Example of accepting the job essay

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When evaluating a job offer, the most important factor I consider, besides the salary, is how close the offer matches my own values, career goals and interests. I have to evaluate the entire offer including the benefits and the job requirements in terms of my responsibilities and the expectations. Highlighted hereunder are the factors that I consider before accepting an offer. The factors are arranged based on their impact on my decision to accept the job.

- 1. Salary and allowances the salary should be within the average salaries for the position offered. A higher salary is an added advantage.
- 2. Job conditions these include the responsibilities, job hours, the work environment, and risks involved.
- 3. Benefits the benefits should be within the average range (at least 30% of the annual salary). The most important benefit for me is health insurance; however, other benefits are equally important.
- 4. The company's values, culture, and the corporate environment I am highly ethical and my acceptance of the offer would highly depend on the company's values, culture, and beliefs.
- 5. The management style and training My performance would highly be influenced by my supervisor's personality and management style. I would also consider the training opportunities and methods offered (both internal and external), the potentials for further advancements (continuing education), and the financial support for such education.
- 6. Career paths and promotion potentials I would also consider the company's past history of promotions and the requirements for promotion.

If all the factors are perfect except a lower salary of \$10, 000, I would first of all express my interest in the job, show that I am genuinely interested, and has a realistic understanding of the benefits of the offer. I would then ask, in a very tactful way, if the salary can be negotiated. Throughout the negotiation process, I would be respectful and courteous. I would focus on my qualifications, experience, past achievements, industry average salary for the position, and how best I would use my skills and experience in realizing the company's objectives. I would negotiate with flexibility and creativity. I would be very open to compromise.