

University of North Carolina - Asheville Site, Buncombe County

123 Karpen Hall, One University Heights, Asheville, NC

Current Programs: MA Reading Education

Appalachian State University currently delivers the programs listed above to enrolled students at Karpen Hall, the Graduate Center located on the main campus of University of North Carolina - Asheville, One University Heights, Asheville, NC. The campus is just north of the center of Asheville (directions at <http://desites.appstate.edu/ala-partner-sites/30>) and is in close proximity to I-26 and I-240 which is convenient for students. The Asheville Graduate Center was established in 1984.

The main entrance to Karpen Hall is available on the central commons area, and student parking is on the periphery road surrounding the commons area to the back of the building with 3-4 entrances/exits from the street/parking areas. (Photo below)



The UNC-A library is conveniently located diagonally across the common area from Karpen Hall.

Physical description of classrooms: The large lecture rooms in Karpen have fixed desks, but the majority of classrooms have moveable desks which can accommodate any configuration needed for a class.

The halls and classrooms are bright (well lit) and well maintained.

The agreements made with UNC-A for administrative support, technical support and library usage have been viable and fulfilled well. The staff at UNC-A are helpful and supportive.



Technology in Karpen Hall – Graduate Center

Karpen Hall 037 Computer Lab

The classroom has 20 Windows 7 student computer workstations

1 Windows 7 Instructor computer workstation capable of projecting on a screen

1 document camera capable of projecting

1 DVD/VCR unit capable of projecting

1 VGA+Audio and 1 CAT5 network connection for a laptop to connect to the projector (please bring your own cables)

Wireless access is available in all buildings on campus

Typical classroom technology (using Karpen Hall 035 Classroom as an example)

Instructor workstation with Dell Desktop, Windows 7 Professional*

DVD & VHS player*

Document Camera*

Dry Erase Board

Smart Technologies "SMARTBoard" Digital Whiteboard*

Laptop inputs (VGA for video, 1/8" mini for audio)*

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*All display components are routed through an Extron switcher w/ on board volume control, into a Smartboard compatible Epson projector.

If any instructor needs assistance w/ this classroom they are welcome to contact us: media_request@unca.edu or x6996