

## Material magazine – The Bag Diaries Interview Questions – Connor Marshall

### Questions

1. What is something that you've carried with you for a long time, that you had to recently let go of? A memory, a friend, a lover?
2. Tell me how your bag is a reflection of you... does it whisper or shout? What story does your bag tell? What does it say about you?
3. If you could leave the readers with a quote on how the Bag Diaries have made you feel or any impact whether big or small it has had on you - what would it be?

@Eyedreamofgenie (Jola Madrigal)

1. I recently have had to let go of old habits. I have always been a shy, quiet person, but wanting to model has forced me to come out of that shell and not let myself be too worried about how I am perceived.

2. my bag is a reflection of me because i like to carry all my essentials and it fits them all perfectly! i love a big bag because i always need enough room for a book and my camera! it's also my favorite color so it shows a bit of my personality as well.

3. i would tell the readers that the bag diaries was a very fun shoot to participate in because the contents of ones purse can tell you a lot about someone! it's a great way to get to know a person.

@entitiespixie (Mari Abdi)

1. I recently had to say goodbye to my cat, Suki, who I owned for nearly four years until her vanished one day. I still think of him everyday and long for more time spent with him. He was my best friend, as corny as it sounds.
2. My bag is a mirrored reflection of who I am; it is loud, yes accessorized and reflects many aspects of my personality. I like to express my opinions, and I believe my bag reflects that.
3. "Just keep trying to do what you really want to do. where there's love and inspiration, i don't think you can go wrong". This quote is by Ella Fitzgerald one of my favorite performers. The bag series was one of the projects I worked on after taking a brief break, and it brought back memories of my passion for modeling and fashion, so this really caught my attention.

@whattheekat (katya Pineda)

N/A

@irlpeace (Peace Okwololo)

1. I finally replaced my wallet, which I've had since freshman year of college, with a new one after graduating

2. Definitely shouts! I have a big, bright personality, and my bag is bold and reflects that perfectly.

I was thrifting with some friends, not looking for anything specific, when I spotted this bag behind the counter. The moment I saw it, I knew I had to have it. I love Coach bags, and this one was so pretty and wasn't too expensive so I fell in love with it!

3. The Bag Diaries have reminded me that even the smallest details, like the bag we carry, can hold stories, reflect our personality, and bring unexpected joy into our everyday lives.

@ilov3babysosa (Makayla Lucas)

1. Something that has been with me throughout my life would be my dog, max. I recently had to let him go and it stung so bad because he was like my son, if I could have him in my purse everywhere I went I would.

2.

My bag is a reflection of me because it is a statement, I am a statement. I want my bag to be the loudest and brightest thing in the room. I want people to see my bag from across the room and be like, oh yea that's definitely Makayla

3. . The story my bag withholds are dreams and goals I plan to achieve in this world. My bag resembles me in many different ways, it shows that I want to be seen and present. I never liked being basic it was always all or nothing. When I did the bag diaries shoot it was in front of many people in a very known spot. I was a little anxious but I saw how sick my bag looked and how good I looked, and I just thought, "wear it like you mean it girl".

