7+ Interview Practice

Remember
Don't mumble. Be clear and look people in the eye. Give full answers - people are asking you a question because they want to know your thoughts and ideas. Smile and relax!

Common Interview Questions

Family

- Tell Me about your family.
- Do you have any siblings?
- Who is your favourite family member, why?
- What do you enjoy doing with your family?
- If you could do anything with your family, what would it be and why ?
- What did you do at the weekend with your family?
- Do you share any hobbies with other members of your family?

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You

- How would your friends describe you ?
- What is your favourite thing to do at the weekend?
- What are your ambitions?
- Which book are you reading, do you enjoy reading?
- Would you rather …….. or …….. - can you think on the spot and make a decision.
- What is your favourite book/author and why?
- What is your favourite food / place / game etc?

School

- What is your favourite subject and why?
- Who is your favourite teacher and why?
- Which subjects/teachers do you not like and why?
- If you could change one thing about school, what would it be?
- If you were the Headmaster for a day, what would you do ?
- How do you spend your playtimes at school?
- Who are your friends, why are they your friends?
- What would you do if someone was copying your work at school?
- What would you do if you say someone fell over at school?
- Do you attend any school clubs, which and why?
- Do you enjoy school?
- What is the best thing/worst thing about school?

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Hobbies / Interests

- How do you spend your time outside of school ?
- Do you have friends at other clubs?
- How do you choose which clubs you go to?
- Do you like trying new things?

The World

- Do you have a favourite place outside of London?
- Do you enjoy exploring / finding out about other places?
- Do you read / watch the news?
- Is there anything exciting/sad happening outside of the UK at the moment which you are aware of?
- What do you think about …….. linked to current news.
  Also check if interview days are near national days of interest - St Georges Day etc.

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