**Additional Resources: Missouri Teacher Standards**

**Standard #6 Effective Communication. The teacher models effective verbal, nonverbal, and media communication techniques with students, colleagues and families to foster active inquiry, collaboration, and supportive interaction in the classroom.** [*SB 291 Section 160.045.2 (4) The teacher uses professional communication and interaction with the school community; (6) The teacher acts as a responsible professional in the overall mission of the school.]*

**Standard #9 Professional Collaboration. The teacher has effective working relationships with students, parents, school colleagues, and community members.** [*SB 291 Section 160.045.2 (4) The teacher uses professional communication and interaction with the school community; (6) The teacher acts as a responsible professional in the overall mission of the school.]*

Reference: Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (MO DESE), (2013). Teacher Standards: Missouri's educator evaluation system. Retrieved from: <http://dese.mo.gov/sites/default/files/TeacherStandards.pdf>.