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Level 2 Technical Award in Hair and Beauty Studies

Level 2 Hair and Beauty Studies – Theory Exam

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Monday 9 June 2025
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***I declare that I had no prior knowledge of the questions in this examination and that I will not divulge to any person any information about the questions.**

You should have the following for this examination

- a pen with blue or black ink

General instructions

- Use black or blue ball-point pen.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- This examination contains **12** questions. Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided. Answers written in margins or on blank pages will **not** be marked.
- Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.



1 Name **three** services carried out by a nail technician. (3 marks)

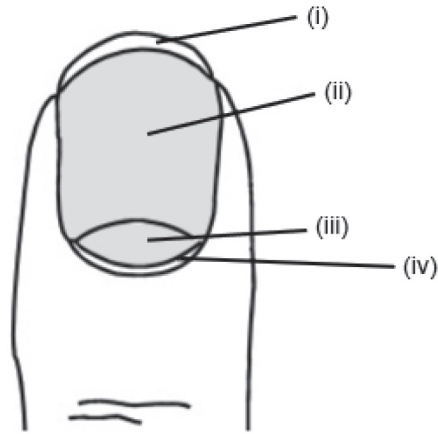
2 Give **two** key features of women's hairstyles worn in Ancient Greece. (2 marks)

3 Explain how product pricing can affect a beauty salon. (3 marks)

4 a) State **three** hairdressing products with a pH value of 8-14. (3 marks)

b) Explain **two** effects on the hair structure of using a strong alkali product. (4 marks)

7 a) Name the nail structures in **Figure 1**.



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Figure 1

i) _____ (1 mark)

ii) _____ (1 mark)

iii) _____ (1 mark)

iv) _____ (1 mark)

b) Explain the function of the nail structure **(iv)** in **Figure 1**. (2 marks)

8 a) Dandruff is a non-contagious skin disorder.

List **four** other non-contagious skin disorders that may affect services in hair and beauty.

(4 marks)

b) Explain how a shampooing service may be affected by a client with dandruff.

(2 marks)

9 a) Name **two** different types of ingredients used to add pigment to hair and beauty products.

(2 marks)

b) Name the type of substance for **each** of the following effects:

i) Has a drying effect on the skin.

(1 mark)

ii) Calming effect to reduce erythema.

(1 mark)

10 State **two** hair styling techniques that can be used to create curls. (2 marks)

11 Explain how the Trade Descriptions Act impacts the planning process of creating a window display. (3 marks)
