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Comprehension Questions

View the programme attentively. After you watch the programme, complete the following comprehension questions and tasks.

1. Rapunzel chatted about her hair in the interview. Select the three (3) words that the interviewer would most likely record about this exchange.

- a) professional
- b) irrelevant
- c) appropriate
- d) perceptive
- e) inappropriate
- f) trivial

2. Do you agree with the interviewer's statement "body language advertises your attitude towards the job?" Explain your answer.

3. Poor body language often gives out the wrong signals in an interview. For example, tapping your foot could indicate that you are in a hurry or anxious. What could these examples of negative body language show?

a) Arms tightly folded

b) Lack of eye-contact

c) Slouching in the chair

d) Studying fingernails

e) Wringing hands





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4. a) Describe the Little Pig's body language and communication skills in his interview.

b) What impression did this give to the interviewer?

5. The Wicked Queen was not chosen for the role at the leisure centre and has demanded some feedback. Give her some constructive advice on how she can improve her interview skills.

