

Ironworker Interview Questions

1. What kind of experience do you have examining completed workpieces for defects, such as chipped edges or marred surfaces and sort defective pieces according to types of flaws?

2. Describe what methods you use to measure completed workpieces to verify conformance to specifications, using micrometers, gauges, calipers, templates, or rulers.

3. How long have you been able to operate forklifts to deliver materials?

4. Share an experience in which you've successfully learned how to handle a new piece of equipment?

5. Tell me about a recent experience you've had working with your hands.

6. How do you stay fit in order to perform physical activities that are required in the workplace?

7. Share an experience in which you successfully shared a difficult piece of information. (Make sure that the candidate has open lines of communication.)

8. Share an experience in which your diligence of inspecting equipment, structures, or materials helped you identify a problem or the cause of a problem.

9. Walk me through how you read work orders or production schedules to determine specifications, such as materials to be used, locations of cutting lines, or dimensions and tolerances.

10. Tell me about the last time you monitored or reviewed information and detected a problem. How did you respond?