Teacher Interview Questions

- Tell us about your skills and experience related to this position.
- Why are you interested in this position?
- What steps do you follow in designing instruction for your students?
- ♦ How do you incorporate the use of assessment data into your instructional planning process? What kind of classroom-based assessments do you use with students?
- What strategies do you use to motivate reluctant learners?
- When faced with a wide range of achievement/ability levels in your classroom, how do you meet the needs of all students?
- ◆ Describe how you would help your students meet the Washington State Essential Academic Learning (WASL) requirements?
- ♦ What are your beliefs about student discipline? Describe your approach to establishing and maintaining an orderly learning environment.
- Describe your planning process in preparing for the opening of school.
- What would your first day/class period consist of?
- Scenario: You are a teacher and encounter two students fighting. How would you handle this?
- ♦ Scenario: A teacher comes to you complaining about another staff member in the building. How do you respond?
- Scenario: A parent comes to you with concerns about your expectations for students. How do you respond?
- How do you see yourself involved in our school beyond your classroom responsibilities?
- What special talents, skills and experiences do you have that could enhance our program?
- How do you plan to involve parents in your program?
- What do you know about our school and district?
- What is the greatest challenge facing public schools today?
- List three of your greatest strengths and one or two areas you wish to improve professionally.
- At the end of your first year in this assignment, what would students, parents and staff say about your work?
- What do you see yourself doing in five years?
- Describe your skills and experience using technology.
- How would you approach the inclusion of students with special needs into your program?
- How do you plan to challenge your most capable students?
- Tell us about the latest professional reading you have done?
- Do you have any questions for us?