Gateway #2 Admission to Teacher Education
Department of History
Interview Questions

Name of Candidate _____ UID# _____

Semester /Year to Student Teach _____ Major GPA_____ Cum _____

High School Attended _____

Please provide thoughtful responses to the following questions.

1. Why do you want to be a history-social science teacher? What is the ultimate goal of a history-social science teacher?

2. Why have you chosen history-social science education as your major field of study?

3. What experiences and coursework have you done that will help you as a future teacher?

4. What are three attributes that a successful history-social science teacher should possess? What is your strongest attribute?

5. How will you teach so you can reach all students and their varying needs?

6. What types of assessments are important to implement with your students? Why? What varied assessments have you completed that will transfer to your future classroom?

8. What experiences have you had working with students outside the classroom? How might these experiences benefit your future students?

9. How will you continue to grow and develop as you work toward becoming a teacher?

10. What teachers or teaching styles have helped you to be a successful student?