

# **FUNNY** **INTERVIEW** **QUESTIONS!**



# THIS IS WHAT I WILL COVER

- ✓ **TOP 10 Funny, Weird and Strange Interview Questions.**
- ✓ **TIPS on how to answer these difficult interview questions (Including what the Hiring Manager wants to hear!)**
- ✓ **TOP-SCORING answers to help you pass your job interview!**

**Q1. If you walked out of this interview and won \$3,000,000 on a lottery scratch card, what would you do?**

**TIP** – This question is assessing your motivations in life and whether you see work as more than just a paycheck.

Of course, most people would say they would give up work immediately, but would that make them happy and for how long would the money last?

**Put yourself in the shoes of the interviewer... what do they want to hear from your answer?**

**Here's my example answer to assist you.**

**Q1. If you walked out of this office and won \$3,000,000 on a lottery scratch card, what would you do?**

**“I would carry on as normal and still work.**

I would buy my dream home and a nice car, of course, and I would help my closest friends and family, but I would still want to work because it would keep me grounded and when I was at work, I wouldn't be spending the money.

**I would even do some good with some of the money and donate to my favorite local charities.**

I appreciate it may sound strange for me to say this, but I know the benefits of going to work from a mental health and esteem perspective, so I certainly would not want to give it up just because I won the lottery.”

# Q2. What kind of animal would you be and why?

**TIP** – Now, this is a strange interview question, but it is being asked for a specific reason!

Each animal signifies a character trait. A lion, for example, is strong and powerful, but it can be overpowering. A lion is often a good choice for leadership and management positions.

**A snake, on the other hand might be seen as dishonest and devious, so I recommend avoiding this one unless you can give a valid reason for choosing it.**

**Here's another GREAT ANSWER to help you...**

## **Q2. What kind of animal would you be and why?**

**“I would choose a bee. Bees are very hard workers, and they are loyal to other bees! I have the same traits as a bee – I am a hard worker, and I will be a loyal and committed employee.**

**Whilst I am generally a gentle soul who steers clear of confrontation, if I am provoked or attacked, I will stand up for myself.”**



# Q3. What's the color of money?

**TIP** – The vast majority of interview candidates will say ‘the color of money is green!’, simply because that’s what we have been programmed to think.

However, if you apply logic to this question, green is not the right answer to give! Think carefully about how you would answer this funny and strange interview question.

**Here's a great example answer to assist you!**

### Q3. What's the color of money?

**“The color of money very much depends on the country you are in and the bank note you have in your hands.**

For example, an English five-pound note is blue, an American dollar is green, and the 10 Euro note is red.”



# Q4. How lucky are you and why?

**TIP** –This strange and funny interview question is assessing your attitude towards life.

Are you a victim who everything seems to go wrong for, or are you someone who creates their own opportunities in life?

**If you are the latter, you are far more likely to be a productive employee who goes after things instead of waiting for them to come to you.**

**Here's my example answer to help you.**

#### **Q4. How lucky are you and why?**

**“I would say I am very lucky.**

Not only do I have my health and good friends and a supportive family around me, but my mindset is one of a person who believes that you create your own luck in life. **I am a positive person and I try to make things happen. For example, whenever opportunities come about, I will always say “yes!”**

Whenever there is the chance to learn a new skill, I will do it with passion and enthusiasm. I am naturally a hard worker, and the harder I do work, the luckier I get!”

# Q5. How many streetlights are there in the United Kingdom?

**TIP** – This is a very strange question to ask in an interview! However, it is common during job roles where a level of technical or logical thinking skills are needed.

Most people when asked this interview question will freeze, and they will say... ***“I don’t know the answer to this question.”***

**All the interviewer wants to see is that you apply some logic to your answer.**

**Here’s a simple, yet highly effective way of answering it.**

**Q5. How many streetlights are there in the United Kingdom?**

**“There are approximately 66 million people living in the United Kingdom.**

I will assume that there are on average three people living in each house, which means there are approximately 22 million houses in the UK.

**Whilst walking around the local streets in my area, I often see there is one streetlight for every four houses.**

Therefore, I would say there are approximately 5,500,000 streetlights in the UK.

# Q6. Describe the color red to someone who is blind.

**TIP** –This is a common challenging interview question that is assessing your communication and problem-solving capabilities.

It is not an easy one to answer; however, try to use feelings or sensations as a reference point when answering the question.

**Here's my example answer to help you.**

**Q6. Describe the color red to someone who is blind.**

**“I would use feelings and sensations to describe color to someone blind.**

**I would explain that the color red is the same as their cheeks if ever they felt embarrassed or if they were angry.**

**I would also say that red is color of the skin if they spend too much time in the sun!”**

# Q7. Why are manhole covers round?

**TIP** – This funny question, although it appears to be strange, is assessing your levels of intellect.

Some people will know immediately why manhole covers are round, others won't.

**But if you can apply some logic to this strange interview question, you will succeed in showing the interviewer you are someone who can think on their feet.**

**HERE'S THE BEST ANSWER TO HELP YOU!**



## Q7. Why are manhole covers round?

**“Manhole covers are round for safety reasons.**

A circular manhole cover is one of the only shapes that will not fall down the hole if it becomes loose or dislodged.

**However, if manhole covers were square, they could fall down the hole diagonally.”**

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**TIP** – This funny, strange and weird interview question should be answered based on the position you are applying for.

For example, if you are applying for a management or leadership position, make sure you choose flying!

**Leaders should be visible and dynamic; therefore, to choose invisible as your superpower might not be what the hiring manager wants to hear.**

**Here's my example answer based on a non-managerial role!**

**Q8. You have a choice between two superpowers. One being invisible and the other being able to fly. Which would you choose and why?**

**“I would choose invisible because I could get so much work done without interference. Being invisible would also enable me to check out our closest competitors so we could gain a commercial advantage and be the number one business in the industry.”**

# Q9. Are you a hunter or a gatherer?

**TIP** – Again, by applying some logic based on the position we are applying for we can give the interviewer the answer they would expect. For example, if you are applying for a customer service position, I recommend saying you are a ***gatherer***, because you are building good relationships with your customers and encouraging them to come back to the business time and time again in the future.

**Whereas, if you are applying to become a sales-person, a hunter maybe more appropriate because you are constantly on the lookout for new leads and clients.**

**Here's my example answer to help you.**

## **Q9. Are you a hunter or a gatherer?**

**“I would say I am a combination of both. However, my more dominant trait is to be a hunter.**

At work, I like to find ways to get more sales coming into the organization, and I enjoy the challenge of creating innovative methods to promote and market the business. I am definitely a go-getter who doesn't like to sit still.

**I also have gatherer traits because I like to spend time looking after customers. I believe it is important to build long-term relationships with customers and clients as this also brings in additional revenue.”**

**Q10. You must spend the next 12 months on a desert island. All your food and water are supplied. You are permitted to take two items with you. Which two items would you choose and why?**

**TIP** – This question assesses your survival skills and whether you would choose to take luxuries with you (books and music for example) or something different!

**Here's my example answer to help you.**



**Q10. You must spend the next 12 months on a desert island. All your food and water are supplied. You are permitted to take two items with you. Which two items would you choose and why?**

**“I would take a lighter so I could light a fire each night to keep warm and I would take my laptop with a solar-powered charger.**

The laptop would allow me to keep in touch with everyone back home which would be good for my mental health, and I would also get to keep hold of my job because I could work remotely 😊.”