

Hair & Beauty



Consider Options* Age 14

Level 1	Level 2
Hair and Beauty Studies Diploma – Foundation	Higher
Beauty Therapy NVQ 1	NVQ 2
Hairdressing NVQ 1	
	VTCT Nail Technology

Workers in personal and other services generally use their skills to help people look well groomed and attractive, or to make our living and working environments cleaner, safer and more hygienic. Many jobs are at operative or technician level, although there are opportunities at every level, including professional and managerial.

Careers are available in:

- cleaning services - ranging from cleaning streets and buildings to cars and clothes
- hairdressing, beauty and personal presentation - helping people to look and feel their best
- funeral services - managing arrangements for funerals, cremations and burials, and giving support to the bereaved.

People who work in this sector need a methodical and responsible approach to work. Good teamwork, communication and people skills are essential for many roles. Most workers need an ability to work well with their hands. Jobs in hairdressing, beauty and body art also require creative flair.

There are no set entry requirements for many jobs. However, there are career opportunities at many levels, with entry qualifications including GCSEs, appropriate NVQs, national diplomas, HNCs/HNDs, Foundation degrees and degrees.

For Apprenticeships: www.apprenticeships.org.uk

*These are local examples of the kinds of courses available. Please use the Area Wide Prospectus www.myfuturesussex.com for further information

Consider Options* Age 16

Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Hair and Beauty Studies Diploma – Foundation	Higher	Higher
Beauty Therapy NVQ 1	NVQ 2	NVQ 3
	Apprenticeship in Beauty Therapy	Advanced Apprenticeship in Spa Therapy
	Apprenticeship in Hairdressing	
Hairdressing NVQ 1	NVQ 2	NVQ 3
	VTCT Nail Technology	Certificate in Artificial Nail Treatments
	Apprenticeship in Barbering	Advanced Apprenticeship in Nail Services

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- Barber
 - Colourist
 - Electrologist hair
 - Stylist
 - Make up artist
 - Nail artist
 - Salon designer
 - Spa manager
 - Beauty Therapist
 - Tattooist
 - Hairdresser
 - Image Consultant
 - Nail Technician
 - Spa Therapist

Providers offering:	Portslade Community College	Hove Park School
City College Brighton & Hove	Blatchington Mill	Longhill School
Northbrook College	Cardinal Newman Catholic School	Patcham High School
Sussex Downs College	Dorothy Stringer School	Portslade Community College
Look Fantastic	Falmer High School	Varndean School

