

**Questions an employer might ask...** practice your answers!

- Tell me about yourself
- Why are you interested in this position?
- What skills/abilities/qualifications do you have for this job?
- What jobs have you done and what did you learn from them?
- What do you know about our company and the nature of this job?
- Why do you want to work for us?
- Why did you leave your last job?
- What qualifications and experience do you have that makes you feel you could do this job successfully?
- What are your strengths? Name three.
- What are your long term employment plans?
- Do you prefer working alone or as part of a team?
- Describe your ideal boss.
- How do you spend your spare time?
- What courses do you like most?
- What are your least favourite subjects?
- What motivates you?
- What qualities do you admire most in a person?
- What would you do in a conflict situation?
- Have you done any volunteer work?
- What are your weaknesses?
- What is your greatest accomplishment, either at work or personally?
- What makes you think you would be good for this job?
- Why should I hire you over the other candidates?
- Why are you seeking other employment?
- Where do you see yourself in five years?
- What has been your most meaningful educational experience?
- Have you had any work experience that prepares you for this position?
- Describe yourself as an employee.
- Are you available for shift work?
- Are you willing to work overtime if necessary?
- Do you have any questions for me, the employer?