



Reference Number: **2014.0093**  
 Collection/Series Title: **TECHNICAL TEACHERS' COLLEGE  
 STUDENT RECORD CARDS**

<b>Creator</b>	Technical Teachers' College
<b>Creator's Activity/Occupation</b>	
<b>Creator's Historical Note</b>	
<p>Previous Control Number: UA494 The Technical Teachers' College was initially established in 1951 as the Technical Teachers' Training Centre at the Radio School of the Royal Melbourne Technical College and in 1952 the first training courses for student technical teachers were held, with Alan Blackman as supervisor. Students obtained the Trained Technical Teachers' Certificate (TTTC) and - for students who had completed an apprenticeship and worked in a trade for 5 years - could complete a Trained Trade Instructors' Certificate (TTIC). In 1954, the Victorian Education Department granted the Training Centre the status of a teachers' college and the first Principal, Alan Blackman, was appointed in April 1955. In September 1957, the Technical Teachers' College moved to Glenbervie Road, Toorak and towards the end of 1966, another building in Lansell Road, Toorak was made available to the College. As the College expanded, an alternative site at 442 Auburn Road Hawthorn was purchased and the first purpose built technical teachers' college in Australia was opened in November 1970. In 1973 it became the State College of Victoria at Hawthorn. In 1982 it the State College of Victoria at Hawthorn became the Hawthorn Institute of Education, which affiliated with the University of Melbourne in 1991 and later amalgamated with it in 1996.UA494.</p>	
<b>Date Range of Collection/Series</b>	1951-1970
<b>Size/Extent</b>	5 boxes (0.85m)
<b>Access Conditions</b>	Access: Restricted

**Scope and Content of Collection/Series**

**STUDENT RECORD CARDS**

Previous Control Number: UM1175. These student cards span most of the Technical Teachers College's existence, covering as they do 1952-1970 (see UM 1176 for the years 1971-1972). Whilst this collection is small in size, comprising only 5 boxes, these records are important as they most likely exist as the only source of results for Technical Teachers' College students. Students enrolled in this programme were seeking to obtain a Trained Trade Instructor's Certificate in order to teach trade subjects such as bricklaying, carpentry and joinery, welding, plumbing, sheetmetal, motor mechanic, fitting and machining, to name but a few of the possible trades. The cards did change over time but continued to record the same types of information. The cards are 2 sided, and generally include the following details: Side 1 - Personal details for the student (names/date of birth/marital status/number of children etc.), first year of enrolment, a photo of the student, address, practice school, previous teaching, method subjects etc.; Side 2 - Qualifications and experience, e.g. results by year of study, teacher training, practical teaching, trade experience, trade courses, additional qualifications etc. In terms of broad history: In 1951, the Education Department established the Technical Teachers' Training Centre in the Melbourne Technical College; In 1954 the Education Department granted the Training Centre the status of a teachers' college; In 1973 the Technical Teachers' College, Hawthorn changed its name to State College of Victoria at Hawthorn and became one of the foundation campuses of the newly formed State College of Victoria; In January 1982 the State College of Victoria at Hawthorn changed its name to Hawthorn Institute of Education; Some time after 1997 the Hawthorn Institute of Education changed its name to Hawthorn English Language Centres.

<b>Collection Category</b>	University, official
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2014.0093 Unit 3	2014.0093.0003	Technical Teachers' College Student Record Cards: Surnames H to Mc	1952-1970
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