TIPS For First Time EMPLOYEES







TAXES

Gross is before taxes ~ Net is after taxes General Rule: 10% is deducted for taxes



SPENDING

Know the difference between Needs and Wants **NEED 40% WANT 20%**



BANKING

Open a Checking and Savings Account Strongly consider Direct Deposit



CREDIT

Obtaining goods/services based on trust to pay in future Pay Bills On Time ~ Use Credit For Needs



INVESTING

Pay yourself first 10% of Net Income
Seek advice about a tax deferred account



SAVINGS

Money put away for specific goals General Rule: 10% of Net Income



TELL ME ABOUT A TIME WHEN YOU

- 1.... were creative in solving A problem.
- 2.... overcame obstacles to achieve success.
- 3.... demonstrated strong leadership.
- 4.... handled a conflict situation.
- 5.... worked well under pressure.

QUESTIONS YOU SHOULD ASK

- 1. Have I answered all your questions?
- 2. Can you share how you have succeeded in the organization?
- 3. Do you provide training?
- 4. What is the wage being offered?
- 5. Can I contact you by phone or email?

Write a thank you letter within 24 hours of the interview

INTERVIEW CHECKLIST



I have done extensive research on the company



I understand the responsibilities of the position I'm interviewing for



I am wearing appropriate clothes for the interview



I can explain how I am a good time manager



I can provide examples of taking direction well



I can demonstrate how I have demonstrated leadership



I will send a thank you letter to the interviewer