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600/5151/6 City & Guilds Level 2 Diploma in Women's and Men's Hairdressing

OVERVIEW

Who is this qualification for?

This qualification is aimed at you if you are looking start a career as a hairdresser/barber.

This qualification is suitable for anyone over the age of 16 years and no prior qualifications are needed.

What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers a very wide range of skills and knowledge required for preparing to work in the hairdressing or barbering industry.

These are the compulsory areas:

- health and safety
- client consultation
- shampoo and condition the hair & scalp
- promote products and services
- cut women's hair
- cut men's hair
- colour and lighten hair.

Optional areas include:

- working with in the hair industry
- the art of dressing hair
- style men's hair
- plaiting and twisting hair
- perm and neutralise
- cut facial hair
- scalp massage
- salon reception duties
- create an image
- style and finish African type hair
- relax African type hair



Centres and providers work with local employers who will contribute to the knowledge and delivery of training. Employers will provide demonstrations and talks on the industry and where possible work placements will also be provided by the employers. This practically based training is ideal preparation for training on the job or specialist further study.

What could this qualification lead to?

This qualification could lead to jobs such as hairdresser or barber working in one of the following establishments:

- barbers shop
- hair salon
- hotel salon
- cruise ship.

Why choose this qualification over other similar qualifications?

City & Guilds offers three different technical certificates at Level 2 covering the Hair industry.

You would choose this Level 2 Diploma in Women's and Men's Hairdressing. This qualification covers a wide range of skills and knowledge to prepare learners who want to work on a variety of clients in the Hairdressing Industry. The units covered in this qualification will give you a wider range of progression or employment opportunities.

However, if you are interested in barbering you may want to consider the Level 2 Diploma in Barbering if you want to cover all of the skills and knowledge you will need to work as a junior barber.

City & Guilds also offers the Level 2 Diploma in Women's Hairdressing. This qualification covers a wide range of skills and knowledge to prepare learners who want to work in the women's hairdressing Industry.

Will this qualification lead to further learning?

You could progress onto an apprenticeship at Level 3 in either Barbering or Hairdressing or other qualifications such as:

- Level 3 Diploma in Woman's Hairdressing
- Level 3 Diploma in Barbering
- Level 3 Diploma for Colour Technicians
- Level 3 Diploma for Cutting and Styling Technicians
- Level 3 Diploma in Hair Services
- Level 3 Certificate in Hairdressing
- Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Barbering
- Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Hairdressing.

Who supports this qualification?

This qualification is supported by Hairdressing Council

This is intended for use as a Technical Certificate at Level 2.

For further information on this qualification please go
to http://cdn.cityandguilds.com/ProductDocuments/Hairdressing/Hairdressing/3002/3002_Level_2/Centre_documents/3002_L2_Qualification_Handbook_v2-3.pdf