The Annabelle Sumera manuscript collection

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Summary Information

Repository  Eastern Michigan University Archives

Creator - Author  Sumera, Annabelle

Title  Annabelle Sumera manuscript collection

Date [inclusive]  1970-2005

Extent  0.2 Linear feet 1 halfsize archive box

Language  English

Abstract  Annabelle Sumera who died in 2005 was a 1942 graduate of Michigan State Normal School and 1964 teacher of the year. She was a longtime resident, a principal, and elementary school teacher in Birmingham, Michigan before retiring to write poetry and children's books, rhymes, and short stories. The Annabelle Sumera Book Collection range from 1970 to 2005 and contains clippings, two children's books authored by Sumera and two compilations of essays, poems and rhymes compiled and self-published by Sumera.

Preferred Citation note

Please cite materials from the University Archives in the following manner: Item. Collection Title. Eastern Michigan University Archives.
Biographical Note

Annabelle Sumera who died in 2005 was a 1942 graduate of Michigan State Normal School and 1964 teacher of the year. She was a longtime resident, a principal, and elementary school teacher in Birmingham, Michigan before retiring to write poetry and children's books, rhymes, and short stories. Sumera has donated $153,000 gift towards Early Childhood Education Programs, the Halle Library and the College of Education. With her donation, Eastern Michigan University has enhanced the Alcove and established an elementary education classroom in the John W. Porter Building.

Scope and Contents note


Arrangement note

The Annabelle Sumera manuscript collection is arranged alphabetically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Eastern Michigan University Archives 2011 November 18

Revision Description

2014 April 2
Conditions Governing Access note

Researchers are asked to request materials 24 hours prior to visiting the University Archives.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Alumni and Alumnae
- Children's literature.
- Eastern Michigan University
- Halle Library
- Michigan State Normal School
## Collection Inventory

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