



BAAS ECET Application Writing Sample

BAAS ECET program administrators must evaluate each applicant's basic skills, written communication, and professional readiness prior to admission (19 TAC §227.10(a)(8)). Your response to the prompt below will be used to assess your writing skills, reflective thinking, and suitability for the teaching profession. Please write in complete sentences using appropriate grammar, structure, and tone.

APPLICANT NAME: _____

WEATHERFORD COLLEGE ID#: _____

In a well-developed essay, respond to the following prompt: *Think about a memorable learning experience. Describe the setting, the experience, what you learned and what the teacher did that made it so memorable.*

Type your response here.

Writing Sample Rubric

The rubric below is used to evaluate applicant's basic skills, written communication, and professional readiness in accordance with 19 TAC §227.10(a)(8).

Rating	Points	Descriptor
Exceeds Expectations	5	Writing is clear, well-organized, and professional. Demonstrates strong command of grammar, mechanics, and sentence structure. Essay is fully developed, reflective, and shows strong motivation and readiness for teaching.
Meets Expectations	3	Writing is generally clear and organized with few errors. Demonstrates adequate command of grammar and mechanics. Essay addresses the prompt, shows developing reflection, and conveys basic readiness for the teaching profession.
Unsatisfactory	0	Writing is unclear, incomplete, or disorganized. Frequent errors in grammar/mechanics interfere with meaning. Essay lacks reflection, does not address the prompt adequately, or fails to demonstrate readiness for the teaching profession.