

Law Interview Questions

There are a wide-range of interview questions you may be asked. Below are some examples.

- Why did you decide to attend law school? Why WVU?
- Tell me about your school activities.
- How do you spend your spare time?
- Which courses have you most enjoyed/least enjoyed in law school?
- Do you feel you've had a good legal education?
- What appeals to you about our firm/organization? Tell us what you know about us.
- Do you believe your grades are a good measure of your abilities?
- Tell me about the most challenging situation you've dealt with in law school.
- Why do you think you'd like practicing law?
- What have you gained from your summer/part-time work – or full-time if you have been working between undergrad and law school.
- How might one of your professors describe you?
- How would a friend describe you?
- If you were to “do it all again” would you attend law school? WVU? Why/why not?
- What characteristics do you believe a good attorney should possess?
- What would you describe as your greatest weakness/area of needed growth?
- What is your greatest strength?
- What is your proudest moment?
- Which areas of law appeal to you most? Why?
- Tell me about one of your favorite books (not an academic book).
- What are your work goals over the next 5-10 years?
- Tell me about yourself.
- Have you ever withdrawn from a class? If so why?
- Describe one of your favorite professors.
- Do you prefer working with others or by yourself?
- How do you feel about working long hours?
- If you weren't studying law what might you study/do?
- What qualifications do you have that will make you successful in this field?