

# Questions asked by Employers

Read the questions below and formulate your answers. A good interview often determines whether or not you get hired. Remember, nothing beats proper preparation.

1. What are your long range and short range goals and objectives, when and why did you establish these goals, and how are you preparing yourself to achieve them?
2. What do you see yourself doing five years from now?
3. What do you REALLY want to do in life?
4. What are your long range career objectives?
5. How do you plan to achieve your career goals?
6. In what kind of work environment are you most comfortable?
7. What are the most important rewards you expect in your business career?
8. What do you expect to be earning in five years?
9. Why did you choose the career for which you are preparing?
10. Which is more important to you, the money or the type of job?
11. What do you consider to be your greatest strengths and weaknesses?
12. How would you describe yourself?
13. How do you think a friend or professor who knows you well would describe you?
14. What motivates you to put forth your greatest effort?
15. How has your college experience prepared you for a business career?
16. Why should I hire you?
17. What qualifications do you have that make you think that you will be successful in business.
18. Why did you decide to seek a position with this company?
19. What do you know about our company?
20. In what ways do you think you can make a contribution to our company?
21. What qualities should a successful manager possess?
22. Describe the relationship that should exist between a supervisor and subordinates.
23. How do you work under pressure?
24. What two or three accomplishments have given you the most satisfaction?
25. If you were hiring a graduate for this position, what qualities would you look for?
26. Why did you select your college or university?

27. What led you to choose your field of major study?
28. What college subjects did you like best? Why?
29. What college subjects did you like least? Why?
30. Do you have plans for continued study? An advanced degree?
31. How would you describe the ideal job for you following graduation?
32. What two or three things are most important to you in your job?