

Sample Interview Questions

Being prepared for an interview whether it is your first or your twenty-first is absolutely essential. You have most likely spent a great deal of effort and time to get to this point so you don't want to mess it up now. It is probably between you and one or two other potential candidates and you only get one opportunity to impress the interviewers.

Above all, make sure you have taken the time to research the company. There is nothing wrong with asking the person who has contacted you to attend an interview if they could put aside some documents about the company for you to pick up in order to better prepare yourself. This shows sincere interest in the company in which you hope to be working for. Also, go on-line and check out the companies web site. Download the latest Annual General Report and other pertinent information.

Below are just a few of the questions you should be prepared to answer:

Tell me about yourself.

What do you consider to be some of your strengths/weaknesses?

Do you work well under pressure? Give me an example.

Why do you want to work for this company?

Why do you feel I should hire you rather than somebody else for this position?

Are you able to multi-task?

What did you like least/most about your previous job?

Are you able to work shifts? If so, what hours would you be available?

Are you able to work weekends and evenings?

How would your co-workers describe you?

Do you consider yourself to be a team player? Provide me with an example.

Where do you see yourself in five or ten years?

What is most important to you in any job that you may have?

What salary expectations do you have for this position?

What achievement are you most proud of (personal and/or professional)?