

Sample interview station 2 transcript: A low scoring answer

Dr Laura Sherrard: 'Hello my name is Dr Laura Sherrard, and I will be your assessor for this station.'

John Murphy: 'Hi.'

Dr Laura Sherrard: 'Am I speaking to John Murphy?'

John Murphy: 'Yeah, I'm John.'

Dr Laura Sherrard: 'Can I check your ID please?'

John Murphy: 'Yeah, here it is.'

Dr Laura Sherrard: 'Thanks for that.'

Dr Laura Sherrard: 'Here is your question for this station. You are working in a group to complete an important project with a deadline in the next few weeks. One of the group is not contributing to the project and it is causing problems with relationships within the group. How would you manage this situation?'

John Murphy: 'Can you repeat the question please?'

Dr Laura Sherrard: 'Yes, no problem. You are working in a group to complete an important project with a deadline in the next few weeks. One of the group is not contributing to the project and it is causing problems with relationships within the group. How would you manage this situation?'

John Murphy: 'This is a group project, and everyone needs to contribute. The person who isn't contributing isn't being a team player and they must be too lazy or just can't be bothered to do the work. They probably think somebody else will just do the work for them which is very annoying for everybody else in the group. You asked how I would manage this situation. I would do this by reporting this person to the teacher and hopefully this person would be removed from the group and that should fix the problem.'

Dr Laura Sherrard: 'Thanks for your answer. Best of luck for the next question.'

John Murphy: 'OK.'