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# VERZACE

zayn malik, one half of everyone's otp, takes time away from being fashionable with gigi to answer 5 questions from another blonde model. [by hailey rhode baldwin](#)

budding fashionisto and musician, zayn malik, 24, is a kind dude with the "attention span of a donut." now, i know you're all burning up inside wondering what kind of donut specifically, as i was. luckily, he immediately followed up this statement by telling me he's glazed, "WET in glaze." whether or not "glazed" is code for stoned is beyond me, but i enjoy the company of a man who loves a good donut. moreover, any appreciation of food is a sign of a good person to me. as we have discussed both stuffed peppers and meatball subs in the recent past, i know. in this interview, however, we won't be discussing food... or will we?

## 1) which three words describe you best?

"i would say artistic, introvert, and playful."

[any reason why you chose those words in particular? other than the obvious.](#)

"OH YEAH i can splain.

artistic - i've been into art my entire life. from drawing and painting to singing and playing instruments, i've loved to express myself through those outlets. fashion is just another way i can like tag my name onto something without like bringing

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so much attention to my person which definitely transitions us into the next."

"introvert - i'm extremely antisocial. it doesn't take me too long to break from my shell but it's something worth noting. it takes a lot in me to say hello to someone even if it's over a text message. i am very weak in group settings and it's the main reason why i struggled with being on my own for events and such. there's a big chunk of anxiety that comes with it so i find comfort in being on my own or being with my fiancée or being with close friends. it's the best way for me to be myself. then we transition to the next one."

"playful - i'd like to think that i'm a humorous and playful person. i love joking with mates and creating an atmosphere that they can all enjoy."

## 2) what is your current state of mind?

"i tend to think a lot about the future, which could be my biggest weakness because most of the time i forget about today. i forget to enjoy the time i have now and it rolls me into a pile of worry. it's awful. BUT there are some good points, i tend to write reminders down and make deadlines which is cool."

[i feel like in this day and age it's hard for many to live in the now, which is a shame? we just all have so much to worry about plastered all over the news... fake or not. i'm big on reminders too though, i need that structure or i feel like my days are wasteful.](#)

"yeah definitely. i wish i could do half and half play but instead it's like 3 and a half months

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straight of work and six weeks of play. it gets funny."

[well all work and no play turns you into jack nicholson, so at least you have some of both.](#)

## 3) what's one thing that's happened to you that's made you a stronger person?

"hmmm. i feel like i've never come out strong."

[due to how introverted and anxious you can be? do you ever see yourself getting to a point of becoming stronger in that sense?](#)

"yeah. like i left the band, right? i felt liberated for a while until i succumbed to the life of like drugs and partying. wouldn't call myself strong. and then like the performance anxiety went from like 20 to 300. but for a year i've been staying in my comfort zone and i think i'm going to stay here. and maybe that makes me strong? i like where i'm at i suppose."

[hey, only you know what's best for you and if it works, it works.](#)

## 4) what does vulnerability mean to you? what has the ability to make you vulnerable?

"ahaha well i think being vulnerable means you can allow your emotions to get to the surface. i think my family and definitely gigi has made me vulnerable. they're the reason why i can get in tune with my weaknesses. i need to know them in order to like more forward instead of staying

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stuck.

that makes total sense and i agree, you need to face those so you can have or form the capabilities to move ahead in life. i'm glad you have a good support system.

## 5) where is one place you feel most like yourself?

"my yard!! you should see it!! i've put my spray paint figures on all the walls that i spray and paint and spray and repaint over and over. i love tagging and fun fact i've never actually done it illegally but i love the process and outcome always."

do you have pictures at all for reference? would banksy be proud?

"oh man yeah lemme see... i definitely don't have a social issue aspect."

to be honest, he's the only graffiti artist i know. i'm so uncultured.

**[see right for image shared.]**

"banksy is one of the best. cuz my style is more traditional graffiti. i like painting characters and words."

oh this seems really cool though? i have no sort of art talent like that at all. my artistry is just in like the fact that i did ballet.

"ballet?! now that's precision."

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oh, for sure. any last remarks? closing statement, good advice or tips for anyone that might read this?

"oh thank you for asking such great questions."

"tip: never cook on high heat unless you plan on doing some sort of quick cook. high means burn!!!!"

honestly, that's so important. thank you gordon ramzayn.

"wtf new sn."



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## BONUS

here i bring you my favorite z tunes because i need to fill space so this isn't ugly. ALSO, @zayn i think you are very talented and deserving of the knowledge that i actually have favorite songs of yours' or that you're a part of.

1) wRoNg (feat. Kehlani)

2) You and I (One Direction)

3) Cruel (Snakehips feature)

4) Still Got Time  
(feat. PARTYNEXTDOOR)

5) LIKE I WOULD

6) Steal My Girl (One Direction)

7) Back to Sleep REMIX  
(Chris Brown feature)

8) TiO

9) wHo

10) BeFoUr