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North Carolina Collection

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Title:	R. N. Harris Magnet Elementary School Records			
Inclusive Dates:	1990-2007			
Extent of Materials:	6 folders, 1 scrapbook box, 1 media box			
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	Videocassettes.			
	Compact discs.			
	DVDs.			
Scope and Content:	The collection contains class projects and video recordings of various school events and performances at R.N. Harris Elementary School in Durham, NC.			
Restrictions:	The collection is open for research. AV materials require reformatting for listening purposes.			
Biographical/Historical Note:	Located on Cooper Street, R. N. Harris Elementary School opened its doors in 1968 as part of the Durham City Schools system. It was named in honor of Rencher Nicholas Harris (1900-1965), a prominent black businessman in Durham. Harris was the first African-American elected to the Durham City Council in 1953, and in 1958 he also became the first African-American on the City School Board. He insisted on desegregation of the public schools and opposed a major school bond while the system was still segregated. After his death, funds from that bond built the school that was named for him. In 1995 the school became a magnet school for integrated arts and core knowledge. It was remodeled in 2003.			
Organization of Collection:	The collection is arranged in a Student Activities series and an Audiovisual Media series. AV materials are further divided by format: VHS tapes, VHS-C tapes, 8mm tapes, DV digital tapes, and optical media/CDs and DVDs. Folders are			

	media/CDs and DVDs. folders are arranged alphabetically, and audio/visual media are arranged chronologically by format.			
Container List				
	STUDENT ACTIVITIES			
Small Collections	Class of 2007 picture book	2007		
	"Kidz Kookbook"	1999-2000		
	"Kidz Kookbook"	2001		
	Student storybook "My Book about Whales"	2006		
	Student storybook "My Butterfly Book"	2006		
	Student storybook "Why Meerkats Strike Without Warning"	2006		
Box 2	Scrapbook	undated		
	AUDIOVISUAL MEDIA			
	VHS Cassettes			
Box 1	Learning to read through the arts	February 1990	VHS	
	Robeson County, Native Americans	December 9, 1995	VHS	
	Celebration of Achievement - Multiple Intelligences	April 6, 2000	VHS	
	Graduation	2002	VHS	
	RN Harris Magnet Fair	2002	VHS	
	RN Harris Magnet Fair (backup)	February 2002	VHS	
	Black history celebration	February 25, 2002	VHS	
	The Nightengale	April 11, 2002	VHS	
	Eagle News	November 26, 2002	VHS	
	Winter Performance - PTA	December 17, 2002	VHS	
	RN Harris Christmas Greetings	December 19, 2002	VHS	
	RN Harris Magnet Fair	February 8, 2003	VHS	
	Goodby Mr. Fricks, Kindergarten breakfast, 1st grade awards, 2nd grade play	June 2003	VHS	

	RN Harris Magnet Fair	2004	VHS	
	RN Harris Christmas Program	December 7, 2006	VHS	
	Learning to read through the arts workshop	undated	VHS	
	Nightengale rehearsal	undated	VHS	
	Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry	undated	VHS	
	Race to Freedom: the Underground Railroad	undated	VHS	
	VHS-C (compact) tapes			
	Nat. Amer., NCCU drama, Labor Day	September 1996, March 1997, 1997	JVC EHG VHS-C	
	Suzuki program	Winter 1997	PHG VHS-C	Part 1
	Suzuki program	Winter 1997	PHG VHS-C	Part 2
	Celebration of Achievement	January 1998	JVC EHG VHS-C	
	Math Day/May Day	April 1998	HGX- Gold 30 VHS-C	
	Violin concert, dedication to Gertrude William	December 9, 1999	JVC EHG VHS-C	
	Black History Program	February 27, 2001	JVC EHG VHS-C	
	Kindergarten circus	March 2001	JVC EHG VHS-C	
	Duke basketball, Romeo and Juliet	undated	JVC EHG VHS-C	
	K/circus, Romeo and Juliet	undated	VHS-C	
	Mc Caps	October 2	JVC EHG VHS-C	
	Ciampi Quartet, K-Native American Day	undated	Super HG VHS-C	
	8mm videocassettes			
	R N Harris Winter PTA performance, kindergarten breakfast	December 17, 2002	Maxell MP GX Metal 8mm tape	
		2003	Imation 8mm data	

	RNH play rehearsal	2000	data tape D8-112	
	Strings performance	May 23, 2003	Imation 8mm data tape D8-112	
	Informance	October 2003	Maxell XR-Metal Hi 8 tape	
	International dinner	February 6, 2004	Imation 8mm data tape D8-112	
	Winter strings	2005	RCA 8 mm tape	
	Music performance	September 23, 2005	Maxell MP GX Metal 8mm tape	
	RNH Rehearsal	2007	Sony Hi8 MP 8mm tape	
	Glass Slipper part 2	undated	TDK MP Premium 8 mm tape	
	DV digital videocassettes			
	RNH "wiz"	May 19, 2005	Maxell Mini DV digital video cassette	
	RNH graduation	June 9, 2006	Maxell Mini DV digital video cassette	
	Storytelling	March 22, 2007	Maxell Mini DV digital video cassette	
	Hillside dancers	undated	Maxell Mini DV digital video cassette	
	CDs and DVDs			
	Parker, magnet fair	2003	CD-RW	
	RN Harris fifth grade graduation video	June 3, 2003	CD-R	2 copies
	Thanksgiving dinner K (kindergarten?)	2004	CD-R	
	RN Harris school pictures	2004-2005	CD-R	

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	RN Harris graduation slideshows	2005	DVD-R	
	No title	undated	DVD-R	
	McIntosh class pictures	undated	CD-RW	

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