LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After completing the program, the student should have a better understanding of the job interview process: why a job interview is important, what happens during a job interview, how to succeed at a job interview, and the post interview process.

DISCUSSION TOPICS/QUESTIONS

1. How can you prepare for the interview ahead of time?

2. What should you wear to the interview?

3. What materials should you bring with you?

4. Selling yourself in the interview; your strengths, experiences...

5. What really happens during a job interview?

6. Why is it important to listen carefully to the interviewer and the questions that he or she asks?

7. Follow the cues of the interviewer.

8. What type of questions should you ask during or at the end of the interview?

9. What are some don'ts of the job interview?

10. What should be done immediately after the interview: write a thank you letter, make a follow-up phone call, give yourself a grade, be optimistic.

INTENDED AUDIENCE

This program is designed for use with a general school audience, grades 7 - 12.

PRESENTING THE PROGRAM

To prepare a lesson plan for the presentation of each program, review the suggested outline below:

1. Before students view the program: Collect as many recommended books as possible to help generate class interest and participation. Preview each program and become familiar with the concepts that are presented in it.

2. Students view the program: The first viewing, if possible should be uninterrupted.

3. After the first viewing: Elicit discussion of what the students have seen and heard. The next viewing will be enriched by this general discussion.

4. Second viewing: The program may be viewed again, this time with attention to detail. The teacher should feel free to stop and question students regarding: a. what is happening in a visual; b. major concepts.

5. Post activities and discussion: Discussion questions for this program may be used to stimulate further interest, reinforce concepts and evaluate student comprehension.

11. Always be professional.

12. Make a good impression.

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INTRODUCTION

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