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Unit 1 – Becoming Financially Self-Sufficient Practice Interview Script

In the space below, write how you would answer each of the following questions during an interview.

“Tell me about yourself.”

“What is your greatest strength?”

“Can you describe a situation in your past where you learned from a mistake?”

“What is the most difficult situation you have ever faced?”

“Is there anything you would like to improve about yourself?”

“What are your career goals?”

“Why would you like to work for us?”

“Why should I hire you?”

“What questions do you have for us?”

Once you have written your answers, you and another student will role-play the employer and applicant in the interview process, using the following script:

Employer: Hello, how may I help you?

Applicant: Mr. /Ms. _____, my name is _____ and I am here to interview for the position of _____.

Employer: Yes, (applicant’s name), please have a seat at the table.

The Employer selects and asks five questions from the Commonly Asked Interview Questions.

Employer: Do you have any questions for us?

Applicant responds with questions for the employer.

Employer: Well, (applicant’s name), I believe I have all the information I need. Thank you for coming in today. We’ll be in touch.