

# NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

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## Lee Campus News and Events

### A Walk Through History: Lee Library 50th Anniversary

The Library building on the Lee Campus opened its doors to students in January 1970. That's right, the Library is turning 50 years old in 2020! While card catalogs and microfilm may have been replaced by digital databases, our mission to serve the students of Central Carolina Community College hasn't changed. We have been helping students conduct research and access information since they came to us wearing bell-bottoms, and we want to celebrate that history.

In honor of our 50th Anniversary, we will be hosting a "Walk Through History" event during the week of January 21 – 24, 2020. Come see a photo display of the early days of CCCC and find stories from the dedicated professionals who staffed the original library. We will also hold a reception on Thursday, January 23, 2020 from 2pm – 3:30pm. So mark your calendars and come celebrate with us!



*Yearbook staff posing in the library right after it opened in 1970.*

## Events Calendar

**January 21-24: Lee**  
A Walk Through History Library  
50th Anniversary Display

**January 23: Lee**  
50th Anniversary Reception,  
2pm - 3:30pm

**Throughout January: Lee**  
Mini Book Sale

**February 10-14: Lee**  
Blind Date with a Book

**April 20-24th**  
National Library Week



# Faculty News



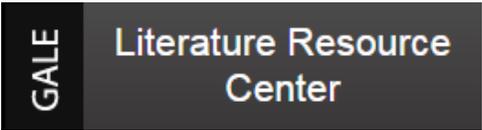
## Open Educational Resources

Are you interested in supplementing your existing course with OER (Open Educational Resources) or learning more about freely available resources you can use in your courses? Contact Samantha O'Connor, Educational Resources Librarian, to find materials or learn more about how to decrease textbook costs for your students, and to find and adapt existing OER to develop inclusive, flexible learning materials.

For more information or questions, please contact Samantha O'Connor at [soconnor@cccc.edu](mailto:soconnor@cccc.edu) or 919-718-7340

## Database Spotlight: Gale Literature Resource Center

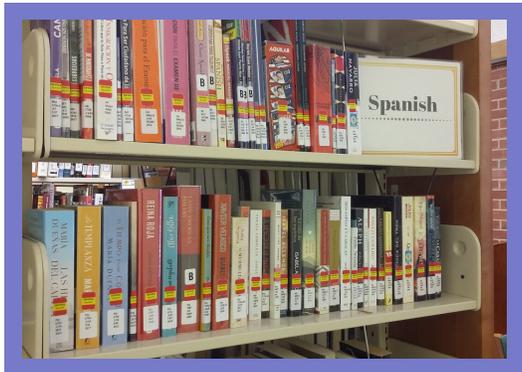
Literature Resource Center has a new look and has now been renamed Gale Literature Resource Center! Featuring articles, critical essays, work and topic overviews, full-text works, biographies covering authors, their works and literary movements, Gale Literature Resource Center is a go-to resource for both foundational and advanced information on all things literary.



Check out the Topic Finder, a resource that allows you to find new keywords and connections to simplify your search.

## Special Collection Spotlight: Spanish

Looking for something to read in your native language or looking for help with strengthening your Spanish skills? The Lee Campus Library has an ever-growing collection of books in Spanish, including many popular titles, young adult titles, children's books, self-help, and books by Spanish-speaking authors.



## Student Holidays

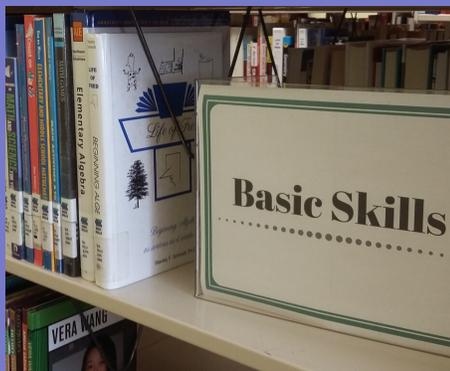
**Martin Luther King Jr. Day:**  
January 20, 2020

**Spring Break:**  
March 11-13, 2020

**Student Break:**  
April 10 - 14, 2020

## Special Collection Spotlight: Basic Skills

The Lee Campus Library has rearranged part of our collection to add more to our Basic Skills section! Faculty with students who require some additional help with understanding their classwork may be interested in directing students to our Basic Skills Collection.



Featuring subjects like algebra and biology, this collection has a number of books that can help students with the basics of many of their core classes.

## Archives Spotlight



*Gwen Glover, who was the librarian here in the 1970s.*

Find this and other photos of CCCC in days past at the NC Digital Heritage Center. They are continuing to digitize the library's archival photos, and currently provide access to over 3000 images from our collection! You can browse these at the Digital Heritage Center's website:

<http://www.digitalnc.org/institutions/central-carolina-community-college/>



## Library Hours

### Lee Campus

Phone: (919) 718-7244

Fax: (919) 718-7378

Mon-Thu 7:30 am - 8:00 pm

Fri 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Closed Saturday & Sunday

### Harnett Campus

Phone: (910) 814-8843

Fax: (910) 814-8894

Mon-Thu 7:30 am - 7:00 pm

Fri 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Closed Saturday & Sunday

### Chatham Campus

Phone: (919) 545-8084

Mon-Thu 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

Friday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Closed Sunday

### Online

Access library resources 24 hours a day via the Library's website.



<http://www.cccc.edu/library/>

