# HCS Interview Questions And Answers Guide.



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## **HCS Job Interview Preparation Guide.**

#### Question # 1

Who has been an inspiration for you?

#### Answer:-

Cite your role models (possible examples could be your parents, people successful in the industry, world leaders, etc)

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#### Question # 2

What relevant work experience do you have in this career field In HCS?

#### Answer:-

Talk about specific work related experience for the position you're interviewing for. Make sure the experience is relevant. Don't talk about previous experience that is not related to the position in question. If you don't have specific career related experience speak about prior experience that has helped you develop the specific knowledge and skills required for the position you are applying for.

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## Question # 3

How do you propose to compensate for your lack of experience?

## Answer:-

The first thing you should do is discuss experience you have the interviewer is unfamiliar with. Once that is detailed, tell the person conducting the interview that you are able to learn new tasks and information in a reasonable period of time and possess a strong work ethic. However, only state this if you can live up to these expectations.

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## Question # 4

Name five characteristics that describe you?

#### Answer:-

Here are a few you could choose from: Hard working, strong willed, persistent, intelligent, adept, amicable, friendly, collaborative, eager, humble. Read More Answers.

## Question # 5

What do you ultimately want to become?

#### Answer:-

Do you want to be an entry level worker In HCS? Do you want to be a leader? Do you want to be an entrepreneur? Do you want to be a philanthropist? Do you want to be in middle management? Ask yourself these questions to figure it out.

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## Question # 6

Tell us something about yourself?

## Answer:-

Bad Answer: Candidates who ramble on about themselves without regard for information that will actually help the interviewer make a decision, or candidates who actually provide information showing they are unfit for the job.

Good answer: An answer that gives the interviewer a glimpse of the candidate's personality, without veering away from providing information that relates to the job. Answers should be positive, and not generic.

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#### Question #7



Describe some problems you encountered in your most recent position In HCS and how you resolved them?

#### Answer:-

Discuss your work experiences. The key is to show you're calm under pressure and can handle sensitive situations with a clear train of thought. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 8

When were you most satisfied in your job In HCS?

#### Answer:-

I'm a people person. I was always happiest and most satisfied when I was interacting with community residents, making sure I was able to meet their needs and giving them the best possible comfort in a tough situation. It was my favorite part of the job, and it showed. Part of the reason I'm interested in this job is that I know I'd have even more interaction with the public, on an even more critical level.

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## Question # 9

If you could do it all over again, how would you plan your academic studies differently?

#### Answer:-

Whatever you do, just don't act bitter. A lot of times we wish we could change the past, but focus on the positive reasons and results of the decisions you already made.

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#### Question # 10

Are you willing to work overtime or odd hours?

#### Answer:-

Be completely honest. You don't want to lie to get the job if you're not going to work the hours required.

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## Question # 11

In your last job what kinds of pressure did you encounter and how did you react In HCS?

#### Answer:-

Do not show your fear or uneasiness in handling pressure. Everyone likes to have a worker who can handle pressure calmly and with a clear train of thought. Show how you would logically come to a conclusion in a pressure filled situation.

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## Question # 12

Basic 15 Interview Questions that Test Communication Skills In HCS:

#### Answer:-

For most jobs, communication skills In HCS are important. It's hard to work as a team if people aren't communicating well.

- At some jobs, like customer service or sales, communication skills are an absolute essential.
- These questions are meant to help gauge a candidate's ability to communicate.
- 1. How do you prefer to build rapport with others?
- 2. How would you go about simplifying a complex issue in order to explain it to a client or colleague?
- 3. How would you go about persuading someone to see things your way at work?4. How would you go about explaining a complex idea/problem to a client who was already frustrated?
- 5. What would you do if you there was a breakdown in communication at work?
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- 6. Talk about a successful presentation you gave and why you think it did well.7. How would you explain a complicated technical problem to a colleague with less technical understanding?
- 8. Do you prefer written or verbal communication In HCS?
- 9. Describe a time when you had to be careful talking about sensitive information. How did you do it?
- 10. What would you do if you misunderstood an important communication on the job?
- 11. Talk about a time when you made a point that you knew your colleagues would be resistant to.
- 12. Is it more important to be a good listener or a good communicator In HCS?
- 13. Tell me about a time you had to relay bad news to a client or colleague.
- 14. Rate your communication skills on a scale of 1 to 10. Give examples of experiences that demonstrate the rating is accurate.
- 15. How have you handled working under someone you felt was not good at communicating?

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## Question #13

How do you think you might fit this position In HCS?

## Answer:-

An important part of research before the interview is what the company does and how the job role relates to that. This includes the company philosophy and working methods. Questions such as this seek to find out how a candidate will fit into the organisation In HCS. Answer positively; including practical examples of how you anticipate you would perform in the new role.

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#### Question #14

Do you have any blind spots?



This question is often meant to trick candidates since acknowledgment of blind spots would indicate they were aware of them. Also, do not disclose bad habits or other personal concerns. Let the interviewer find out about your personal flaws through the course of the interview without directly stating these flaws. Read More Answers.

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## Question #15

How did you hear about the position In HCS?

#### Answer:-

Another seemingly innocuous interview question, this is actually a perfect opportunity to stand out and show your passion for and connection to the company and for job In HCS. For example, if you found out about the gig through a friend or professional contact, name drop that person, then share why you were so excited about it. If you discovered the company through an event or article, share that. Even if you found the listing through a random job board, share what, specifically, caught your eve about the role.

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#### Question # 16

How do you measure success?

#### Answer:-

There may be several good answers. Some include: you're able to set realistic, yet aggressive goals that push you and you're able to achieve them, you go the extra mile on all projects, client satisfaction is high, your boss is elated at your performance on all projects, etc.

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#### Question # 17

What do you like to do for fun?

#### Answer:-

Be open to sharing hobbies and activities that you enjoy. Make sure you're genuine about it and don't list off things you don't really like because if they ask you a follow up question it'll be harder for you to answer.

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#### Question # 18

What type of people do you not work well with?

#### Answer:-

Be very careful answering this question as most organization employ professionals with an array of personalities and characteristics. You don't want to give the impression that you're going to have problems working with anyone currently employed at the organization. If you through out anything trivial you're going to look like a whiner. Only disloyalty to the organization or lawbreaking should be on your list of personal characteristics of people you can't work with.

#### Question # 19

Why are you leaving last job?

#### Answer:-

Although this would seem like a simple question, it can easily become tricky. You shouldn't mention salary being a factor at this point In HCS. If you're currently employed, your response can focus on developing and expanding your career and even yourself. If you're current employer is downsizing, remain positive and brief. If your employer fired you, prepare a solid reason. Under no circumstance should you discuss any drama or negativity, always remain positive.

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#### Question # 20

The change in the business industry now requires you to have a new set of skills you have to learn, how do you react to that?

#### Answer:-

First, find out which skills are the ones that you're currently lacking. Then identify what the steps would be to acquire/build those skills. Then take action to do so. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 21

What do you consider to be your greatest achievement so far and why?

#### Answer:-

Be proud of your achievement, discuss the results, and explain why you feel most proud of this one. Was it the extra work? Was it the leadership you exhibited? Was it the impact it had?

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## Question # 22

Why are manhole covers round?

#### Answer:-

This is a classic brainteaser, which was reportedly first asked by a Microsoft interviewer. Here's how to ""solve"" this brainteaser (remember to speak and reason out loud while solving this brainteaser): Why are manhole covers round? Could there be a structural reason? Why aren't manhole covers square? It would make it harder to fit with a cover. You'd have to rotate it exactly the right way.

The pipes below are also round, so fitting them might be easier, as might be making them. So many manhole covers are round because they don't need to be rotated.



There are no corners to deal with. Also, a round manhole cover won't fall into a hole because it was rotated the wrong way, so it's safer. Looking at this, it seems corners are a problem. You can't cut yourself on a round manhole cover. And because it's round, it can be more easily transported. One person can roll it. Read More Answers.

## Question # 23

What are your thoughts on social media for this role?

#### Answer:-

Without a doubt, social media is becoming more and more pervasive in our jobs. You should stress that social media is not appropriate for personal use at work. However, if the company embraces social media in certain departments (for example marketing), then you may want to discuss how you could use it for work (as long as it applies to your role).

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#### Question # 24

Who was your favorite manager and why?

#### Answer:-

Describe the attributes you liked about your favorite manager, typically attributes discussed are: Great at coaching, inspiring, motivating, empowering, trusting, delegating, leading, etc.

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#### Question # 25

How do you handle conflicts with people you supervise?

#### Answer:-

At first place, you try to avoid conflicts if you can. But once it happens and there's no way to avoid it, you try to understand the point of view of the other person and find the solution good for everyone. But you always keep the authority of your position.

## Question # 26

Why were you fired?

### Answer:-

OK, if you get the admittedly much tougher follow-up question as to why you were let go (and the truth isn't exactly pretty), your best bet is to be honest (the job-seeking world is small, after all). But it doesn't have to be a deal-breaker. Share how you've grown and how you approach your job and life now as a result. If you can position the learning experience as an advantage for this next job, even better.

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## Question # 27

What is it about this position In HCS that attracts you the most?

#### Answer:-

Use your knowledge of the job description to demonstrate how you are a suitable match for the role. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 28

What type of personalities do you work best with and why?

#### Answer:-

Think of which personalities you work best with (do you like outgoing, collaborative, personable working relationships and so forth?) Read More Answers.

#### Question # 29

What other jobs are you applying for In HCS?

## Answer:-

If you're applying with other similar companies in a similar or the same industry, it's actually okay to state that as it shows you're valued and wanted. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 30

How do you imagine a typical day of an employee in our company In HCS?

#### Answer:-

Just do not say that you imagine to only walk and watch what people do. Rather try to show them your attention to details and proactive attitude to job. Mention that you would try to observe the problems, weaknesses as well as opportunities to improve the results and take measures according to it. Read More Answers.

## Question # 31

How would you impact the company?

#### Answer:-



Consider first the role that you're applying for and then think of 3 ways where you could potentially impact the company's bottom line and top line. Then consider how you impact the company in a creative manner (how do you help productivity, the development of new products, marketing etc - of course this part is specific to the role you're applying for)

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#### Question # 32

What does success mean to you?

## Answer:-

I am punctual, I always have excellent attendance on any job In HCS, I have a keen eye for both large and small details, and I am always finding ways to improve a process and shorten the length of time it takes to complete a project.

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#### Question # 33

What is your greatest strength? How does it help you In HCS?

#### Answer:-

One of my greatest strengths, and that I am a diligent worker... I care about the work getting done.. I am always willing to help others in the team. Being patient helps me not jump to conclusions... Patience helps me stay calm when I have to work under pressure.. Being a diligent worker.. It ensures that the team has the same goals in accomplishing certain things.

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#### Question # 34

What are your presentation skills like In HCS?

#### Answer:-

Make sure you share a story that demonstrates your presentation skills in front of many people. If you are really brave, offer to give a snippet of that presentation to the interviewer. This will definitely be different from what most people do.

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## Question # 35

What is the most important lesson / skill you've learned from school?

#### Answer:-

Think of lessons learned in extra curricular activities, in clubs, in classes that had a profound impact on your personal development. For example, I had to lead a team of 5 people on a school project and learned to get people with drastically different personalities to work together as a team to achieve our objective.

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Question # 36

How do you take "No" for an answer?

## Answer:-

You want to be persistent enough to understand why someone is saying no so that you could potentially convince them otherwise with a sound reason. However, if they are still saying "no" to you, then you need to humbly accept their position and move on.

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## Question # 37

What are your personal skills which make you a candidate for the position In HCS?

#### Answer:-

The list of crucial character traits includes patience, tact, and poise, with personal and cultural sensitivity. One needs the ability to work long hours, with much walking and some physical tasks. But the most important trait of all is to love people and to have the desire to care for them. Read More Answers.

## Question # 38

How do you prioritize your work initiatives In HCS?

## Answer:-

Discuss how you prioritize your work initiatives based on the company initiatives. For example, if you're in customer service discuss how you're focused on providing the best customer experience.

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## Question # 39

What are you most proud of?

## Answer:-

You should be proud of all your achievements In HCS! We just don't have time to hear them all as interviewers most likely. Focus on 1 really good achievement that showcases characteristics like the following: Integrity, competitiveness, resourcefulness, intelligence, persistence, and so forth.

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#### Question # 40



How do you handle repetitive tasks?

## Answer:-

Some people enjoy it, others don't. Which are you? If you don't like it, can you at least do it well? And if you don't like it, be ready to explain why in a positive way (i.e. your potential is to do much more than simply be repetitive) Read More Answers.

## Question # 41

What's been your biggest success to date?

#### Answer:-

Talk about a story / experience about how you achieved success and be sure to share details on the results and outcome. Have it highlight a strong characteristic such as leadership, work ethic and so forth. Read More Answers.

## Question # 42

What do you feel you deserve to be paid?

#### Answer:-

Do your research before answering this question - first, consider what the market average is for this job. You can find that by searching on Google (title followed by salary) and globalguideline.com and other websites. Then, consider this - based on your work experience and previous results, are you above average, if yes, by what % increase from your pay today from your perspective? Also - make sure if you aim high you can back it up with facts and your previous results so that you can make a strong case.

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## Question # 43

What problems have you encountered at work?

#### Answer:-

Wow, do we have problems! Where do I begin? Well, most of the problems are internal, just people not working well with each other. I have one person on our team who is a real problem, but it seems like management is afraid to do anything about it. So we all end up having to do extra work to cover for this person, who just doesn't work. We all say that he's retired in place. I think he's just holding on until retirement in a couple years. But he's a real problem. I complain about it--a lot--but nothing ever seems to get done. I've even written negative reviews about the person, hoping he will get canned, but it doesn't happen. I can't wait for him to retire.

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## Question # 44

Why do you want to work In HCS for this organisation?

#### Answer:-

Being unfamiliar with the organisation will spoil your chances with 75% of interviewers, according to one survey, so take this chance to show you have done your preparation and know the company inside and out. You will now have the chance to demonstrate that you've done your research, so reply mentioning all the positive things you have found out about the organisation and its sector etc. This means you'll have an enjoyable work environment and stability of employment etc - everything that brings out the best in you.

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## Question # 45

Rate yourself on a scale of 10?

#### Answer:-

If you truly believe you're a 10, you better be able to explain why with examples / stories. If you believe you're a great contributor and have room to grow, say 8 or 9. If you're below that, explain what you would do to improve yourself to get the ranking you believe you can be. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 46

What's a time you exercised leadership?

## Answer:-

Depending on what's more important for the the role, you'll want to choose an example that showcases your project management skills (spearheading a project from end to end, juggling multiple moving parts) or one that shows your ability to confidently and effectively rally a team. And remember: "The best stories include enough detail to be believable and memorable,". Show how you were a leader in this situation and how it represents your overall leadership experience and potential. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 47

What do you expect to be earning in 5 years In HCS?

#### Answer:-

Discuss how you expect yourself to be excellent at your job. Thus, it would be reasonable to expect pay that is based on the merit of your work. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 48

How do you keep each member of the team involved and motivated?



Many managers mistakenly think that money is the prime motivator for their employees. However, according to surveys by several different companies, money is consistently ranked five or lower by most employees. So if money is not the best way to motivate your team, what is? Employees' three most important issues according to employees are:

- \* Respect
- \* A sense of accomplishment
- \* Recognition

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#### Question # 49

What's your salary history?

#### Answer:-

When you are interviewing for a new job, it is common practice for the company to ask you about your salary history. I typically want to know what the candidate's base salary is, if they receive any bonus, the average bonus amount, and any additional compensation or perks, such as 500k matching, stock grants or stock options, paid time off and how much they are required to pay towards their medical premiums.

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## Question # 50

What is your desired salary In HCS?

#### Answer:-

Bad Answer: Candidates who are unable to answer the question, or give an answer that is far above market. Shows that they have not done research on the market rate, or have unreasonable expectations.

Good answer: A number or range that falls within the market rate and matches their level of mastery of skills required to do the job.

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#### Question # 51

What's the most rewarding work you've ever done and why?

#### Answer:-

Companies love it when you discuss how you've made an impact on your teammates, clients, or partners in the business or in school. It should be rewarding because of the hard work and creative process that you've put into it.

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## Question # 52

What do you know about the company?

#### Answer:-

Any candidate can read and regurgitate the company's "About" page. So, when interviewers ask this, they aren't necessarily trying to gauge whether you understand the mission-they want to know whether you care about it. Start with one line that shows you understand the company's goals, using a couple key words and phrases from the website, but then go on to make it personal. Say, "I'm personally drawn to this mission because..." or "I really believe in this approach because..." and share a personal example or two.

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## Question # 53

How would you go about establishing your credibility quickly In HCS with the team?

#### Answer:-

Fully understand my responsibilities, work hard and exceed expectations, learn as much as possible, help others as much as possible, understand what my teammates' goals and needs are, be on time, and gain a mentor.

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#### Question # 54

Tell me something about your family background?

## Answer:-

First, always feel proud while discussing about your family background. Just simple share the details with the things that how they influenced you to work in an airline field.

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## Question # 55

If you had to choose one, would you consider yourself a big-picture person or a detail-oriented person?

## Answer:-

Both are important. You need to stress that. However, if you could only choose one, ask yourself In HCS - do you like to be "in the weeds" with your work, or do you want to be the one painting the vision?

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#### Question # 56

Explain me about your experience working in this field In HCS?



I am dedicated, hardworking and great team player for the common goal of the company I work with. I am fast learner and quickly adopt to fast pace and dynamic area. I am well organized, detail oriented and punctual person.

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#### Question # 57

How many square feet of pizza are eaten in the United States each month?

#### Answer:-

This is a classic guesstimate question where you need to think aloud. And so first off you round the U.S. population to 300 million people (it's actually about 315 million but rounding will be much easier and your interviewer will not score you lower for rounding). Then estimate how many people eat pizza. A decent educated guess is two out of every three people, or 200 million. Now let's say the average pizza-eating person eats pizza twice a month, and eats two slices at a time. That's four slices a month. If the average slice of pizza is perhaps six inches at the base and 10 inches long, then the slice is 30 square inches of pizza. So, four pizza slices would be 120 square inches (30 times 4).

Since one square foot equals 144 square inches (12 times 12), let's assume that each person who eats pizza eats one square foot per month. Since there are 200 million pizza-eating Americans, 200 million square feet of pizza are consumed in the U.S. each month. To summarize: 300 million people in America, 200 million eat pizza, average slice of pizza is six inches at the base and 10 inches long or 30 square inches, average American eats four slices of pizza a month, four pieces times 30 square inches equals 120 square inches (one square foot is 144 square inches), so let's assume one square foot per person, and thus one square foot times 200 million people equals 200 million square feet of pizza a month.

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## Question # 58

What do you know about this department?

#### Answer:-

One good way to find out about the department is to try to "informally" interview the existing employees over coffee (outside of the office) if possible. It's hard if you don't have any connections there, but if you do a great way to learn about it. Other than that, it's often hard to learn about the department so you can turn the table back on them by asking questions to learn about it.

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#### Question # 59

How good are you at problem solving?

#### Answer:-

Describe the problem first and then discuss how you were able to fix it. Read More Answers.

## Question # 60

Do you have good computer skills?

#### Answer:-

It is becoming increasingly important for medical assistants to be knowledgeable about computers. If you are a long-time computer user with experience with different software applications, mention it. It is also a good idea to mention any other computer skills you have, such as a high typing rate, website creation, and more. Read More Answers.

#### Question # 61

Do you think a leader should be feared or liked?

#### Answer:-

Liked. You want to work harder for people that inspire and motivate you. Fear only lasts for so long.

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#### Question # 62

How much time do you need to join the organization In HCS?

## Answer:-

You should be able to join it right away, barring plans you've already made (family travel, vacation, other obligations). The key is to simply be open in communication of what's already committed on your schedule. Most companies are accommodating. If they are not, weight the importance of joining that company vs. your plans.

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## Question # 63

Do you have any question regarding this job In HCS?

## Answer:-

Never ask Salary, perks, leave, place of posting, etc. regarded questions. Try to ask more about the company to show how early you can make a contribution to your organization like. "Sir, with your kind permission I would like to know more about induction and developmental programs?" OR Sir, I would like to have my feedback, so that I can analyze and improve my strengths and rectify my shortcomings.

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#### Question # 64

If I were to give you this salary you requested but let you write your job description for the next year, what would it say?



It should say the same thing - after all - if you think this salary is fair then it should suit the responsibilities! Read More Answers

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