

Level 2 & 3 NVQ Diploma in Barbering



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The Level 2 Diploma for Hair Professionals - Barbering is a newly created qualification based on employer needs and has been designed by employers for learners wishing to gain an apprenticeship within the Hair Professional arena.

The Diploma will lead to the achievement of the Hair Professional Apprenticeship Standard alongside the relevant functional.

This a qualification designed for learners who are at least 16 years old and who wish to develop the skills and knowledge needed to begin to work as a Barber. They may have previously completed a Level 1 qualification in the relevant subject area. Learners wishing to complete these qualifications will be doing so as an employed, apprentice in a real work environment.

What does the qualification cover?

The Diploma covers all of the core knowledge and skills needed to become a competent Barber. This qualification also includes an element of End-Point Assessment (EPA) which is assessed by a City & Guilds Independent End-point Assessor.

What opportunities for progression are there?

Learners achieving the Diploma for Hair Professionals – Barbering 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
- cutting facial hair

Who did we develop the qualification with?

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Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Barbering

Who are the qualifications for?

The Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Barbering is designed for learners who work in or wish to pursue a career in barbering. The Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Barbering provides the necessary skills and knowledge that prove occupational competence as a senior barber.

What does the qualification cover?

This qualification allows candidates to learn, develop and practice the skills required to provide barbering services for all hair types. The Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Barbering covers, shaving, cutting facial hair, creating patterns in hair as well as cutting and styling men's hair and consulting with clients.

What opportunities for progression are there?

Learners may progress to employment as a senior stylist or barber, or the following City & Guilds Qualification the Level 4 Diploma in Management & Advanced Techniques in the Hair & Beauty Industry. This qualification has been developed with Habia.

"Having Ethan as our apprentice is extremely important to us as a business. Ethan has the title Floor Manager as it is he who is in control of the Customer experience outside of the barber chat, he will meet and greet customers as they walk through the door, take their coat and offer them a beverage. He is also in charge of answering the phone and managing the booking system to ensure the barbers appointment schedule runs effectively throughout the day.

Ethan will also clean each station in between clients and make sure the shop is staying within the health & safety regulations especially at this time with Covid-19 guidelines in place. Ethan has a lot of potential and i look forward to seeing him progress on to gaining his qualification and becoming a full time barber with us".



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