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Hairdressing/Barbering Apprenticeship Level 3

This advanced Level 3 apprenticeship will provide learners with the opportunity to develop on the skills learnt at Level 2, enabling you to progress into senior stylist/colourist positions.

Quick Information	
Qualification:	
Date:	On Application
Assessment:	You will be assessed both in college and in the workplace to demonstrate the practical skills you are learning. Theory content is assessed by online assessments in college and by written assignments.
Level:	3
Area:	Hair & Beauty
Course Code:	CWAHB1

About the Course

This course is aimed at learners wishing to build on the knowledge and skills covered at Level 2, further developing the underlying principles and practical skills required by the hairdressing industry. Level 3 is geared towards senior stylists and colour technicians involving more complex and advanced practical techniques, as well as taking responsibility for others with less experience.

As an apprentice, you will be working in a hairdressing salon. You will assist in the smooth running of the salon and support the stylists. You will generally spend 4 days a week at work and one day in college. A typical day in the workplace will involve welcoming the clients, performing varied hairdressing services and general housekeeping duties. You must be willing to learn new skills and take part in training activities to enhance your learning. The day you are in college you will do some theory based work and some practical tasks.

Key Units

Key Areas of Study

- Creative style and dress hair
- Creatively cut hair using a combination of techniques
- Creatively colour and lighten hair
- Provide client consultation services
- Hair colour correction services
- Contribute to the planning, implementation and evaluation of promotional activites

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Entry Requirements

Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Hairdressing or equivalent

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Where does this Lead

The majority of apprentices will continue in paid employment in a salon once they complete their qualification.

Future Opportunities

You could progress to further study of specialist technical services, into salon management or owning your own salon.

Tell Me More

A hairdressing apprenticeship will suit you if you have an artistic flair. You must have good stamina as you are often on your feet all day. You will need good people skills and be able to communicate well with clients and your fellow staff members.

Extra Costs

Hairdressing apprentices will be expected to buy a uniform for the college based practical sessions and a hairdressing kit consisting of essential equipment such as, scissors, brushes, clips, practice heads etc. The estimated cost for this will be £215.00

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