SNU Teacher Candidate Characteristics

- The teacher possesses knowledge of general education coursework.
- The teacher understands diverse populations.
- The teacher understands the legal aspects in education.
- The teacher understands developmental characteristics of the learner and appropriate instructional strategies.
- The teacher integrates technology into the learning environment.
- The teacher possesses the ability to maintain positive classroom management.
- The teacher possesses the ability to provide effective assessment and evaluation of student learning.
- The teacher possesses the ability to provide effective instruction for individual differences.
- The teacher is able to design and implement effective strategies for instruction (including critical thinking and problem solving techniques).
- The teacher is able to reflect on instructional practices and experiences, based on the OK Core curriculum.
- The teacher possesses and utilizes effective written and verbal communication skills.
- The teacher possesses professionalism through: a) demeanor-collegiality, b) scholarship, c) connection to professionalism, and d) data driven decision-making.
- The teacher understands and appreciates community/home/school relationships.
- The teacher possesses the ability to make professional decisions based on Christian principles.