



## **Purpose**

### **ITEC Level 3 Award in Cut Men's Hair to Create a Variety of Looks**

#### **QAN 600/6520/5**

#### **Aims and Objectives**

The main aim of the ITEC Level 3 Award in Cut Men's Hair to Achieve a Variety of Looks is to enable the Learner the ability to provide cutting services and gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge required by the Barbering Industry. The qualification is suitable for Learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at Level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at Level 3 or Level 4

#### **Content**

This qualification is for Learners who want to work within the Hairdressing and Barbering Industry. The qualification consists of 1 mandatory unit; covering a minimum of 44 hours of Guided Learning (GL) to achieve the full qualification

The main skills you will learn to perform are:

- To provide men's cutting services – to prepare and provide a variety of cutting services to meet client requirements

You will also develop knowledge about related health and safety, client care, communication skills and providing aftercare advice which are essential to work and being successful in the Hairdressing and Barbering Industry

This qualification also provides:

- Opportunities for staff in the Barbering Industry to gain CPD at Level 3 the related knowledge and understanding required to perform the skills outlined above
- Opportunities for Learners to develop a range of skills, techniques, personal qualities and attitudes essential for successful performance in employment in the Hairdressing and Barbering Industry

#### **Why Choose the ITEC Level 3 Award in Cut Men's Hair to Create a Variety of Looks?**

1. This qualification combines the range of skills and knowledge for the Learner seeking employment or self-employment as a Barber at Level 3
2. This qualification is listed on the OFQUAL Regulated Qualification Framework
3. This qualification contains all skills and knowledge required for providing cutting men's hair at Level 3
4. To provide opportunities for staff in the Barbering Industry to gain a Level 3 qualification
5. Learners may progress onto the ITEC Level 3 Diploma in Barbering 601/5796/3, ITEC Award in Cut Facial Hair to Create a Variety of Looks 600/6531/X, ITEC Award in Provide Shaving Services 601/7657/X
6. This qualification does not form part of an Apprenticeship
7. This qualification is recognised by all relevant professional bodies within the Barbering Industry for membership and insurance purposes at Level 3

## **Opportunities for Progression**

Once Learners have achieved the ITEC Level 3 Award in Cut Men's Hair to Create a Variety of Looks they may progress on to other ITEC Awards, Certificates or Diplomas at Level 2 or 3, for example:

- Level 3 Certificate in Barbering
- Level 3 Award in Provide Shaving Services
- Level 3 Award in Cut Facial Hair to Create a Variety of Looks

For further Awards, Certificates and Diplomas please go to [www.itecworld.co.uk](http://www.itecworld.co.uk)

## **Opportunities for Employment**

There are opportunities for Hairdressers to find employment in a variety of areas:

- Men's Hairdressing/Barber Shops
- Freelance Barbering Business

## **Professional Body Membership and Insurance**

The qualification was developed collaboratively with the Hair and Beauty Industry Authority (HABIA)

It is recognised for membership by:

- National Hairdressers' Federation (NHF)