

Our State Normal and Industrial College.

The catalogue of North Carolina State Normal and Industrial College, advertisement of which appears in another column, shows an enrollment during the past year of 536 college students and 353 pupils in the Practice and Observation School. Students secure free tuition by agreeing to become teachers in the public or private schools of the state for at least two years after leaving the college, and in no other way can free tuition be secured. All the free tuition students cannot secure board in the dormitories where board is furnished at actual cost, but places will be reserved in dormitories for 175 free tuition students and 175 tuition paying students. Provision will be made for fifty free tuition students with board in private families and 25 tuition-paying students with board in private families.

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