

Unit 616 - Cut Men's Hair to Create a Variety of Looks

Guided Learning Hours: 44

Learning Outcome	Assessment Criteria	Taught content
1. Be able to prepare for cutting hair	<p>1.1 Prepare themselves, the client and work area for cutting services</p> <p>1.2 Use suitable consultation techniques to identify service objectives</p> <p>1.3 Evaluate the potential of the hair to achieve the desired look by identifying influencing factors</p> <p>1.4 Provide clear recommendations to the client based on factors</p> <p>1.5 Describe the range of looks for men</p>	<p>1.1.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Preparing self• Preparing working area• Sanitising/sterilising tools and equipment• Preparing environment• Assisting the client into a comfortable and relaxed position for the treatment• Protecting and caring for the client throughout the treatment <p>1.2.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussing client's needs and requirements• Discussing limitations• Consulting with client throughout <p>1.3.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Checking the texture of the hair• Checking the density of the hair• Checking the length of hair• Checking growth patterns <p>1.4.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Previous haircut/style• Hair condition• Client request <p>1.5. 1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Short back and sides• Short layered• Long layered• With a parting• Without a parting

	<p>1.6 Explain how to achieve looks for men using a combination of cutting techniques</p> <p>1.7 Explain the safety considerations that must be taken into account</p> <p>1.8 Describe the factors that need to be considered when cutting hair</p> <p>1.9 Explain how to maximise the potential of the client's hair taking into account identified factors</p> <p>1.10 State the known causes of male pattern baldness</p> <p>1.11 Describe the typical patterns of male pattern baldness</p> <p>1.12 State the importance of cutting to the natural hairline in barbering</p> <p>1.13 State the effects created by different sized clipper blades and attachments</p> <p>1.14 State the risk of in-growing hair from</p>	<p>1.6.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Club cutting – one length and to create bulk • Layering with – to create movement • Graduating – accentuate and define outlines • Tapering – to remove bulk and length • Cutting angles • Use of scissors and clippers • Use of razor <p>1.7.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protecting client, self and colleagues • Sanitising/sterilising tools and equipment • Disposing of waste hygienically and appropriately <p>1.8.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The texture of the hair • The density of the hair • The length of hair • The natural growth patterns of the hair • Clients' wishes <p>1.9.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Club cutting to create bulk and give volume • Layering to remove length and create movement <p>1.10.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hereditary tendencies • Hormonal conditions <p>1.11.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receding temples • Bald areas around the crown <p>1.12.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prolonging the style • Avoiding drawing attention to uneven growth patterns • Accentuating good growth patterns <p>1.13.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fine blades and attachments - very short results • Medium blades and attachments - short to medium length hair • Coarse blades and attachments - medium to longer length hair
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	continual close cutting on dark skin	1.14.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skin infections • Client discomfort
2. Be able to provide a cutting service	2.1 Communicate and behave in a professional manner 2.2 Select and use cutting tools and equipment required to achieve the desired look 2.3 Establish and follow guidelines where required to achieve the required look 2.4 Combine and personalise cutting techniques to take account of the identified factors and the desired look 2.5 Position themselves and the client appropriately throughout the service to ensure the accuracy of the cut 2.6 Check the finished haircut to ensure required balance, weight distribution and shape 2.7 Remove unwanted hair outside the desired outline shape	2.1.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being polite • Being honest • Speaking clearly • Listening attentively • Demonstrating positive body language and facial expressions 2.2.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scissors – including thinning scissors • Razors • Combs • Electric clippers 2.3.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sectioning • Angles 2.4.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The texture of the hair • The density of the hair • The length of hair • The natural growth patterns of the hair • Clients' wishes 2.5.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Correct posture and standing position • Health and safety • Client comfort 2.6.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross checking • Using the mirror 2.7.1 To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using the clippers • Using safety razor

	<p>2.8 Create balanced and shaped sideburns that suit the required look</p> <p>2.9 Create a finished cut that is to the satisfaction of the client</p> <p>2.10 Provide suitable aftercare advice</p> <p>2.11 Follow safe and hygienic working practices</p> <p>2.12 Outline safe and hygienic working practices</p> <p>2.13 Describe the correct use and routine maintenance of cutting tools and equipment</p> <p>2.14 Explain the effect cutting hair at different angles has on the finished look</p>	<p>2.8.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using scissors or clippers to remove length and bulk • Using a safety razor to remove unwanted hair and outline shape • Using mirror to ensure balance • Client wishes <p>2.9.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consulting the client throughout the service <p>2.10.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shampooing and conditioning • Brushing and combing • Drying and styling the hair • Finishing products <p>2.11.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protecting client • Personal protection • Posture and standing position • Sanitisation/sterilisation of tools and equipment • Disposing of waste hygienically and appropriately <p>2.12.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protecting client • Personal protection • Posture and standing position • Sanitisation/sterilisation of tools and equipment <p>2.13.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handling scissors correctly and carefully • Handling razors correctly and carefully • Scissor sharpening • Applying oil to scissor blades and pivot screw • Checking wires on electric clippers • Check blades are set correctly on electric clippers <p>2.14.1 To include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weight distribution • Hair length • Direction the hair lies
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