News-from the Library

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NOOK Color eReaders are Here!

The eReaders will be ready for check out beginning September 4th for CCCC students and employees. Stop at the circulation desk for details about policies, agreements, and circulation procedures. Check in and check out procedures will take longer for these special resources, so allow for adequate time. Note: parents of all LEC students must co-sign the policies statement and agreement. A list of titles on the Nooks is available on the library web page in the library catalog section.

Online Research Guides are Coming!

These guides help researchers and students <u>get</u> <u>started on a research strategy</u> and aid in locating resources relevant to broad subject areas, academic disciplines, classes, and even specific assignments. The research guides are located in the Online Resources section of the library web page.

New Collaboratory Study Room Coming Soon at Lee Library.

We have converted one of our study rooms into a collaborative study room. For study groups needing multimedia resources to complete projects this room has a 40" touch screen computer, a TV with a DVD/VCR combo, and a White Board. The room table seats five. Check in at the circulation desk. Available on a first-come, first-serve basis.

New Look at the Harnett Campus Library

The library has been renovated and has more





Microform Scanner now at Lee Library

The Lee library has a new microform scanner for our <u>historical and biographical collections</u> on fiche and microfilm including the *New York Times* Newspaper (1851-2001). Users may save digital copies as an image or PDF, or print to the library printer outside the computer lab.

Mobile App for the Library Catalog Coming Soon! (via iLibrary)

Watch for the announcement regarding availability.

Integrated Searching of Databases & Catalog

A new meta-search service, **EBSCO Integrated Search**, is available on the library home page. One stop <u>searching of multiple databases using one search query</u> will save time and yield many results from which to choose, sort, and limit. Depending on which databases are selected, results may include multimedia resources. This new service will be available on the library home page.

More eVideos!

Thousands of videos have been added in three new **Films on Demand** subject categories: <u>Science and Mathematics</u>, <u>Technical Education</u>, <u>and Family and Consumer Sciences</u>.



Grant Money Purchases

New books purchased with **grant** money awarded to the CCCC library are now on display and ready for check out. Books & DVDs were purchased for: **CIT** at Lee Campus Library

Laser Photonics Technology at Harnett Campus Library

Networking and Telecommunications Technology at the N.C School of Telecommunications

Electronics and Computer Engineering at Harnett and Lee Campus Libraries

Sustainability and Biofuels at the Chatham Campus Library

Database Spotlight

CQ Researcher Online (NC LIVE) is noted for its <u>in-depth, unbiased coverage</u> of health, social trends, criminal justice, international affairs, education, the environment, technology, etc.

Each 12,000-word report is researched and written by a journalist. The consistent, reader-friendly organization provides researchers with: an introductory overview; background and chronology on the topic; an assessment of the current situation; tables and maps; pro/con statements from representatives of opposing positions; and bibliographies of key sources.

For <u>argumentative paper</u> assignments, also try **Points of View** and **TOPICsearch** for information on <u>current events</u>, <u>controversial issues</u>, <u>and discussion topics</u>, including energy and environment, gay rights, global warming, gun control, immigration, and human rights.



Academic Assistance Writing Center

The Academic Assistance Writing Center in collaboration with the library is accepting library referrals for **all** writing, term paper format, <u>citation</u> issues, tutoring, and learning computer applications. For help with research, come to the library.

Library Instruction

Contact Mary Coleman (ext. 7340) for afternoon and evening library instruction at the Harnett and Lee campuses. Call Ellen Dickey (ext. 7459) for morning library instruction (M-Th) at Harnett and Lee campuses. Contact Dana Haven (919-545-8084) to request library instruction at the Chatham campus.

AV Help

Lee Campus Library

919-718-7375 (check out and reservations) B.J.Thompson: bthompson@cccc.edu 919-718-7435 (ordering, <u>instruction</u>, & troubleshooting)

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Chatham Campus, Pittsboro, NC 27312

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REGULAR LIBRARY HOURS

Sanford: 7:30am-**8pm**, M-Th; 7:30am-3:30pm, F **Lillington:** 7:30am-8pm, M-Th; 7:30am-3:30 pm, F

Pittsboro: 9am-8pm, M-Th; 9am-6pm F;

9am-5pm Sat.

The Sanford and Lillington libraries are closed on Saturday and Sunday. Hours may vary during breaks. Changes will be posted on library doors.

NOTE: The Lee Campus Library now closes at 8 PM Monday-Thursday evenings.





Lee Campus (Sanford)

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