University of Oklahoma Educational Administration, Curriculum and Supervision Master of Education (M.Ed) Admission Prompts

Please respond to the following prompts, approximately 2-3 paragraphs per response:

- 1. What is meant by 'vision' in the context of a learning organization (such as a school), and how might a building leader (such as a principal) nurture the development of such a vision?
- 2. Describe how a building leader might promote a positive school culture that would support an effective instructional program.
- 3. What is your view of the links between organization, operations, and resources and the success of the school as a learning organization?
- 4. Do you think that collaboration between the school community and the larger community is becoming increasingly important? Why or why not?
- 5. Discuss the importance of an educational leader's personal and/or professional code of ethics.
- 6. How critical is the need for a building level administrator to understand the political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context associated in which the educational organization operates?