

# **Duds to Dazzle Solo Showcase Interview questions**

### **Preparation**

- Describe the steps you took to create your final product. How did you decide on this specific approach?
- Describe what went well during the creation of the item and what didn't go so well.

### **Safety Precautions**

- Can you describe the safety measures you took while using the tools provided? Were there any safety challenges you encountered?
- What do you think is the most important safety rule during the Duds to Dazzle Solo contest?

### **Time Management**

- How did you manage your time during the contest?
- Did you face any time-related challenges, and how did you handle them?

### **Creativity and Innovative Use of Materials**

- What inspired the design of your final product?
- How do you believe your design stands out from others?
- How did you creatively incorporate the materials from the supply closet into your design? Why did you choose those specific materials?

#### **Use of Startup Item**

- How did you transform the startup item into your final product? What was your vision for repurposing the initial item?
- Can you explain how you ensured that at least 50% of the final product was made from the startup item? What challenges did you face in achieving this?

## **Functionality**

- How does your final product serve its intended purpose?
- Were there any functional improvements you made during the construction process?

### Craftsmanship

- Can you talk about the techniques you used to construct your item? How did you ensure the quality of the craftsmanship?
- What steps did you take to ensure that the edges, seams, and other details of your item were neatly finished?

#### Presentation

- How does your final product contribute to reducing waste and promoting sustainability?
- What environmental considerations did you consider during the design and construction process?