

Yard Manager Interview Questions

1. Please share with me an example of how you helped coach or mentor someone. What improvements did you see in the person's knowledge or skills?

2. Describe methods you have found effective to plan work assignments and equipment allocations to meet transportation, operations or production goals.

3. Walk me through how you would inspect or test materials, stock, vehicles, equipment, or facilities to ensure that they are safe, free of defects, and consistent with specifications.

4. Provide an example of when you set expectations and monitored the performance of subordinates. What guidance and direction did you find most effective?

5. In your experience, what is the key to developing a good team? (Look for how they build mutual trust, respect, and cooperation.)

6. Provide an example of a time when you successfully organized a diverse group of people to accomplish a task.

7. Share an experience you had in dealing with a difficult person and how you handled the situation.

8. Tell me how you organize, plan, and prioritize your work.

9. Share an experience when you applied new technology or information in your job. How did it help your company?

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