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500/9002/1 Level 2 Certificate in Hair Techniques

<u>OVERVIEW</u>

• What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers a very wide range of areas related to the skills and knowledge required for preparing to work in the Hairdressing or Barbering Industry.

The following areas that can be covered within this qualification:

- shampoo and condition the hair & scalp
- promote products and services
- dressing hair.
- colouring hair
- perming hair
- cutting women's hair
- cutting men's hair

All learners will cover the following core units: working within the hair industry, health and safety and client consultation. Then, depending on the area they wish to specialise in, they have a choice of one of the following different pathways:

- Cutting Women's Hair
- Colouring Hair
- Perming Hair
- Barbering Techniques
- Combined Hair Types Techniques.

The different pathways allow the learner to experience the skills required to work in the different specialised areas within the hairdressing or barbering industry.

This is a Framework qualification.







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• Who could take this qualification?

This qualification is suitable for anyone from 16 years old or over who is interested in a career in hairdressing or barbering.

WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

This qualification could lead to jobs such as:

- Hairdressing
- Barbering.

The learner could progress onto an apprenticeship at Level 3 in either barbering or hairdressing or other qualifications such as such as:

- Level 3 Diploma in Barbering
- Level 3 Diploma in Women's Hairdressing
- 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

There are also Level 2 Diplomas in Hairdressing and Barbering, which cover a wider range of skills. This qualification will allow learners who cannot commit the time to study to a full Diploma size qualification, but have the available hours to study a smaller qualification which covers basic knowledge and skills needed for employment in the Hairdressing and Barbering Industry.

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

This qualification is supported by the National Hairdressing Federation.