

# Collier adds laptops to repertoire

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Collier Library is adding laptop computers into circulation for UNA students. According to Andy Taylor, systems librarian, UNA will have 18 new laptops for checkout between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Collier Library is hoping to have the new computers into circulation by the end of next week.

Collier has had a problem with overcrowding of the computers and too big a demand to satisfy growing enrollment.

"There is a big demand for computers in the building. This is a way of providing more computers with less work space and more flexibility. Laptop computers will allow students to work individually throughout the building or in a

group setting anywhere in the building," Taylor said.

The new addition will be introduced slowly into the library. The new computers will only be allowed to be used inside the building.

Only current students and staff with a Mané Card will be allowed to check out laptops. The maximum checkout time for the laptops is three hours.

When asked about the new laptops, student Adam Gamble said, "I think it is great that the library is getting laptops. I would love to be able to walk into the library and have a computer. I always have to wait forever for a desktop because they are always full.

"I think you will see a lot more students making use of the library if laptops are available that easily."