

Essential Topics for Fresher Interviews

1. OBJECT-ORIENTED PROGRAMMING (OOPs)

- Four Pillars: Encapsulation, Abstraction, Inheritance, Polymorphism
- Class, Object, Constructor, Destructor, Method Overloading & Overriding
- Example:

```
class Car:
    def __init__(self, brand, model):
        self.brand = brand
        self.model = model
    def display(self):
        print(f"Car: {self.brand} {self.model}")
my_car = Car("Toyota", "Camry")
my_car.display()
```

2. NETWORKING

- OSI Model (7 Layers), TCP/IP Model (4 Layers)
- IP Addressing, Subnetting, CIDR, HTTP, HTTPS, FTP, SSH
- DNS, DHCP, NAT, Routing (Static & Dynamic)
- TCP vs UDP: Reliable vs Unreliable Transmission

3. STRUCTURED QUERY LANGUAGE (SQL)

- Basic Queries: SELECT, INSERT INTO, UPDATE, DELETE
- Joins: INNER JOIN, LEFT JOIN, RIGHT JOIN, FULL JOIN
- Indexing, Normalization, ACID Properties
- Example: Find the second highest salary:
SELECT MAX(salary) FROM Employee WHERE salary < (SELECT MAX(salary) FROM Employee);

4. OPERATING SYSTEMS (OS)

- Processes, Threads, Multithreading, Multitasking
- Memory Management: Paging, Segmentation, Virtual Memory
- File System, Permissions, Linux Commands (ls, pwd, chmod, chown, ps, top, kill)

- Example: What happens when you type a URL in a browser?

1. DNS Lookup
2. TCP Handshake
3. HTTP Request sent
4. Server Response
5. Browser renders the webpage

ADDITIONAL TOPICS FOR CLOUD & DEVOPS ASPIRANTS:

- Git, GitHub, CI/CD (Jenkins, GitHub Actions)
- Infrastructure as Code (Terraform, CloudFormation)
- Containers (Docker, Kubernetes)
- Cloud Basics (AWS IAM, S3, EC2, Load Balancing, Auto Scaling)

SUMMARY - MUST-KNOW TOPICS FOR A FRESHER INTERVIEW:

- OOPs: Classes, Objects, Inheritance, Polymorphism, Encapsulation, Abstraction
- Networking: OSI Model, IP Addressing, DNS, Routing, HTTP vs HTTPS
- SQL: Joins, Indexing, Queries, ACID Properties, Normalization
- OS: Process Management, Memory Management, Linux Commands, File Systems