

Subject Name:	Pearson BTEC Level 1 Introductory Award in Hair and Beauty
Exam Board:	Pearsons
QAN Code:	603/4881/1
Overview of subject:	<p>This course provides an engaging and relevant introduction to Hair and Beauty. It incorporates important aspects of the industry, such as costings, client care and day to day running of a salon. It enables you to develop and apply your knowledge, while also developing a range of relevant practical, communication and technical skills. The qualification is 70 GLH, which is the same size and level as a GCSE, is aimed at everyone who wants to find out more about the Hair and Beauty industry. You will study three mandatory units, covering the underpinning knowledge and skills required for the hair and beauty sector.</p>
How is the qualification examined?	<p>You will carry out tasks/assignments throughout the course. Your teacher will mark these, and so you will receive feedback as to how you are getting on. Learners are assessed using a variety of styles to help them develop a broad range of transferable skills. Learners could be given opportunities to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carry out practical tasks • Present information that they have gathered • Keep working logbooks, records and reflective journals • Practise English and mathematical skills • Take part in oral or written presentations • Take part in role play, interviews and other activities.
Any further Information	<p>These qualifications prepare learners for further learning at a higher level in hair and beauty. The development of transferable skills means that learners can also choose a study programme from alternative sectors. For example, these qualifications in hair and beauty could lead to Pearson BTEC Level 2 qualifications in this sector or in other sectors.</p>