



Hair & Beauty

VTCT Level 1/2 Technical Award in the Study of Hair and Beauty

This qualification is made up of 3 Units:

UCO90 – Business and entrepreneurship in the hair and beauty sector

UCO91 – Anatomy, physiology and cosmetic science

UCO92 – Design in the hair and beauty sector

Unit UCO90

This unit will enable learners to develop knowledge and understanding of business principles, types of businesses, marketing and entrepreneurship and different business opportunities within the hair and beauty sector.

Unit UCO91

This unit will enable learners to develop knowledge and understanding of cosmetic chemistry, the role of the integumentary system and the development of hair and beauty products.

Unit UCO92

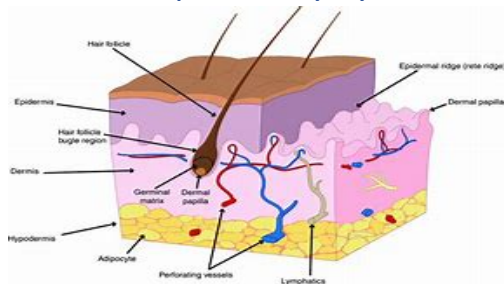
This unit will enable learners to develop knowledge and understanding of the purpose, principles and development of design briefs for the hair and beauty sector, including how to present and communicate design brief ideas and concepts to a range of audiences and develop analytical, reflective and evaluative skills.

Assessment by examination - **05/02/25 @ 9.30am**

A written theory exam, externally set and externally marked by VTCT, will contribute 40% to the overall qualification grade and will be undertaken by learners simultaneously.

Non-exam assessment - **released 01/12/24**

The synoptic assignment brief, externally set, internally marked and externally moderated by VTCT, will contribute 60% to the overall qualification grade. The synoptic assignment brief will be undertaken independently by learners in controlled assessment conditions.



Year 11 Hair & Beauty (Tech Award) Supporting your Child's Progress

✓ Make achievement everyone's responsibility by...

Talking about their learning regularly.
Keeping track of upcoming assessments.
Creating a space to work that is free from distractions



✓ Homework

Check that homework is completed on time.
You can connect to your child's Seneca account to see how they are progressing.
Draw up a plan and help them stick to it.



✓ Reading at the heart of success

Encourage regular short and varied reading of the Hair & Beauty knowledge organisers for each unit.
These are posted on google classrooms.



✓ Revisit and Recall

Keep track of the tasks and projects your child is working on and ask about them every couple of weeks. This will help embed learning into long-term memory!
Ask them about:
Anatomy and Physiology of the skin, hair and nails.
Different business opportunities.

