

Interview with a star (two interviewers, star)

Situation:

You are members of the school media team. You run your own school radio station and you regularly post articles and video clips on the internet.

You got lucky. A well known international star comes to your home town. Your school media team was chosen to interview him/her at the hotel.

Roles:

friendly interviewer, critical interviewer, star



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Language tools

Friendly interviewer

Good evening Mr ... / Ms ...
It's a real pleasure to meet you.
Thank you very much for receiving us.
We all admire you and your work.
Could you tell us something about ...?
How did you manage to become so
successful?
Do you have any tips for your fans?



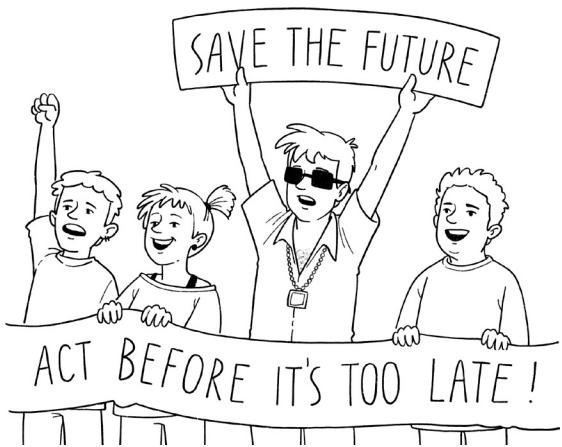
Critical interviewer

Hello. Nice to meet you.
May I ask you some questions about ...?
What is your opinion on ...?
What do you do to stop climate change?
Do you think as a star you have a special
responsibility?
Thank you for the interview.



Star

Hello. How are you doing?
I'm always happy to talk to my fans.
Well, I think as a role model ...
Young people should ...
I don't know if I agree with that.
That's a very difficult question.
You're welcome.



Vocabulary

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| to be worried about | to care for / about | role model | influence |
| to admire | to have a good time | responsibility | climate change |
| to take a stand | critical | human rights | sexism |

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Role cards

Role card: friendly interviewer

You are a member of the school media team and you interview a star at a hotel in your home town. You are super excited because it's one of your favourite stars. You want to be polite, ask friendly questions and you hope for an autograph when you do the interview.

Your notes:



Role card: critical interviewer

You are a member of the school media team and you interview a star at a hotel in your home town. You want to be a professional interviewer. Therefore, you want to ask questions about the responsibilities of the star as a role model for teenagers, climate protection and human rights.

Your notes:



Role card: star

You are a famous star. You have agreed to meet students from the local high school for an interview. You expect the interview to be fun and easy. Teenagers are always very excited when they meet you and they always want to know the same things. So, you are very relaxed.

Your notes:

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Observer sheet

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2. What differences were there between the two interviewers?

3. Which were the most interesting questions/answers? Give examples.

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