

## 6002-530 Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Barbering (450)

### Level 3 Barbering - Theory exam (1)

#### March 2022 Mark Scheme

Q no.	Acceptable answer(s)	Guidance	Max mks	Ref
Q1	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 4 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Max working hours per week (1) unless opt out agreed in writing (1)</li> <li>• Time allowed for rest breaks (1) depending on age / length of working hours (1)</li> <li>• Entitled amount of days off per week/fortnight (1)</li> <li>• Paid annual leave (1)</li> <li>• Restrictions on working time related to age (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Accept:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 18 plus year olds cannot work more than 48 hours per (average) week (1)</li> <li>• A 20-minute rest break when working day is longer than 6 hours (1)</li> <li>• 11 consecutive hours rest per 24-hour period (1)</li> <li>• Must have a minimum of 1 day off per week (1), or 2 consecutive days off in a fortnight (1)</li> <li>• 5.6 weeks/28 days' paid time off/annual leave per year (1)</li> <li>• 16–18-year-olds are restricted to 8 hours per day (1) and 40 hours per week (1).</li> </ul>	4	<p><b>309</b> <b>1.1</b></p> <p>AO1</p>
Q2 a)	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 3 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hair breakage / tufting hairs (1)</li> <li>• Thinning of hair density / loss of hair (1)</li> <li>• Presence of short fine / vellus hairs (1)</li> <li>• Usually around the frontal / temporal areas / hairline (1)</li> </ul>		3	<p><b>309</b> <b>2.1</b></p> <p>AO1</p>
Q2 b)	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 1 mark:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extreme/prolonged tension of the hair over a period of time (1)</li> </ul>	<p>Accept examples of hairstyles which require tension e.g. ponytails/manbuns, cornrows, extensions, added hair etc.</p> <p>Candidate <b>must</b> refer to period of time to gain marks.</p>	1	<p><b>309</b> <b>2.1</b></p> <p>AO1</p>

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Q3 a)	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 4 marks:</b></p> <p><b>Techniques</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Tapering/slicing (1)</b></li> <li>• <b>Texturising (1)</b></li> <li>• <b>Point cutting/chipping in (1)</b></li> <li>• <b>Freehand technique (1)</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Expansion points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To thin the ends of the hair/to cut the ends of the hair at an angle (1)</li> <li>• To remove some of the weight from the ends (1)</li> <li>• To encourage (more) curl (1)</li> </ul>	A maximum of <b>2</b> marks can be awarded if <b>only</b> cutting techniques provided (bold)	<b>4</b>	<b>310 2.3</b>  AO2
Q3 b)	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 2 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hair stretches more when wet (1)</b> if too much tension is applied, too much length could be removed (1)</li> <li>• <b>The finish result may appear too short (1)</b> as curly hair springs up / reduces in length when dry (1)</li> </ul>		<b>2</b>	<b>310. 2.1</b>  AO2
Q4 a)	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 2 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Red / blue thread-like lines on the skin (1)</li> <li>• Can be in clusters / star / web-like patterns (1)</li> <li>• Usually around the nose / chin / cheeks (1).</li> </ul>		<b>2</b>	<b>312 2.2</b>  AO1

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Q4 b)	<p><b>1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 6 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Use less extremes of temperature</b> (when applying hot and cold towels) (1) which could increase the risk of developing more/make the condition worse (1)*</li> <li>• <b>Use less pressure on the skin (1) do not overwork the skin (1)</b> to avoid aggravating the skin (1) which could increase the risk of developing more/make the condition worse (1)*</li> <li>• <b>Apply pre-shave oil/moisturiser (1)</b> and keep the skin lubricated throughout the shave (1) to minimise skin dehydration (1).</li> <li>• <b>Apply post-shave skin care product (1)</b> to improve the condition of the skin (1) and protect it (skin) (1) from environmental elements.</li> </ul>	<p>*Do <b>not</b> award additional marks for similar points.</p> <p>A maximum of 3 marks can be awarded if <b>only</b> factors provided (bold).</p> <p><b>Accept</b> Reference to skin elasticity/moisture when discussing improving the condition of the skin.</p>	6	<p>312 2.2</p> <p>AO2</p>
Q4 c)	<p><b>1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 1 mark:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GP/Dermatologist (1)</li> </ul>		1	<p>312 2.2</p> <p>AO1</p>
Q5 a)	<p><b>1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 2 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ringworm</li> <li>• Impetigo</li> <li>• Scabies</li> <li>• Folliculitis.</li> </ul>	Accept correct terminology for skin conditions e.g Tinea Capitis for Ringworm	2	<p>309 2.1</p> <p>AO1</p>
Q5 b)	<p><b>1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 2 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psoriasis</li> <li>• Eczema</li> <li>• Alopecia</li> <li>• Dandruff</li> <li>• Dermatitis</li> <li>• Keloid scarring</li> <li>• Cyst.</li> </ul>	Accept correct terminology for skin conditions e.g Pityriasis Capitis for Dandruff	2	<p>309 2.1</p> <p>AO1</p>

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Q6 a)	<p><b>1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 6 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Create a more triangular shape (1)</b> with some length at the middle of the chin (1) to draw the attention downwards/giving the illusion of longer length*/less width to the face shape (1).</li> <li>• <b>Create a Van Dyke shape/gap between the moustache and the beard (1)</b> making the face appear more elongated* (1)</li> <li>• <b>Keep outlines tight/not too wide (1)</b>, avoiding too much of a round shape around the mouth area (1) as this will accentuate the round face (1).</li> </ul>	*Do <b>not</b> award additional marks for similar expansion points	4	311 2.1  AO2
Q6 b)	<p><b>1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 5 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hair outside the outlines will need to be removed on a regular/daily basis (1)</b>, otherwise the beard will look unsightly/messy (1)</li> <li>• <b>Hair length will need to be kept trimmed regularly (1) advise on when to return to barbers (1)</b> to maintain the original shape (1)</li> <li>• <b>Daily cleansing (washing/shampooing) of the facial hair (1) and daily brushing/combing (1)</b> to remove unwanted debris (1) and avoid tangling (1)</li> <li>• <b>Use beard oil/moisturising products (1)</b> to maintain beard condition/avoid frizz (1) and keep a groomed shape/finish (1).</li> </ul>	Must refer to a minimum of 3 bullet points to gain full marks.	5	309 2.2  AO2
Q7 a)	<p><b>1 mark each for any of the following, to a maximum of 2 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Genetic/family history of baldness (1)</li> <li>• Hair follicles are more sensitive to androgens/DHT/male hormone (1)</li> <li>• Hair follicle shrinks (1), growth cycle permanently stops (1)</li> </ul>		2	310 2.1  AO1

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Q7 b)	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 1 mark:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hamilton pattern / Ludwig pattern / Male pattern Baldness.</li> </ul>		1	310 2.1  AO1
Q8	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 5 marks:</b></p> <p><b>Rectify the uneven areas by:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Re-consider/adapt cutting techniques used (1)</li> <li>Change the cutting direction to go against/opposite direction of the hair growth (1)</li> <li>Work on small areas (1) to ensure balance (1).</li> <li>Re-consider the hair growth patterns (1)</li> <li>Visually check the finish (1).</li> </ul>		5	311 2.1  AO2
Q9	<p>1 mark each for any of the following, <b>to a maximum of 4 marks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Removal of (excess) fluid from tissues (1)</li> <li>Removal of bacteria/toxins/damaged cells/other matter (1)</li> <li>Absorbs end products (acids and fats) of digestion (1)</li> <li>Redistributes fluid back to the bloodstream/body (1)</li> <li>Transports the white blood cells to/from the lymph nodes/into the bones (1)</li> <li>Helps keep infection away from the body/keep body healthy (1).</li> </ul>		4	312 2.1  AO1

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Q10	<p><b>Band 1 (1 – 4 marks)</b> Response covers a narrow range of considerations, with little or no reference to the implications on the achievability of the hair and beard services. Tenuous links to use of products, cutting tools and techniques and their suitability are evident/loosely linked to the overall style achievability.</p> <p>To access higher marks in the band, the response will contain some relevant points and appropriate action. Examples will be limited with little or no justification.</p> <p><b>Band 2 (5 – 8 marks)</b> The response makes a reasonable attempt to cover the main considerations and implications of the achievability of the style and some justifications.</p> <p>Discussion is mostly relevant and likely to be detailed in some areas more than others; reference to consultation considerations, products, hair and beard services, tools and equipment, techniques and adjustments to the services may be made to address issues. Clear knowledge of topics is evident although linkages between these may be fragmented and lack coherency. Discussion recommendations and opinions are offered with use of some examples in parts; content is mostly factually accurate. The overall discussion is presented in a reasonably clear format and the use of terminology is appropriate.</p> <p>To access higher marks in the band, the discussion will generally be detailed and contain relevant justifications. The overall discussion is presented clearly and with some logical structure.</p> <p><b>Band 3 (9 – 12 marks)</b> Detailed response which covers a wide range of considerations, implications of the achievability of the style and includes justification. A comprehensive discussion which incorporates the relevant consultation considerations and their impact on the service; comparisons are drawn on the effects and limitations for a wide range of products, cutting and shaving tools and equipment and techniques including reference to credible adaptations and suitability. Aftercare advice is tailored to the</p>	<p><b>Indicative content:</b></p> <p><b>Candidate discussion may include, but not be limited to the following:</b></p> <p><b>Consultation considerations and possible implications that may impact on the service, with reference to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Client requirements, suitability, achievability, costs, time, maintenance</li> <li>• Hair analysis: hair length, hair condition; growth patterns; hair classification – type 1, characteristics; possible adverse hair conditions and influencing factors, including hair texture, density, condition, (possibly dry) alopecia areata</li> <li>• Skin analysis: look for signs of any additional adverse skin conditions and contra-indications, skin and scalp conditions (eg dry flaky &amp; sensitive skin.</li> <li>• Facial hair length for the beard cut</li> </ul> <p><b>Client understanding / satisfaction:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exploration and recommendations for current look taking into consideration head and face shape, change of style, influencing factors.</li> <li>• Seeking client agreement and satisfaction with the outcome.</li> </ul> <p><b>Service:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hair preparation</li> <li>• Facial hair &amp; skin preparation</li> <li>• Hair cutting tools and equipment and suitability for style requirements, hair classification, texture and density.</li> <li>• Facial hair cutting tools and equipment and suitability for hair and skin</li> <li>• Shaving tools and equipment and suitability for hair and skin</li> </ul>	12	

	<p>client with clear and appropriate reasoning for recommendations. The discussion is coherent and supported by accurate factual content and clearly defined examples. Relevant use of accurate terminology and the overall discussion is presented in a clear and structured format.</p> <p>To access higher marks within the band, the response will be well balanced, comprehensive and the recommendations will be fully justified across the whole service.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drying and styling tools and equipment</li> <li>• Product selection, usage, cutting techniques, styling and finishing techniques</li> <li>• Beard cutting and shaving techniques and suitability</li> <li>• Personalisation of the look to the client</li> </ul> <p><b>Aftercare advice</b> Recommendations on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• maintenance for haircut and beard</li> <li>• products for home use</li> <li>• return visits</li> <li>• referral to trichologist or GP</li> </ul>		
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