

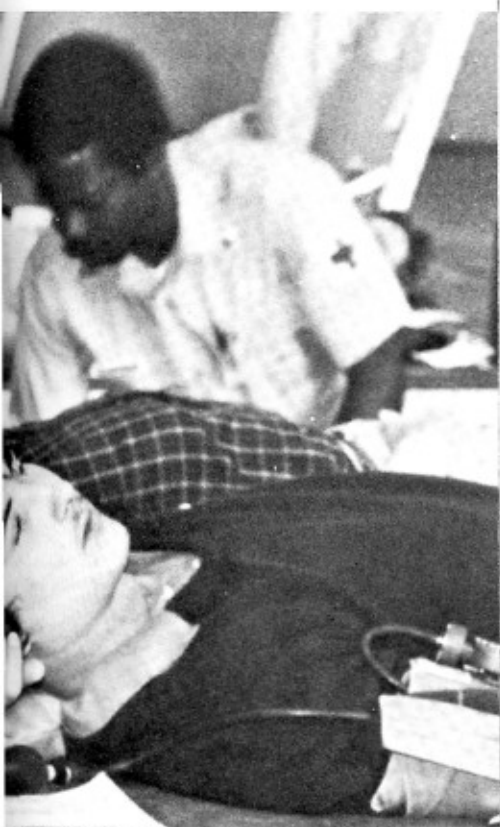
WHAT IS STUDENT COUNCIL?

Student Council is an organization, standing together and working for the student body to have their needs, wants, and demands heard. For some students, Student Council duties started this summer when eight leading officers, **Gloria Green, Tammy Thomas, Beth O'Quinn, Leisa Mole, Vonda Gilgen, David Smith, Gavin Washington, and Monique Tracy**, attended a summer workshop at Winthrop. **Gavin** explained, "The trip was very informative. We met new people, made new friends, and exchanged ideas, not to mention we learned "new games." The counselors there gave us many new ideas to get students involved, all in all it was a learning experience." **Gloria** remembers, "The trip was very exciting, informative, and most of all enjoyable. I had a chance to meet new people. The experience bes-

towed on me at Winthrop is one I will remember for the rest of my life."

With the opening of school came the hard process of electing and checking out the new homeroom representatives and alternates. Elections were also held to fill the vacancies in the senior and junior classes. Homeroom and canteen lists were then drawn up and the 1981-1982 Student Council had begun.

Student Council held its meeting twice a month on the first and third Tuesdays rotating periods. During these meetings items are placed on the agenda for the council to discuss and vote upon. These items sometimes pertain to improving the school and obtaining new things for the school, other times these items are for the benefit of the student body or pertain to helping out students.



Helping out **Mrs. McMillian**, **Leisa Mole** shows her the papers in the Student Council folders.

Teaching a class at the workshop, **David Smith**, **Lisa Bright**, and **Cathy Hickman** listen to questions.