

## Declared Purpose:

*The following purpose is for the Level 1 Principal Learning in Hair and Beauty Studies (QAN no: 600/6479/1)*

**This level 1 Principal Learning qualification is a Technical Award which is for 14-16 year olds.**

<b>Who is this qualification for?</b>	Learners who want to combine general education with learning some theory and practical activities related to the Hair and Beauty Industry.
<b>What will the Student study as part of this qualification?</b>	<p>The qualification requires these mandatory subjects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introducing the hair and beauty sector</li> <li>• Creating a positive impression in the hair and beauty sector</li> <li>• Introducing hair styling</li> <li>• Introducing basic skin care treatments</li> <li>• Introducing basic hand care and nail care services</li> <li>• Personal appearance, styling and wellbeing</li> <li>• Careers in the hair and beauty sector.</li> </ul> <p>The personal, learning and thinking skills support your development in communication, being an independent learner, being creative, analysing your strengths and weaknesses, setting goals for yourself, and working in teams.</p> <p>You will study both practical and theoretical aspects of the industry.</p> <p>This qualification will give you an introduction to the hair and beauty industries, and also provide you with the skills that relate to other areas of work and study.</p>
<b>What knowledge and skills will the student develop as part of this qualifications and how might these be used and valued in further studies?</b>	<p>Knowledge and skills developed as part of this qualification include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• introduction to the diverse and exciting world of the six industries within the hair and beauty sector</li> <li>• responsibilities for health and safety, personal presentation, hygiene and working safely</li> <li>• how media trends influence images for the hair and beauty sector</li> <li>• what is expected of people working in the hair and beauty sector and related areas.</li> </ul> <p>These skills and knowledge will be of value in further studies, such as studying a Level 2 Technical Award, a Level 2 specialist qualification, or an apprenticeship.</p>
<b>Which subjects will complement this course?</b>	A range of GCSEs including English and Maths, and others such as English, Biology, Chemistry and Art.

Further information can be found on our website and within the qualification handbook:

[http://cdn.cityandguilds.com/ProductDocuments/Beauty\\_and\\_Complementary\\_Therapies/Beauty/2762/2762\\_Level\\_1/Centre\\_documents/2762-01\\_L1\\_Hair\\_and\\_Beauty\\_Qualification\\_specification\\_v2.pdf](http://cdn.cityandguilds.com/ProductDocuments/Beauty_and_Complementary_Therapies/Beauty/2762/2762_Level_1/Centre_documents/2762-01_L1_Hair_and_Beauty_Qualification_specification_v2.pdf)