**Directions**

1. Edit the Header above with your full name and PID.
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**Essay​(500 word limit)**  
Why do you want to be a teacher? Why are you interested in the Early Childhood Education program? Describe your greatest strengths and how your strengths will benefit the Early Childhood Education Profession.