

# How to Look Confident in interviews As a Fresh Graduate

**Only six steps to look professionally confident in interviews as fresh graduates without even having any previous experiences [meta description]**



Have you been feeling afraid of taking the first step into the work path? Is lack of experience still a stone preventing you from applying for jobs? Have you been about to do it but changed your mind at the last minute? If you want to say goodbye to fear and be courageous and confident enough to take the first step, here is all what you need to do before and during your work interview:

## **Before the Interview**

### **Prepare Answers**

One day or two days before the interview, search online for questions usually asked to the candidates of the needed position and make sure you memorize the answers well. You can also go to a friend or a relative who has been in the same position before to inform you of the things you need to know before going there. Make the experience real, where he/she is the interviewer asking you the expected questions and giving you advice about what to change along with evaluating your answers. This will make you look confident in interviews.

## **Dress Properly**

On the day of the interview, wake up early, drink your favorite smoothie, take a shower, and most importantly, choose a suitable outfit, having in mind that the more formal your outfit is, the better. After you are done with the choosing process, make sure your chosen outfit is clean and ironed. In addition to this, smelling nice is extremely important, and that's because if you are smelly, this would give the interviewer a bad impression, a really bad one. Your proper outfit will help you look confident in interviews.

## **Talk to Yourself**

According to psychological studies, your subconscious mind plays an inevitable role in making whatever you want work out as perfectly as you hope. So, if you keep saying to yourself things, like, "I'm confident, successful, talented, and fearless. I will definitely do well in the interview. Lots of people have made it, and they are no better than me, so let's make it happen," you'll get yourself convinced, and the effect of this will be far beyond your imagination.

## **During the Interview**

### **Pay Attention to Your Body Language**

Body language in interviews is not just icing on the cake; it is a main ingredient as important as baking powder. If it is not right, your cake is of no use. So, during the interview, sit at the back of the chair, keep your feet on the ground, and control your hands. You must never shake your legs while answering, even if this is a habit you tend to do. Because if you do this, it may give an impression that you are nervous and not confident enough, which in turn, will reduce the possibility of getting hired. Also, you must move your hands normally while answering questions. The main rule is: Neither

freeze, nor overly move. Through controlling your body language, you will surely look confident in interviews.

### **Maintain Eye Contact**

Each one likes to be looked at right in the eye when talking to someone because it shows that the person they are talking to is a good listener, and this is, too, applied to interviews. Even if you get nervous, don't show this by avoiding looking at the interviewer's eyes. Instead, maintain eye contact with a smile on your face, for the more you maintain eye contact, the more you will look confident in interviews.

### **Avoid Silence**

Don't stick to silence when not knowing how to answer a certain question because doing so can kick you out of the list once and for all. Instead of this, you can get into the safe side easily by starting your answer with, "Okay, this is an interesting question." Or "Kindly, can you please repeat your question?" This way, you will have some time to think of a convincing answer, without letting the interviewer even sense that you are hesitant or stressed out. It is overly important not to say, "I don't know," no matter how hard the question is. By avoiding silence, you will look confident in interviews.

Looking confident when being interviewed is worth paying attention to, for it is the magical key that can get you access to all the gates of jobs you want to enter. Erase fear from your heart and hesitation from your mind. Now, confidently press the apply button. By following the above-mentioned tips, we assure you that you will be at the top of the list.

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