



Interview with Roger Federer

Watch the interview between Roger Federer and Vogue. This is a 12-minute video with numerous questions about Roger Federer. In the table below, you can see the question in column 2 and the answer in column 3, but some questions have been eliminated. Write the correct question using the information in the video.

No	Question	Answer
1	How are you feeling about the tournament?	Great. He's happy that it's Wimbledon time again.
2	How do you start your days right now?	It's relaxed, so he has more energy for the tournament.
3	Can you show me a perfect serve?	Throw the ball in the air, jump and hope the ball lands in!
4	Can you demonstrate an extremely difficult and technical thing?	Overhead on the backhand side.
5	What is your signature shot?	Slice, maybe forehand.
6	Why don't you have a two-handed backhand?	All his heroes had one-handed backhand too.
7	Do you get attached to your racket?	Yes, he does.
8	What's your favourite part about playing at Wimbledon?	It's history and tradition.
9	How would you describe playing at centre court?	It's a dream come true.
10	Does your family have any nicknames for you?	Rog, Roggie.
11	What's the most Swiss thing about you?	He's a chocoholic.
12	What languages do you speak?	Swiss German, German, English and French.

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13	Do you have any expressions in these languages?	Allez! Come on! Chum jetze!
14	What's up with the strawberries and cream?	It's a Wimbledon thing.
15	Did you start your career as a ball boy?	Yes, at the age of 12.
16	How many hours a day, at age 12, were you playing?	2 hours every second day.
17	How many hours do you play today?	Between 0 and 4.
18	Who was your tennis idol growing up?	Boris Becker, Stefan Edberg, Pete Sampras
19	When did you first realise you were really good at tennis?	When he beat Pete Sampras in Wimbledon in 2001.
20	Is it true your mum was a tennis coach?	A little bit.
21	What's the best piece of advice that she gave you?	Never let the ball bounce twice.
22	What advice would you give these guys here?	Work hard. Dream big.
23	Grass or clay?	Grass.
24	Forehand or Backhand?	Forehand.
25	Spin or flat?	Spin.
26	What TV show are you obsessed with at the moment?	None. Prison Break.
27	Who is your style icon?	Tom Ford.
28	What are you wearing when you're feeling your best?	A suit. A bathing suit. A t-shirt on a beach somewhere.
29	What's the most memorable thing that you've ever worn?	Met Gala, a tuxedo from Gucci with a diamond-encrusted cobra on the back.
30	What do you do on your off days?	Nothing, run around with the kids.
31	What's the best fashion advice you've ever received?	You wear the clothes, not the clothes wear you.

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32	What's something about yourself that you think a lot of people wouldn't know?	Everybody knows everything.
33	Do you ever get your identical twins confused?	Sometimes, but not now.
34	What lessons have you learnt from your kids?	Patience and snuggling.
35	What do you hope your kids learn from you?	Everything.
36	Out of all the places you've played in the world, what's the craziest location?	Jungfrauoch mountain in Switzerland.
37	You have 8 of these things?	Yes, he does.
38	Where do you keep all of them?	He has a big trophy cabinet at home.
39	What Wimbledon tradition do you look forward to the most?	Centre Court opened up by the defending champion at 1 o'clock on Monday.
40	Do you remember the first professional tournament you played?	Gstaad 1998
41	What's the most surprising moment in your career?	Becoming world number 1 and winning all the titles he did.
42	What's your most prize memorabilia?	The net of his 2009 Wimbledon final.
43	Would you consider tennis your favourite sport to watch?	Yes, and football and basketball.
44	Growing up, you also played soccer?	Yes, he did
45	What made you choose tennis over soccer?	He didn't want to blame the goalie.
46	What's the biggest challenge as an athlete that you didn't appreciate when you started?	Being homesick, jet lag and the interviews.
47	How do you want to be remembered?	As a good guy for tennis, philanthropic.
48	Do you enjoy ice-cream before a match?	Not before, but afterwards.

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49	Can you point to the win that was the most memorable?	2003.
50	Why?	It was my first one.
51	Do they engrave these pretty quickly when you win?	Yes.
52	Can you tell me something really quick about Mr. Rafael Nadal?	He's an intense guy on the court. He's super honest and open off the court and he's got a heart of gold.
53	Do you have any pre-match rituals or superstitions?	No.
54	What kind of music would you probably be listening to before a match?	He doesn't normally listen to music, but it would be something relaxing.
55	What do you say to yourself before you walk on this grass?	C'mon Rog, you got this. Go for it. Enjoy it. Let's go.
56	Do you think I can walk out on the grass with you?	For him, it's OK, but you've got to ask Neil.
57	What's your favourite memory of playing here?	Winning his first Wimbledon or beating Pete Sampras in 2001.
58	When it's match point, what is that experience like?	You hear a pin drop when you're about to serve and then the crowd erupts when you win the point.
59	Who is the first person you look out for in the crowd?	The whole crowd, then his team, then the umpire and his opponent.
60	Who's the player that you dread playing the most?	Rafael Nadal.
61	Who's your favourite player to play against?	Rafael Nadal.
62	Who do you want a re-match with?	Del Potro in the US Open Final in 2009.
63	What is the "fire and ice" strategy?	You've got to have fire in the belly wanting to win every point and ice in the veins, which is focus.
64	Prepping for a first-round match versus prepping for a final match, what changes?	Nothing, but he's a bit more nervous.
65	How nervous do you get before matches?	It's the amount of butterflies in the belly that makes the difference.

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66	Mental exhaustion or physical, what's harder to overcome?	Mental
67	Serving volley or power baseline?	Bit of both
68	Footwork or strokes, which is harder to nail?	Footwork is easier to perfect. Strokes are more talent involved.
69	How does surviving Bear Grylls compare to surviving Wimbledon?	It's a bit different.