Résumés, Portfolios and Interview Skills Quiz (Key)

Fill in the blanks with the correct terms for the definitions.

1. A brief history of a person's education, work experience and other qualifications.

_____ Résumé

2. A document sent with your resume to provide additional information on your skills and experience.

_____ Cover letter

3. A formal meeting between two or more people.

Interview

4. A list of the sections of a book or document organized in the order in which the sections appear.

Table of contents

5. A one sentence explanation of the type of job you are seeking. It should be fairly specific. If you are uncertain about specific positions available, note your areas of interest.

_____ Objective

- 6. A permit from an authority to do a particular thing or carry on a trade. Licenses and/or certificates
- 7. A prize or other mark of recognition given in honor of an achievement.

_____ Awards

8. An inventory of the courses taken and grades earned of a student throughout a course.

_____ Transcripts

9. Schools attended. Be sure to specify dates of attendance. You may also list classes that might contribute to your employability.

_____ Education

10. Consists of a positive attitude toward yourself and others.

_____ Friendliness

11. Documentation of community service/volunteer hours.

_____ Service Learning/Volunteer Log

12. Examples of your best work specifically related to the job you seek.

_____ Portfolio

13. General skills required for success in the labor market at all employment levels and for all sectors.

_____ Employability skills

14. Include awards, certifications and achievements.

_____ Honors

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15. Includes previous employers, dates of employment and your job title. Be sure to include duties performed and responsibilities.

_____ Experience

16. Includes cooperation, the ability to work with others and commitment to a team and its members.

Teamwork

17. Includes your formal name (not nickname) and personal information such as address, phone number and email address.

_____ Heading

18. It is a paid position of regular employment.

_____ Job

19. List any special activities, clubs, organization or service learning you have participated in. Include dates of participation.

_____ Activities

20. Make sure to ask permission before you include anyone. Two or three are usually sufficient.

_____ References

- 21. The ability to make changes to match new situations.
- 22. The assessment and review of a worker's job performance.

_____ Employment evaluations

23. The inner urge to achieve your goals.

_____ Self-motivation

24. The object of a person's ambition or effort; an aim or desired result.

_____ Goals and plans for the future

25. The writer assesses the qualities, characteristics and capabilities of the person being recommended in terms of that individual's ability to perform a particular task or function.

_____ Letters of recommendation

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Word Bank

Activities	Adaptability	Awards	Cover letter	Education
Employability skills	Employment evaluations	Experience	Friendliness	Goals and plans for the future
Heading	Honors	Interview	Job	Letters of recommendation
Licenses and/or certificates	Objective	Portfolio	References	Résumé
Self-motivation	Service learning/volunteer log	Table of contents	Teamwork	Transcripts