



Science experiment

Most of the chemistry experiments in the laboratories of Carrie Savage Camp Hall require total concentration, as noted by this student setting up his equipment to begin a laboratory project.

Chowan prof named to grade test scores

Dr. Garth Faile, Chowan College professor of science, has been selected to participate in the annual reading and scoring of advanced placement examinations in chemistry.

Each year the advanced placement (AP) program, sponsored by the College Board, gives hundreds of thousands of capable high school students an opportunity to take rigorous college-level courses and examinations.

Based on their performance, the students receive credit and/or advanced placement when they enter college.

More than 695,000 examinations in 16 academic disciplines were evaluated by more than 2,800 faculty consultants

from high schools and universities across the nation.

Drawn from various ethnic groups and from nearly every state, these consultants are some of the best high school and college educators in the country.

Dr. Wade Curry, AP program director at the College Board, said, "At a time when the nation is focusing on ways to ensure and improve quality in education, it is vital to recognize the contributions of educators, like Professor Garth Faile, who is making a commitment to education and following it through."

Faile, chairman of the Department of Science, joined the Chowan College faculty in 1971.

Whitaker Library becomes center of educational life on campus

Attractive and well-planned, Whitaker Library is the center of the educational process at Chowan College. The facility houses a collection of about 92,000 volumes with all books readily accessible on open shelves.

The library also contains about 24,000 reels or items of microforms, with appropriate readers and printers.

Approximately 570 periodical titles are among the library holdings, including newspaper subscriptions and micro-

form holdings.

The facility also houses several special collections, including an Antiquities Room and the A.J. Watkins Educational Materials Center, which was dedicated last spring.

Whitaker Library, named in honor of Dr. Bruce E. Whitaker, president emeritus, is open 80 hours per week and is well staffed to provide complete services.

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