

6002-20 Level 2 Technical Certificate in Barbering

6002-505 Level 2 Barbering - Theory Exam

March 2022 Mark Scheme

Q no.	Acceptable answer(s)	Guidance	Max mks	Ref
Q1 a)	 1 mark for any of the following: Closes / smooths the hair cuticles / reduces the alkalinity / adds acidity / restores natural Ph balance (1) Polymers / silicon / product coats the hair structure *(1) 	*Accept 'coats the hair structure'	1	202 1.3 AO1
Q1 b)	 1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 3 marks: To aid with detangling the hair (1) To look shiny/healthier*(1) To make hair feel smoother / softer / healthier* (1) To reduce static (1) To improve hair manageability **(1) To protect the hair/cortex from loss of moisture (1) 	*Do not award additional marks for reference to feeling/looking healthier. *Accept example of how hair feels to the touch **Accept reduce frizz	3	202 1.3 AO2
Q2 a)	Response which includes any 4 of the points below, to a maximum of 4 marks: To avoid offending others (colleagues / clients) (1) To minimise the risk of cross infection / infestation (1) To portray professional personal image (1) To reflect / maintain the professional image of the business (1) To gain client trust / confidence (1) To ensure client feels comfortable (1) To avoid loss of clients/business (1) To avoid poor reputation of self / business (1)* To avoid reprimand / warning / risk of losing job (1)	Accept the opposite of each point e.g. To portray personal professional image (1) → To avoid portraying an unprofessional image (1) *Candidates must refer to reputation to gain mark	4	201 3.2 AO2

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Q2 b)	 1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 4 marks: A positive attitude: Has a positive effect on others / colleagues (1) helping to improve/maintain efficiency (1) and harmony in the workplace (1) Maintains a professional image of the business (1) maintains good relations with clients / clients feel comfortable / confident (1) which encourages repeat business / helps avoid loss of clients / improves client retention/increased online presence (1) 	A maximum of two marks can be awarded if candidates only give the benefits (bold).	4	201 3.2 AO2
Q3	 1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 5 marks: Data/Information is: used fairly (1) and lawfully (1) used for specified / explicit purpose (1) is relevant (1) and limited to only what is necessary (1) accurate (1) and kept up to date (1) kept for no longer than is necessary (1) handled in a way that ensures appropriate safety / security (1), disposed of securely (1) protected against unlawful (1) unauthorised access / processing (1) 		5	201 1.2 AO1
Q4	1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 2 marks: Hydrophilic head • Attracted to water / water-loving (1) • Repelled by oil (1) Hydrophobic tail • repels water / water-hating (1) • attracts oil / helps to break up / separate oil (1)	Candidate must make reference to both head and tail to gain both marks	2	202 2.1 AO1

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Q5	 1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 3 marks: Provides strength / elasticity / condition (1) Contains linkages / bonds/fibres* (1) Holds moisture (1) Holds colour pigment / determines the colour (of the hair) (1) All chemical reactions take place within the cortex (1) Helps to determine hair texture (1). 	*Accept names of linkages / bonds / fibres e.g. polypeptide chains, salt bonds, hydrogen bonds.	3	201 2.1 AO1
Q6	 1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 2 marks for one of the following bullet points: To add definition (1) which helps to break up the shape (1) To add texture (1) and personalise the finish (1) To add volume (to the finish) (1) which helps makes the hair more pliable / managable (1) To smooth the hair (1) which prevents frizz / flyway hairs (1) Protects against humidity (1) which helps to maintain the style (1) 		2	209 2.1 AO2
Q7 a)	Response should include any 4 of the points below, up to a maximum of 4 marks: To ensure even tension can be applied (1) To achieve an even / accurate finish (1) To achieve a balanced finish (1) To prevent hair being cut too short / meet client requirements (1) as wet hair stretches more than damp/dry hair (1) To ensure tools can work effectively / don't snag (1) to maintain client comfort (1)	Accept responses giving the opposite	4	208- 2.1 AO2
Q7 b)	 1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 3 marks: Create volume / lift* (1) Add movement** (1) Create texture (1) Give a natural finish (1) 	*Accept opposite: 'smoothing' **Accept examples of movement (e.g waves, tousled)	3	209 2.1 AO1

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Q7 c)	1 mark for the following: • Diffuser (1)	Do not accept nozzle	1	209 2.1 AO1
Q8 a)	1 mark for of the following:		1	208
,	One length look			2.1 AO1
Q8 b)	mark for of the following: Uniform layer 0°		1	208 2.1
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Q9 a)	1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 4 marks:		4	208 2.1
	 Freehand (1) to define the shape of the outline (1) Trimmers over comb / taper comb / with attachments (1), to graduate/fade inside the outline shape (1) 			AO2
Q9 b)	mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 2 marks: Visually check / looking into the mirror (1) Cross checking* (1)	Do not accept visual aids *Accept examples of cross checking	2	210 2.1 AO1
Q10	1 mark each for up to any 3 considerations (bold text) of the following, 1 mark each for the explanations: Degree of tension (1) wet hair will stretch more (1) too much tension will overstretch the hair (1) causing breakage *(1) and uneven results (1). Use of freehand / club cutting technique (1) reduce tension on the hair (1) and ensure accurate result (1) Do not use (razor/fine tooth comb**) (1) so to not pull / over stretch the hair (1) which will cause damage/breakage* (1) Use a leave-in conditioner ***(1) to aid use of tools / equipment (1) and help maintain client	*Do not award additional marks for repeat of breakage ** Accept opposite: Use a wide toothcomb *** Accept either of the following for 1 mark: Use a restructurant / use a spray in conditioner	6	201 2.2 AO2

Q no.	Acceptable answer(s)	Guidance	Max mks	Ref
Q11	1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 2 marks.	Do not accept inflammation/redness	2	201 2.3
	 Spots around the mouth area (1) Spots become / can be (yellow) crusted* (1) Spread / merge into larger patches (1) Burning irritation (1) Infectious (1) 	*Accept yellow scales/flakes		AO1
Q12	Band 1 (1 - 4 marks) Basic discussion showing minimal considerations, supported with little or no analysis and conclusion. Tenuous links to client's requirements with lack of understanding evident. Makes little or no reference to techniques or tools and products and	Indicative content may include, but not limited to the following examples of connections: Client consultation - Lifestyle,	12	
	provided little or no justifications for selection. The response lacks structure and coherency with some inaccuracies.	requirements and style suitability, (e.g. head/face shape/features, exploring style possibilities, with use of visual		
	To access higher marks in the band the response will include some attempt of terminology and a satisfactory range of considerations.	aids, managing client expectations.		
	Band 2 (5 - 8 marks) The discussion is mostly relevant and likely to be detailed in some areas more than others which makes a reasonable attempt to cover some considerations displaying good breadth of understanding. This is supported by some analysis and conclusions that displayed a general	Factors, hair classification- type 1, characteristics – medium density, growth patterns (eg cowlick), hair and scalp condition, contra- indications (bald patch) visual checks.		
	depth of understanding in most parts. Clear knowledge of topic is evident although linkages between these may be slightly fragmented and lack coherency. Throughout the discussion	Client and hair preparation, PPE and client protection - cutting hair wet/dry.		
	recommendations and opinions are offered with use of some examples, factual content is accurate.	Selection of tools and equipment, scissors, thinning scissors, clippers, trimmers, attachments, combs, brushes,		
	To access the higher marks in the band, the discussion will be mostly detailed and presented in a clear and logical structure, use of terminology	use of barber chair. Cutting techniques, club		
	is mostly appropriate. Band 3 (9 - 12 marks) Thorough and detailed discussion which covers a variety of considerations and implication showing breadth of understanding which is supported by	cutting, freehand, scissor/clipper over comb, with attachments, fading/ graduation, outlines, neckline shapes.		
	effective and relevant factors and conclusions that display depth of understanding. A well-reasoned discussion with accurate links to the client's requirements and theories were considered. Good	Drying/styling and finishing techniques suitable for pompadour.		

comparisons are made between techniques tools and products. Throughout the discussion coherent recommendations and opinions are offered with appropriate justifications and clearly defined examples. Relevant use of accurate terminology was evident. Majority of the discussion is relevant and factually accurate.

To access higher marks in the band the response will be balanced and structured in a logical way with appropriate conclusions that are fully justified. Product selection - shampoo products, styling and finishing products.

Advice and recommendations for home adjustment after themed party, maintenance of style, future services, and suggested time intervals between services. Aftercare products, retail sales.

Communication skills/techniques.

Reference to safe working practice.