City & Guilds

7763 Level 2 Certificate for Dog Grooming Assistants 500/7740/5

OVERVIEW

• What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers a wide range of areas related to the skills and knowledge required for working in the Dog Grooming industry, or progressing to further learning and training.

All learners must take the mandatory units:

Prepare and groom dogs prior to bathing
Bathe and clean dogs
Clean and maintain equipment used for grooming or removing hair from animals
Control and restrain animals
Dry dogs and prepare their coats for styling
Basic trimming of a dog’s coat

You can then take optional units that are relevant to the chosen area of interest such as:

Carry out reception duties
Handle payments from clients
Welcome, receive and care for visitors to sites
Move animals between locations
Maintain the cleanliness and bio security of the animal care working environment

This is a Framework qualification.

• Who could take this qualification? OR who is this qualification designed for?

This qualification is a centre-based qualification designed to be taken in a College-based environment.

It reflects the skills and knowledge needed to progress into employment, or onto a Level 3 qualification.

There are no specific prior achievements required to take this qualification, but a Level 1 or another Level 2 qualification in Animal Care or other Land-based related subjects could be an advantage.
You need to be 16 years old or over to take this qualification.

WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

This qualification could lead to jobs such as:

- Assistant Animal/Dog Groomer

You could progress to an Apprenticeship at Level 3 or other qualifications at Level 3 such as:

Level 3 Certificate in Introductory Dog Grooming
Level 3 Diploma for Professional Dog Stylists
or
Level 3 Certificate in Animal Management
Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Animal Management
Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Animal Management
Level 3 Diploma in Animal Management
Level 3 Extended Diploma in Animal Management
or
Level 3 Diploma in Work-based Animal Care (stand alone, or Apprenticeship).

This is the only centre-based qualification for Dog Grooming Assistants at Level 2. There is a dog grooming ‘pathway’ in the Level 2 Work-based Diploma in Animal Care.

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

This qualification is supported by the Pet Industry Federation.