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601/5699/5 City & Guilds Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Barbering

OVERVIEW

- Who is this qualification for?

This qualification is designed for learners aged 16 years or over who are starting out in the Barbering industry or progressing from a Level 1 qualification.

Learners will be assessed in the workplace.

- What does this qualification cover?

The City & Guilds Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Barbering covers all of the core knowledge and skills needed to become a competent Barber, as well as giving the learner the opportunity to develop different skills by choosing from a selection of optional units.

Mandatory

- Advise and consult with clients
- Shampoo, condition and treat the hair and scalp
- Develop and maintain effectiveness at work
- Cut men's hair using basic techniques
- Cut facial hair to shape using basic techniques
- Dry and finish men's hair
- Create basic outlines and detailing in hair

Optional

- Relax hair
- Perm and neutralise hair
- Plait and twist hair
- Temporarily attach hair to enhance a style
- Assist with shaving services
- Fulfil salon reception duties
- Colour and lighten men's hair

This is a Framework qualification.



WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

Learners achieving this qualification can gain employment in a salon as a Barber, carrying out day to day tasks such as:

- customer service
- shampooing hair
- cutting hair
- preparing for shaving services
- cut facial hair
- colouring services.

Learners could progress onto an apprenticeship at Level 3, in either barbering or hairdressing, or other qualifications 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

This will allow learners to enhance their existing technical skills as a Barber or progress into other roles within the industry such as Senior Barber.

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

The Hairdressing Council - professional association for Hairdressers & Barbers.