To Pres. Atwood

2/12/70

This is what the Emory College Faculty adopted on Monday Feb. 9.
Jack S. has since had a meeting with Dept Chmn. and is ready to talk with us about the whole matter.
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Proposal for Special Program for the Recruitment and Admission of Additional Black Students to Emory College

Students

The Admissions Office shall be instructed to recruit approximately twenty Black students from among the group of high school seniors who would not be admitted to Emory College under present criteria for admitting Black students, but who have demonstrated marked potential beyond their present level of achievement. These students shall be identified by personal interview, consultation with high school counselors and teachers, and investigation of family background. These twenty students shall be in addition to the number normally sought for the freshman class.

The Academic Program: I. Summer Orientation and Special Work

The Summer Program shall be non-credit; it shall last for nine-and-a-half weeks, coinciding with Emory's regular summer session. The students will take two special courses, one in reading and composition, one in mathematics. Classes with no more than ten students are recommended. It is recommended that four faculty members, two from the English Department and two from the Mathematics Department, teach the courses and that the teaching be compensated as half-time employment.

A student committee shall be formed to advise these special students individually and to help with their orientation.

Marvin Aarington [[Arrington]] shall be coordinator of the program and adviser to the special students.

At the end of the summer session, the work of each special
student shall be evaluated jointly by the four instructors and
the coordinator, with the advice of the student committee, and
a decision shall be reached as to whether the student may continue
into the next phase of the program.

It is recommended that the Summer Program be tuition-free
and that, if possible, any student who demonstrates need will
be granted a maximum of $100 toward expenses.

The Academic Program: II. Transitional Year

The students who have been recommended by the summer program
instructors and coordinator may enroll in Emory College and take
regular College courses.

On the recommendation of the summer program instructors
and coordinator students who participated in the program will
be allowed to carry a reduced load of not less than 10 hours
(not counting P.E.) each quarter of the first year. These
students will be granted without penalty one additional quarter
in which to advance to the next class; the Academic Policy and
Standards Committee shall establish the minimum requirements for
continuation and advancement.

Each student will be assigned to a regular College adviser,
but all students in this group will continue to consult regularly
with Mr. Aarrington [[Arrington]], who will maintain close touch with their
College advisers.

The Student Government Association and College Council will
be asked to form a student committee to seek volunteers among
the concentrants or graduate students of each College department,
these volunteers to serve as tutors for those students still
needing special help.
It is recommended that vigorous efforts be made to find funds that will enable Emory University to offer each of the students financial aid according to his needs.

Submitted to the Committee on Admissions and Scholarships by the Sub-Committee on a Program for Admission of Black Students.

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