



## Joyner Library Fact Sheet

The Collaborative Learning Center provides students with a safe, comfortable environment for individual and group study and research, with access to the latest technology and expert assistance. Seating is more than 525.

The University Writing Center is located near the Collaborative Learning Center on the first floor. Students benefit from having this integrated suite of services in one convenient location.

Research and Instructional Services assist thousands of patrons at the reference desk through individual consultations via instant messaging, e-mail, and text messaging, as well as in-person visits.

Last academic year, Joyner Library taught more than 800 classes reaching approximately 17,000 students. Instruction sessions are tailored to the specific class assignment and the student's research needs.

Circulation Department supports student learning by loaning laptops, headphones, and video cameras. It saves students valuable time by providing access to course reserve readings, both in print and online.

Research materials not available at ECU are provided free of charge from libraries and other sources worldwide. Last year, more than 5,500 requests were fulfilled from 700 institutions.

Computers are available for use on four floors of Joyner Library. More than 160 computers are available on the first floor. Plasma screens, flatbed scanners, and printers are also available.

The ECU Libraries supports student research by providing more than 2 million print volumes, 98,400 electronic journals, 946,350 electronic books, 475 online databases, and rich primary sources.

Joyner Library fosters excellence in student research and writing through award programs like the Rhem/Schwarzmann Prize, the W. Keats Sparrow English 1200 award, and the Michael F. Bassman Honors Thesis Award.

Students in the School of Art and Design exhibit their best work at Joyner Library's annual Graduate Student Art and Design Show.

The North Carolina Collection houses books, periodicals, maps, genealogies, and local history, as well as other items related to North Carolina.

The Special Collections Division regularly mounts exhibits of local and national interest, ranging from poetry to military history to politics.

Special Collections houses items such as the *East Carolina Manuscript Collection*, the *Hoover Collection on International Communism*, the *Rare Book Collection*, the *James H. Virginia*, *Schlobin Literature of the Fantastic Collection*, and the *Stuart Wright Collection*.

The Stuart Wright Literary Collection holds rare first printings, dedication and author's presentation copies, and literary papers from many of the finest American writers of the 20th century. In three installments through purchase & gift, the collection is valued at \$2.5 million.



The University Archives preserves the history of the university for future generations. The University Archives Endowment has been established to assist with processing materials such as photographs that illuminate student life, athletics, and films. Without proper processing, such treasures will become unusable.

The award winning online resource *Seeds of Change: The Daily Reflector Image Collection*, a collection in Joyner Library Digital Collections, provides access to more than 7,500 images of Greenville and Pitt County in the 1950s and 1960s.

More than 80,000 visitors from 167 countries or territories used Digital Collections last year.

The Teaching Resources Center provides a superlative Birth through Grade 12 curriculum collection that includes award-winning titles, North Carolina adopted textbooks, big books, easy books, juvenile/young adult fiction, nonfiction and audiobooks.

The Ronnie Barnes African American Resource Center is a collection of books primarily written and/or illustrated by African Americans. Additional titles housed in this center voice African American experiences.

The Betty Debnam Hunt Technology Classroom, located in the Teaching Resources Center, serves as an innovative space to enhance teaching and learning.

The Enhancing Teachers' Classroom (ETC) provides pre-service teachers and K-12 educators with resources and equipment to create educational materials that enrich lesson plans, presentations, and learning environments.

An Educator Library Card providing access to library resources is available free of charge to K-12 educators in eastern North Carolina.

Housing the largest music collection east of the Research Triangle, Joyner's Music Library serves not only the educational mission of ECU's School of Music but also the needs of music lovers, performers, and educators throughout the region.

The Music Library provides electronic access to most of the major audio-visual, score, and music reference products on the market today. The library also provides a computer/listening lab, study space, audio dubbing service, and music reference assistance.

The Janice Hardison Faulkner Gallery is a 3,700-square-foot renovated gallery and student study space in Joyner Library that can accommodate 200 people and will be used to showcase art. It features two 80-inch LCD panels for digital art, two projectors with 100-inch retractable screens and 16 ceiling speakers.

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Monday-Thursday: Open 24 Hours  
Friday: close at 9:00 p.m.  
Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.