

Focused On The Future

At the end of each year is the time when students register for classes for the next year and plan schedules. Electives played a big part in what classes students took. For the freshmen and sophomore students, parents and teachers had interviews to plan their schedules. Guidance counselors also helped the upperclassmen plan their schedules. Students had to make wise choices in selecting the twenty units required for high school graduation.

A wide variety of electives was offered. Elective classes ranged from computer science, art, typing, chorus, journalism, home economics, and forestry

to drivers education. Elective courses prepared students for future careers. Many students who took computer science and keyboarding were able to find part-time jobs with law offices and businesses. Students who took driver's education could get a fifteen percent reduction on auto insurance.

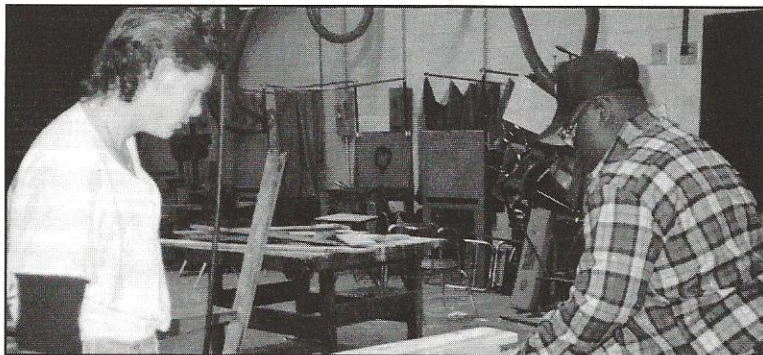
"Journalism has been a new experience for me," said sophomore Selena Taylor. "I have been able to write stories and see the final copy in newspapers and a yearbook. It is a great feeling to see the things that you have written printed on paper."

— Lauren Whetsell



"A person's knowledge of computers can take him farther in the job world."

— Mrs. Karen Farrell



Jimmy Dais demonstrates to a fellow student the proper procedure for using a table saw. Jimmy developed skills in woodworking and carpentry in Mr. Charles Aiken's class.