Trainee interview warehouse logistician, 2nd year of training

Questions to the trainee:

Which tasks do you mainly take over?

- I take care of the incoming and outgoing goods
- I take over the bookings and additions in our warehouse management system
- I am responsible for the purchase of packaging material

What is special about your company?

- We have a young team with many trainees
- The management and the trainers are committed to the trainees and always have an open ear for us

Why did you choose this apprenticeship?

- I have always wanted to work in a field where I am always on the move, stay fit and can "pitch in"
- For me, the field of activity is exactly the right mixture of structured processes and daily new challenges. Never a dull moment.

Which tasks do you particularly like?

- The picking, putting into storage and packing of the goods
- Tasks that require physical work that contributes to my balance
- The sorting of goods

How long does your training last and under what conditions is a shortening possible?

Normally the training lasts three years. If 2 years of training are over, you show good school performance and the management agrees, it can be shortened to 2.5 years.

What educational and personal prerequisites should be available for the profession?

- Secondary school certificate or good basic school certificate
- Good knowledge of English and interest in math

- Logical thinking and organisational talent
- Reliability and independence
- No fear of physical work, good fitness
- Interest in routine work, but also openness for spontaneous tasks

How is the teaching at the educational partner (Friedrich-List-school at Darmstadt) organised and which subjects are particularly important?

- You have 3 working days per week in the company and two days of vocational school
- There are 12 learning fields and additionally economics, math, German, EDP, religion and sports
- All 12 learning fields are tested, therefore each learning field is equally important

What prospects do you have after the apprenticeship?

- Taking over the warehouse management
- After one year of work experience, you can take a further training course to become a master of warehouse logistics or a technical specialist
- After graduating as a business adminstrator, it is possible to study