

Governor's School for Prospective Teachers Application Questions

Instructions - Please consider the following questions for response. All answers should be crafted in an essay format. Each question must be answered completely and on separate pages. Use Times New Roman, 12 pt. font, and double space (For essay answers only).

1. Attach a resume outlining personal information to include experiences with children and peers, honors received, travel, hobbies, and unique interests and abilities.
2. In an essay of approximately 400 words, explain why you are interested in this Governor's School, what you expect to gain from the experience, and how you plan to use this experience to shape your academic and career choices. The essay should reflect all elements of good writing, including organization, thesis, paragraph structure, and supporting details.
3. Think of a memorable teacher you have had in the past, or currently have now. What makes them an effective teacher? Reflect and briefly discuss what makes them effective. Then, discuss in further depth why you feel you have the potential to be an effective teacher and leader, and why you are interested in teaching.

