

Sophomore Idioms

(Write the meanings in English)

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1. gofer
2. get off my back
3. hang a left/right
4. nada
5. trike
6. meltdown
7. bogus
8. school(verb)
9. damage
10. B-ball
11. bugger off(#1)(British)
12. pokey(#1)
13. up to speed
14. pooped
15. que pasa
16. N-word
17. swipe(#2)
18. The Big Apple/Bean Town/City of Brotherly Love

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(11)

20

(4)

Learn important vocabulary to use in an interview.

VOCABULARY FOR INTERVIEWS

Use your dictionary! Circle the correct word.

1. When a company wants to *hire* you they want to _____ you.
 - a. move
 - b. raise
 - c. employ

2. A *job offer* is _____.
 - a. a refusal
 - b. an acceptance
 - c. an invitation to join the company

3. A *raise* is _____.
 - a. an increase in salary
 - b. a beginning salary
 - c. a new job

4. A *transfer* is _____.
 - a. transportation
 - b. a move to a different location
 - c. a position

5. When you *advance* with the company you _____.
 - a. find a job
 - b. accept the job
 - c. make progress

6. When you work *overtime* you _____.
 - a. are hired
 - b. work more hours
 - c. are lazy

7. The *good things* about your job are the _____.
 - a. advantages
 - b. personnel
 - c. permanent

8. When there are *many people who want one job*, we say that there is a lot of _____ for that job.
 - a. company
 - b. competition
 - c. disadvantages

9. The _____ are the *things you have to do on the job*.
 - a. training
 - b. accepts
 - c. responsibilities

10. If the job is interesting, there is a lot to learn, and it is not too easy, it is a(n) _____ job.
 - a. impossible
 - b. challenging
 - c. clever

Go over new vocabulary and pronunciation. Spend as much time as needed doing the items orally before assigning as independent work.

Learn what and what not to do during an interview.

INTERVIEW TIPS

A. Before, During and After the Interview



B.

Find the sentence that goes with the picture. Write the letter in the box on the picture.

- A. Shake hands if the interviewer offers his/her hand.
- B. Bring a resume if they ask for one.
- C. Write down the questions you want to ask the interviewer.
- D. Arrive on time!
- E. Ask for clear directions on how to get to the interview. Write them down.
- F. Be honest and sincere.
- G. Don't chew gum or smoke during the interview.
- H. Follow up the interview with a call or letter to show interest.
- I. Learn the name of your interviewer and remember it!
- J. Thank the interviewer for his/her time and consideration.
- K. Look at the interviewer when you talk to him/her.
- L. Dress neatly!

Job Interview (Call Me)

Choose a Job and then answer these questions

1. Why are you applying for this job?
2. Do you have any job experience?
3. Describe yourself.
4. What are your strengths/weaknesses?
5. What's been the biggest challenge of your life?
How have you dealt with it?
6. Complete this sentence:
A good (job) teacher should be -----