

Sample Focus Activities

Who was/is your favorite teacher and why?



What are your Views and Interests in a Teaching Career

Complete the following statements on front side of a 3x5 card:

1. A career in teaching would enable me to...
2. Teaching is an important profession because...
3. As a teacher, the community would consider me as...
4. Teaching is more than a transfer of knowledge: it is...
5. I want to be a teacher because...
6. The most important reason for becoming a teacher is...

On the back of the card list items that you would want your supervising teacher to know about you.

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Read pages 3-5 First Day of School

On a 3x5 card:

1. Put your name and school on the top of the card.
2. List and define the 4 Stages of Teaching in your own words.
3. What is the impact of an Effective Teacher?



"You do not get a second chance to make a first impression."

Read pages 51-59, First Days of School

On a 3x5 card critique what you read. Also include how this will affect your dress for the classroom this year.



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Positive Student Behavior

Read pages 69-76, 1st Days of School
On a 3x5 card list five concepts that
enhance positive expectations and one
reason why each is important.



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