

Dental School Sample Interview Questions

- So tell me a little about yourself.
- Why do you want to be a dentist?
- Have you had any experience with dentistry?
- What differentiates you from the rest of the applicants?
- I like you and this all sounds great, but what can I go back and tell the admissions committee that will convince them that we want you in our upcoming class?
- Why did you apply to our Dental school?
- What other Dental schools have you applied to?
- Have you had any other interviews at other schools?
- What type of dental program are you interested in?
- What did you think about our school (ie. facilities, program)?
- In the past, what has happened to you that has made the biggest impact on your life?
- Can you explain the (A-F) grade you received in this class?
- We noticed you withdrew from a class, why?
- Why did you decide to major in...?
- Your grades slipped your ___ semester, any reason?
- Dentists require a great deal of hand coordination. Do you have any relevant experience?
- Do you think the role of a Dentist has changed, and how so?
- Did you consider applying to medical school?
- If you are relocating, what do you think of our school's location?
- How did your friends/family react to your interest in Dentistry?
- Do you have any friends or family who are Dentists?
- Do you have any plans after graduation?
- What would make you happy 10 years from now?
- If you had to change anything about yourself, what would it be?
- How do you spend your free time?
- What do you do to relax?
- How do you think the Dental profession has changed over the last 25 years?
- What book have you read recently?
- Who is your favorite author?
- What types of books do you enjoy reading?
- What would you say was the best day or experience you ever had?
- If you could meet anybody, in all of history, and eat dinner with them, who would it be?
- What do you do when you are stressed out?
- What would you say is a weak area that you'd like to improve on yourself?
- How do you see yourself, what are your good characteristics?