

## *Adds Specially Equipped Areas* **College Library Responds to Student Study Needs**

With Bainbridge College marking its highest enrollment and ranked 19<sup>th</sup> among the top 50 fastest-growing public two-year colleges in the 2009 report by Community College Week, the BC Library responded to the increased need for study facilities.

*So pressed for space for tutoring and group study - as this photo shows - BC students started using the new areas before the walls were completed by Brownlee Glass Co.*



The addition of two new study areas Fall Semester 2009 increased the space in the Library on main campus to four specially equipped study rooms for individual and small group study and for peer tutoring.

The two additional glassed-in areas, which are between two similar rooms constructed in 2007, were completed before mid-term exams. Although not completely sound-proof, they allow students to study together without disturbing or being disturbed by other library patrons.

Library Director Susan Ralph, who had envisioned the projects, coordinated the latest addition with BC Plant Operations, Academic Affairs, and the Office of Information and Instructional Technology.