

Transition to Independence

1. The first step toward landing a job is submitting a winning _____.
 - a. Smile.
 - b. Resume.
 - c. Interview.
 - d. Thank you note.
 - e. None of the above.
2. You should keep your resume _____.
 - a. Short and simple.
 - b. Long winded with lots of information.
 - c. Colorful and artistic.
 - d. All of the above.
 - e. None of the above.
3. It's important to have a professional appearance and to dress _____ for a job interview.
 - a. Flashy.
 - b. Stylishly.
 - c. Casually.
 - d. Conservatively.
 - e. None of the above
4. The annual salary isn't the only perk to think about when evaluating a job offer. You should take into account the fringe benefits such as medical, dental or vision insurance and access to a 401(k) or other retirement plan.
 - a. True.
 - b. False.
5. Most everyone dreams of being wealthy, or at least financially stable. The first step on your road to financial security is creating a _____.
 - a. Road map.
 - b. Shopping list.
 - c. Workplace lottery pool.
 - d. Budget.
 - e. None of the above.



6. If you know your payment is going to be late, don't call your lender immediately to let them know; wait for them to call or email you.
 - a. True.
 - b. False.

7. When buying a car, spend as much as you qualify for so you can get the vehicle you really want; you'll figure out how to pay for it.
 - a. True.
 - b. False.

8. When gearing up for retirement, it's best to look into an Individual Retirement Account (IRA), a plan that allows you to contribute a portion of your earned income each year. There are two types of IRAs: _____ and _____.
 - a. Conservative and liberal.
 - b. 529 and 403b.
 - c. Roth and traditional.
 - d. All of the above.
 - e. None of the above.

9. When interviewing for a job, highlight your skills, accomplishments and strengths, embellishing when necessary to make yourself sound like a perfect match for the job.
 - a. True.
 - b. False.

10. Your cover letter is your first chance to prove that you're the best candidate for the position. Keep it to _____ and write it to complement the information on your resume, not repeat it.
 - a. Three pages.
 - b. One page.
 - c. One book chapter.
 - d. Two and a half pages.
 - e. None of the above.