

JPA

*** For most of the questions, I answered in English. I only used Bahasa Melayu for the last question after it was requested by the interviewer to show my languages skills. (It depends because some of the interviewers might emphasize on Bahasa Melayu, so you need to speak more in Bahasa Melayu)

1.What is your dream course? Can you please further explain?

Ans: Data science. The most appealing part of it is the combination of mathematics and AI to process a huge amount of data, subsequently obtain insights that will be beneficial for various aspects such as businesses. I am looking forward to acquiring knowledge about Machine Learning and coding skills.....

2. What is your dream universities?

-MIT and Stanford offer rigorous course of data science.....

3. What are some cultural shocks that you had experience?

Korea: guys put on makeups which is rarely to be seen in Malaysia
- try to express that you are an open-minded person

4. What are your contributions to your country?

-competitions and winning at International level
-community : recycle projects, clean-up campaign, visiting to orphanage

5. Talk about your least favorite teacher.

-hmmm I don't think it is a good idea to reveal my least favorite teacher, but you can think about yours)
- explain the reasons and give some examples

6. What is your hobby?

Ans: I have been learning dancing ballet for more than 10 years. I actually had thought of becoming a professional dancer in future, so I consistently practise dancing at least thrice in a week. However, the biggest challenge I faced was about the height. Sometimes practice does not make perfect, I am definitely not eligible as a professional dancer, hence I started to study harder to achieve my another dream.

7. What is your biggest weakness?

Ans: I am easily convinced by others and do not know how to say 'no'. I still remember last month I went to a saloon for a haircut. They told me that if I sign up for a membership, I can enjoy a 25% discount of the total bill when I reload RM 400 into the member card. However, I regretted right after I walked out from the shop, since I realised that I would not go to the store so frequently to spend all the balances in my member account. Luckily, I have learned that I must change my way of thinking and I am trying my best to think before acting. I believe I can not only be someone who is humble to listen to others' opinions but also has rational thinking to analyse the scenario and have my own stand.

Group discussion: If the Earth is destroyed, only one person can survive and escape to the outer space, who will be the person?

So here, we were given 6 roles to draw, mine is a scientist. There are other roles such as astronaut, politician and doctor. At first, we discuss together and decide who must be the survivor. After that, the interviewers changed their mind and told us to defend ourselves. After discussion for 5 minutes, we had individual presentation to speak out our thoughts. I remember that the interviewer asked me :"

Q: What if you escape to the outer space and you should bring a person with you, and the person is a politician, why do you think he/she is chosen?"

Ans: As a scientist, I should be able to survive in the outer space since I have a wide range of knowledges..... A politician does not have enough skills for survival, but they have critical thinking to help me make some decisions, and they provide emotional support as well. I think i am quite lucky as the interviewers were so friendly and they made jokes as well.