

INTERVIEW QUESTION IDEAS

QUESTIONS ABOUT THEIR SCHOOL DAYS

What subjects did you enjoy at school and why?

What did you do after school and how did that help you in your career?

Thinking back to your days at school, did any of your teachers inspire you and if so why?

What are the differences between school now and when you were a student?

If you could go back and change one thing about yourself when you were at school, what would it be and why?

QUESTIONS ABOUT THEIR CAREERS

What made you get involved in your current job?

For anyone interested in doing this type of work can you recommend how they might be able to go about it?

What are the hardest things in your job?

What do you enjoy the most?

Did you always want to do this?

What do you think brings job satisfaction?

Do you get to meet the actors and actresses who perform there?

Asked to the Director of the Tyne Theatre

Have you ever suffered from stage fright and if so, how do you overcome it?

Asked to comedian Chris Ramsey on stage at the Theatre Royal by a young carer

How can religion appeal to young people?

Asked of the Bishop of Durham by a teen mother

How can relationships between the police and young people be improved?

Asked of a sergeant in the Northumbria Police by a youth offender

What does the job of a governor entail?

Asked of a school governor by a primary school student

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QUESTIONS ABOUT SPECIFIC EVENTS

How valuable was that experience?

Was it something you had planned on doing?

What did you learn about how Chinese schools work compared to English schools?

Asked of a Head Teacher who had been on an exchange to China by a primary school student

Was the building of the new Morrisons in Blaydon welcomed by all the community, or did you face some problems from people?

Asked of a local councillor by a secondary school student

How important is it for you to offer lots of things to do for kids?

Asked of the NT Gibside Estate Manager by a primary school student

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS

Who inspires you?

What do you like to do when you are not working?

If you could change careers, what would you like to do?

What has been the hardest lesson you have learned?

If you had to offer one piece of advice to your 13 year old self, what would it be and why?