B2 Exam

Lecture Part

Lecture Questions

(Each question is 1 point)

Answer the questions below based on your notes.

6. According to the lecture, what is the purpose of a traditional interview? What is one example of
traditional interview question in the lecture?
7. What do employers want to learn about you in a behavioral interview? What is one example of
behavioral interview question in the lecture?
8. According to the lecture, what are TWO possible questions in the warm up stage of an interview?
9. What are TWO things that the lecturer suggests to do in the information exchange part of an
interview?
10. What does the lecturer tell us NOT to do in the information exchange part of an interview? Why?

ANSWER KEY-SAMPLE PROFICIENCY TEST

LECTURE PART

6. According to the lecture, what is the purpose of a traditional interview? each question 0.5 pt / overall 1 pt

Possible answers (The student needs to write one of the answers below) (0.5)

- to get factual information (from a candidate/person)
- evaluate how well candidates/people fit the job description

What is one example of traditional interview question in the lecture?

Possible answers (The student needs to write one of the answers below) (0.5)

- Why did you choose your degree subject?
- Do you have any weaknesses?
- What are your weaknesses?
- Why are you interested in this position?

7. What do employers want to learn about you in a behavioral interview?

each question 0.5 pt / overall 1 pt

• they want to learn about your skills. (0.5 pt)

What is one example of behavioral interview question in the lecture?

Possible answers (The student needs to write one of the answers below) (0.5)

- Can you tell me about a time when you worked in a team?
- Could you give me an example of a time you had a challenge?
- Could you tell me how you dealt with a challenge?

8. According to the lecture, what are TWO possible questions in the warm up stage of an interview?

The student needs to write TWO of the answers below. (each 0,5 pt, overall 1 pt)

- questions about your interests / What are your interests?
- questions about where you live / Where do you live?
- questions about your journey to the interview / How was your journey here?
- 'Tell me about yourself'

9. What are TWO things that the lecturer suggests to do in the information exchange part of an interview?

The student needs TWO of the answers below: (each 0,5 pt, overall 1 pt)

- Show enthusiasm in your responses to the employers' questions
- Think about your tone of voice and body language
- Look at the interviewer in the eye
- Sit up straight
- Control nervous habits
- Smile when you enter the room

• If you are unsure how to respond to a question, ask the questioner to repeat it

10. each question 0.5 pt / overall 1 pt

What does the lecturer tell us NOT to do in the information exchange part of an interview?

Possible answers (The student needs to write one of the answers below) (0.5)

- Never criticize a former employer or organization.
- Do not comment negatively on other companies.

Why?

Possible answers (The student needs to write one of the answers below) (0.5)

- Employers do not want excuses or bad feelings (about a negative experience.)
- Employers want people with a positive attitude.
- Employers don't want people with a negative attitude.2: LECTURE