

THE UN-COMMON MEETING

It was 7:30 AM. One by one, students quickly filled the morning meeting place. By 8:00 the Commons Area was packed and buzzing with the sounds of morning chatter.

The Commons Area, better known as the social arena, served the student body and faculty in many capacities. Besides being a place to eat breakfast and lunch, the Commons was also the "center of student affairs." If students needed a place

to meet one another to discuss problems or to just talk between classes, the Commons Area filled the need.

"The Commons Area is a place to gossip and 'bug out,'" said senior Latosia Gibson.

The Commons Area was most famous for its use as a place to study. Several students used the time before school to do their homework or to put in some extra studying for a test.

Students utilized the Com-

mons Area the most during lunch. The most popular item, the telephone, was used by students who wanted to call that special someone or to call parents.

After school, students sat in the Commons Area talking with friends doing homework or eating snacks while waiting for their parents.

— Patrice Gerideau



Senior band members Diletha Washington and Shelissa Garrett chat during their free period. Diletha was also a member of the chorus and Shelissa, NHS vice-president.

Seniors Andrea Bishop and Jenni Kaye, while eating lunch, take time out to wave to the camera whether Catherine Alexander "likes it or not."

