

Competency Based Questions (TLG-INT-2)

Listed below are various competency based question examples. Use the CAR technique to answer some of them. Before verbally answering them, first right down your answer, it's a great way of learning and remembering your responses.

Responsibility

Q. When have you taken responsibility for a difficult task at work?

Problem Solving

Q. Describe a time when you solved a difficult problem at work?

Decision Making / Assertiveness

Q. When did you make a difficult decision within a team that most people were against?

Adaptability

Q. Can you give an example of when you have supported change within an organisation?

Customer Service

Q: Describe a time when you had to deal with an angry customer? What did you do and how did you resolve the situation?

Communication

- Q. Describe a time when you used your communication skills to get across an important point of view?
- Q. Describe a time when you had to present an idea to a group of people?

Decision Making

- Q. What is the toughest decision you have ever had to make whilst at work? Why did you make the decision and what was the outcome?
- Q. When have you made a mistake at work?

Interpersonal Skills

Q. Describe a situation when you had to work with someone who you didn't get along with.

Teamwork

- **Q.** Describe a time when you helped a new member of a team to integrate into the workplace.
- **Q.** Describe a difficult and time-sensitive task you achieved whilst working as part of a team? What role did you play in ensuring the team task was a success?

Leadership

- **Q.** Describe a situation you were in when you motivated a difficult member of a team?
- **Q.** Describe a time when you managed an under-performing member of staff?
- **Q.** Tell me about a project you led from beginning to end. How did you plan for the project to be a success and how did you monitor progress?