# Age

## 1. Useful Expressions

- ➤ How old are you?
- ➤ May I have your age?
- > When were you born?
- ➤ Could you tell me how old are you?
- > What's your age?
- ➤ May I know your date of birth?
- > My birth date is June 5, 1987.
- ➤ Are you twenty-three years old?

## 2. Keywords

born

出生,出世(动词 bear 的过去分

词形式,仅用于被动语态)

age

date

birth

年龄

日期

出生, 诞生

### 3. Conversation

A=Applicant I=Interviewer

#### **Conversation 1**

I: Miss Li, please have a seat.

A: Thank you.

I: Could you tell me how old you are?

A: Yes, sir. I was born on May 9, 1985. I'm twenty-seven years old now.

I: When did you come to Beijing?

A: I came here when I was eighteen.

#### **Conversation 2**

I: Miss Liu, could you tell me what your date of birth is?

A: My birth date is July 7, 1989.

I: Are you twenty-three years old?

A: Yes, I'm twenty-three.

I: How long have you been at work?

A: I have been working for two years.

#### 面试技巧小贴士

在面试过程中,如果涉及年龄问题,可以借鉴一下表达方式。

- 1. 在表示"整岁"时,可以直接使用基数词,也可以使用基数词加 years old 或age 来表达。例如: 我 20 岁。I am twenty. /I am twenty years old. / I am aged twenty. / I am at the age of twenty.
  - 2. 表示"超过多少岁"用介词 past,例如: 我已年过 30. I am past thirty. 他已步入中年。He is a man past middle age.
  - 3. 在表示"某人几十多岁"时,用"in one's+基数词复数形式",例如:我二十多岁。I am in my twenties. (指 20 岁到 29 岁之间) 还可以借助 early, middle, late 等词以表达的更精确一些,例如:

I am in my early twenties. 我二十一二岁。/我二十岁出头。

I am in my middle twenties. 我二十五六岁。/我二十五岁左右。

I am in my late twenties. 我二十八九岁。/我快三十岁了。