

## 'Slaying the Dragon' takes aim at developmental math

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The dragon. Symbol of power, majesty ... and math? For students at Wayne Community College, that may soon be the case. In February 2004, Wayne Community College formed a steering committee to come up with a way to help students succeed, a plan that would allow the college to be reaccredited. Ann Spicer, an English instructor, and Dr. Cindy Archie, division head of Allied Health and Public Services, were chosen to head a committee that designed the new Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP).

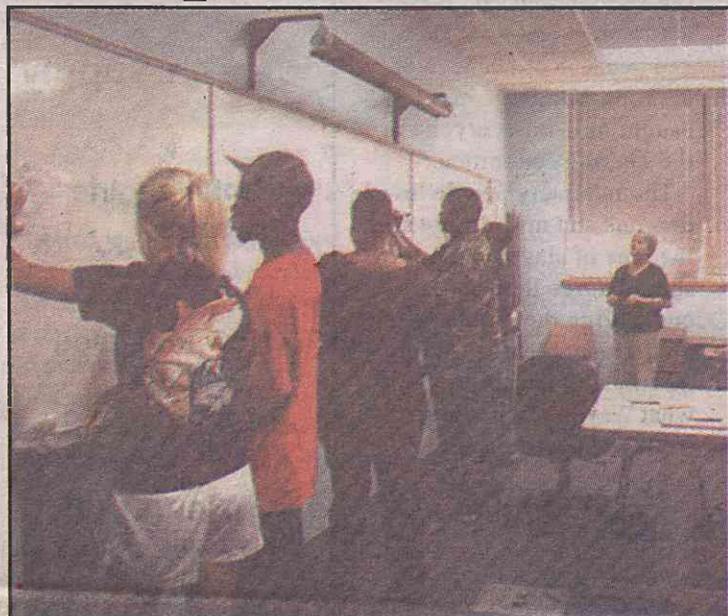
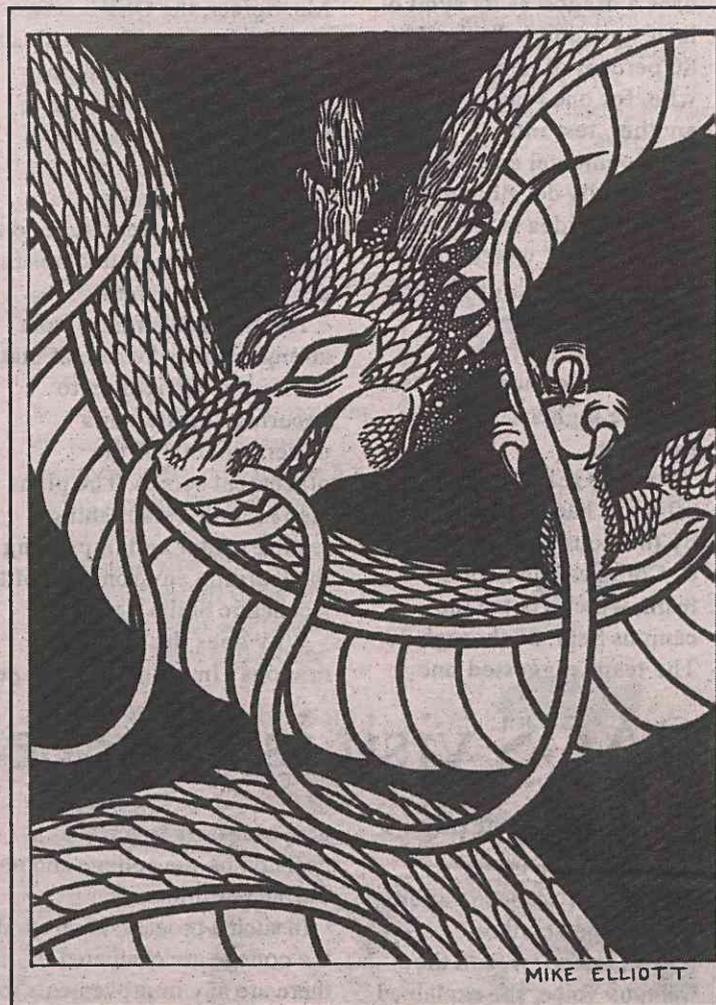


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Students take a developmental math class on campus.

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## Cafeteria under new management

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When students returned to school for the fall semester, they found that the college cafeteria had under gone changes.

Five Star's five-year contract ended in August, and the contract was advertised for bidding, said Ken Ritt, vice president of Educational Support Services. Sunburst was selected.

Mr. Ritt said that Sunburst Foods offered a number of advantages for both students and faculty, offering lunch items for the same or less expensive costs than before.

The college chose to take lower prices on food, no commission on the cafeteria and running the vending machines itself, Mr. Ritt said.



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A student purchases food in the college cafeteria.

All state money has to be directed to certain locations, he said, and making the above changes allowed WCC some funding for special functions and services at the college.

Sunburst Foods is eager to satisfy the college and, as it learns what the students and faculty want and need,

service will get better, he said.

The variety of food items will increase, and a soup bar will soon be offered.

Mr. Ritt said that, in time, surveys will be done to see how satisfied the school population is with the changes that have taken place.

WCC is proud to be supporting a Goldsboro-based company, Mr. Ritt said.



Campus Voice photo

WCC President Dr. Ed Wilson is pictured with SACS team members who visited here. From left, front row: Carolyn Byrd and Barbara Adams; back row: Rudy Jackson, Jimmie Williamson, Dr. Wilson, Jack McGuire, Kay Dunkley and Daniel Koenig.

## SACS visit is a success

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Wayne Community College recently underwent an evaluation to sustain its accreditation status. For students, the advantage to attending an accredited

college is that your credits are transferable to most colleges throughout the country.

"Only an accredited college may receive federal financial aid for its students," Dr. Kay Albertson.

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