



Women's Hairdressing Diploma level 3 - HA301

This Level 3 Diploma course is designed to advance your hairdressing expertise through a dynamic mix of creative and technical units. From mastering the art of cutting and colouring to refining your styling skills and supporting colleagues through effective consultations, this qualification provides a comprehensive foundation for a successful career in the hairdressing industry.

COURSE DETAILS

The course is a Level 3 Diploma that covers the following units:

- Creative art of cutting women's hair
- Artistic skill of colouring
- Imaginative dexterity of styling and dressing hair
- Technical colour correction
- How to provide effective consultation support for colleagues

Alongside these modules, you will develop a sound knowledge of monitoring health and safety whilst working in the hairdressing industry.

You will also develop a knowledge and understanding of the practical skills learned throughout this qualification. As well as practical assessment there will be online exams and written assignments.

ENTRY GUIDELINES

- This Level 3 course is 1 year in length.
- If you have a level 2 qualification in the subject you want to study and a maths or English GCSE at Grade 4 (or functional skill level 2) you can study at this level.

- Entry requirements for Level 3 courses in some sectors may be more specific. If you're unsure whether you meet these requirements, don't worry — we can help you find a suitable course that aligns with your skills and experience.

If English is not your first language, you may need an assessment before enrolling on this course. To discuss further, please contact the ESOL department on 0151 551 7144.

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED

You will need a full make up kit including brushes and top up kits. This will be available to order at enrolment and you may be eligible for financial support to help with the cost of this.

ASSESSMENT METHOD

Practical assessment tests are carried out and written assignments are completed. In addition there are VTCT online tests.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This course will help you develop key skills in hairdressing, giving learners a route towards a career in the Hair & Beauty industry.

- Gain confidence in your skill set and apply your knowledge to your studies
- Receive outstanding support from our friendly teaching team
- Work independently as well as in a group
- Inclusive and supportive work environment

This is a full-time programme, available for 16-18 year olds and adult learners.

WHERE CAN I PROGRESS TO?

You may wish to further your management skills, consider teaching hairdressing as a career or developing related skills such as Beauty Therapy.

WHEN DOES THIS COURSE RUN?

CAMPUS	ATTENDANCE	COURSE CODE	PLANNED TIME TABLE
	Full Time	HA301-25	

If you are aged 16-18:

This study programme will be FREE for most students who are aged 16-18 on 31 August, or students aged 19-24 with an Education, Health & Care Plan.

If you are aged 19 or over:

Fee : £3345.00

The fee quoted is for the academic year 25/26.

For advice and guidance, please contact Student Services via our [online enquiry form](#)

This information was current on 29th November, 2025 and may be subject to change.