklenburg College accreditation self-survey committee, 1962
 - 7 Correspondence of James F. Alexander, 1963
 - 8 General fund statement of income and expenditures, year ended June 30, 1963
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Series II. Academic Records, 1956-1960, 1963-1964 (4 folders)

Box Folder

- 1 9 List of graduates from 1951 to 1964, 1964
 - 10 *Carver College Suggested Curriculum*, 27 January 1960
 - 11 *Mecklenburg College Proposed Curriculum, 1963-1964*, 2 April 1963
 - 12 Library circulation record book, 1956-1959
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Series III. Facilities Records, 1960-1961, undated (4 folders, 19 oversized items)

Box Folder

- 1 13 Comments on working drawings and specifications, 13 January 1961
- 14 Schedule of equipment, 11 April 1961
- 15 Student union center, 1961
- 16 Classroom plan, undated

Location Item

- qAR-01 001 Floor plan [of kitchen, cafeteria, bookstore, lounge], undated
- 002 Kitchen layout, undated
- 003 Kitchen layout with key, August 1961
- 004 Proposed student union, Carver College, scheme #4 (2 copies), 21 July 1961
- 005 Student union, Carver College, scheme #1, 20 June 1961

	006	Blueprint of student union Carver, undated
	007	Library floor plan, drawing number 1866-LL (3 copies), 11 April 1961
	008	Carver College [library floor plan, 1/8"=1'], undated
	009	Library floor plan, Carver College library , Charlotte, N.C., 22 May 1961
FF01	03/01	Proposed student union, Carver College, scheme #4, sheet #SKA-1, 31 July 1961
	03/02	[Library floor plan], undated
	03/03	Administration and classroom building, Carver College, sheet #A02, 23 January 1961
	03/04	Carver College, phase one library and administration building, SKA-100C, 1 August 1960
	03/05	First floor plans, buildings 1 and 2, SKA-12, rev.-A, undated
	03/06	Site layout plan, basement building 2, SKA 11-A, undated
	03/07	Master plan for Mecklenburg College, [1961]

Series IV. Reports and Publications, 1958-1961 (0.4 linear feet)

Box	Folder	
1	17-18	<i>Information on Carver College, 1949-1958</i> , 3 December 1958
	19	"History of Mecklenburg College", [1961]
2	1	<i>Educational Planning for Carver College on the New Campus</i> (a tentative report), August 1959
	2	<i>Educational Planning for Carver College on the New Campus</i> , September 1959
	3	<i>Carver College Synthesis of Master Planning for a New Campus to an Enrollment of 1450</i> , March 1960
	4	<i>A Report to the Governor's Commission on Education Beyond the High School Relative to Carver College, Charlotte, North Carolina</i> , 13 October 1961
	5	"Mecklenburg School Report", 1960, 1961

Series V. Printed Material, 1958-1961 (4 folders)

Box Folder

2	6	Orientation brochures, September 1958
	7	Commencement programs, 1959, 1961
	8	Ground-breaking ceremonies program, 1960
	9	Program for dedication of physical plant, 8 April 1961