

Sophomore Interview



Part of the Sophomore Interview is to “know yourself and showcase yourself” just as you would in a real job interview. This is your high school halfway point check-in. You will be responding to questions about where the first two years of high school have taken you and the direction you plan to move in over the course of your next two years of high school. As part of the interview process you will reflect on your developing of the Helix School Wide Learning Outcomes (SLOs), all of this will be revisited during your Senior Boards in 12th Grade. Your responses to each of these questions should be thoughtful and thoroughly developed responses.

Question 1:

Tell us about yourself. Include information about your background and interests. What extracurricular activities are you involved in?

**Reference your Digital Portfolio website, About Me and Resume*

Question 2:

Please share your “Statement of Educational Purpose” with us.

Answer the following questions:

- What is your GPA?,
- What is your attendance record?
- How many hours of community service do you currently have?
- Tell us about your 4-year plan

Does your work habits, GPA, attendance record, community service, extra curricular activities, or 4-year plan align with the career interest, referenced in your Statement of Educational Purpose?

**Reference Statement of Educational Purpose, your transcript, attendance record, 4 year Plan in Digital Portfolio. You may discuss your Career Path, classes, clubs, volunteer activities, etc,*

Question 3:

Tell us about one of your Reflections from 10th Grade. Please discuss which SLO(s) you believe you worked on developing and how that will help you in your desired career.

**Reference your SLO Worksheet and Reflections*

Question 4:

What are some of your accomplishments, both inside and outside of school?

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Question 5:

What are some of your weaknesses/growth areas, both inside and outside of school?

Question 6:

Share an instance in which you demonstrated resilience and/or applied the principles of a growth mindset. (Personal challenge, academic challenge, social challenge, athletic/physical challenge....) Which SLO does this align with?

Question 7:

What is the gift that you bring to the Helix community?

Question 8:

Is there anything else you would like to share about your Helix experience that we have not asked you about?