

Interview skit: Sales clerk hopeful at Hollister

Employer: Tell me about yourself.

Interviewee: I am a student at Southwest High School. I play basketball and baseball. I am a member of Future Business Leaders of America, treasurer of the French Club, and class vice president. I am an honors student and have had perfect attendance for the last two years.

Employer: Why is this the job for you?

Interviewee: I love interacting with people and I am a huge fan of your line of clothes. I am also a quick learner and I am always prompt.

Employer: What is your background in this field?

Interviewee: Because this would be my first job, I have no background in this field. However, I have learned valuable leadership skills from my membership in Future Business Leaders of America. I am also a strong math student, and I possess great communication skills.

Employer: Why should we choose you? What are your qualifications?

Interviewee: You should choose me because I will work harder than any of your other employees during every shift. My qualifications include but are not limited to good communication skills, interpersonal skills, and mathematics ability.

Employer: Do you have any references? What do you think your references will say about you?

Interviewee: I do have references. They are my pastor, my assistant principal, and my English teacher. Each of them will say that I am a hard worker with good communication and people skills. I always get the job done on time.

Employer: What are your salary requirements?

Interviewee: Because gas prices are so high, I would need at least \$8.00 an hour.

Employer: Do you have any questions for us?

Interviewee: How soon should I expect to hear from you?