

Report on Session # 1 with Divya

CANDIDATE PROFILE

The interview is with a girl named Divya, aged 13. She is studying in 9th standard in the Tuna Government Primary School. She has done well in maths and is also interested in embroidery. She has taken part in several dance programs at school.;

Interviewer: Hello Divya! It's wonderful to meet you. I see you are good at maths and enjoy embroidery and dance—those are great talents!

Question 1: Can you tell me which subjects you like the most at school and why?

Candidate: I love maths. I also like science but not as much as I like maths

Interviewer: It is great that you enjoy maths very much and also like science to some extent. Your interest in maths shows strong analytical skills. Your English is clear and easy to understand; just a small suggestion: instead of 'not as much as I like maths', you can say 'but I like it less than maths'. Keep up the good work!

Question 2: Besides embroidery and dance, do you enjoy working with your hands or making things by yourself, like crafts or building models?

Candidate: No, I am not very interested in making models. I am not very good at cutting and pasting.

Interviewer: You have a clear strength in analytical subjects like maths and science, and your interest in embroidery and dance shows creative talent as well. It's perfectly okay if you don't enjoy making models or crafts that require cutting and pasting. Your English is very good and clear. Keep expressing yourself like this!

Question 3: Do you enjoy working on problems that need careful thinking and finding solutions, like puzzles or logical challenges?

Candidate: Yes I do. I try to solve Sudoku puzzles on my dad's mobile phone everyday

Interviewer: It is wonderful that you enjoy solving Sudoku puzzles daily; this shows strong logical thinking and patience, which are valuable skills. Your English is clear and easy to understand. If you want, practicing explaining your thought process in English can help improve your communication skills even more.

Question 4: Do you prefer working alone on problems, like Sudoku, or do you enjoy solving problems together with friends or classmates?

Candidate: I like to work alone. It is very difficult to explain to someone else why 2 should come in a square!

Interviewer: You have a strong ability to focus and enjoy solving problems independently, which is a valuable skill in many careers. Your explanation about Sudoku shows good logical thinking. Just a small suggestion: instead of saying 'why 2 should come in a square,' you could say 'why the number 2 should be placed in a particular square.' This makes your explanation a bit clearer. Keep practicing your communication skills as they will help you express your ideas more easily in the future.

Question 5: Can you tell me about the subjects or topics in school that you find difficult or do not enjoy? This will help me understand your academic strengths and weaknesses better.

Candidate: I do not like history, I find it difficult to remember dates.

Final Assessment

Session Summary

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Overall Evaluation

Strongest Qualities

Strong analytical and logical thinking skills, patience, creativity, and ability to focus deeply on problems independently.

Interests and Abilities

Enjoys mathematics, science, Sudoku solving, embroidery, and dance; prefers solitary work and careful thinking; developing communication abilities.

Areas for Further Exploration

Leadership and teamwork preferences, family expectations, motivation behind career aspirations, and deeper understanding of communication skill goals.

Potential Career Paths

Fields such as data analysis, software development, scientific research, engineering, or design-focused roles that combine creativity and logic seem suitable due to the student's analytical strength, patience, and creative interests.

Additional Information Required

More clarity on the student's willingness to work in teams or lead, family support for various career choices, and specific career goals or aspirations to tailor recommendations better.

Encouragement

Keep exploring different careers and learning new skills, especially focusing on communication and teamwork, which will open many opportunities. Your analytical mind and creativity are great assets—nurture them with patience and curiosity.