

Test Specification

iUHB233 – Cut men’s hair

External assessment method:	Multiple Choice Question Paper	
Duration of external assessment:	15 minutes	
Pass mark:	60%	
Grading:	Pass, Merit or Distinction	
Frequency of external assessment:	On demand (once ALL hours for the unit have been completed)	
Learning outcomes to be assessed:	All learning outcomes will be assessed	
Format of questions:	Stem, 1 key and 3 distracters	
Number of questions	10 questions	
Distribution of questions: Each question will be allocated one mark	<u>Topic</u>	<u>No. of questions per paper</u>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safety considerations and factors that need to be considered when cutting hair, safe and hygienic working practices 	- 1
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consultation techniques and how to communicate and behave within the salon environment 	- 1
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preparation of the client, themselves and the work area 	- 1
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Typical patterns of male pattern baldness, the range of looks for men and the effect of different cutting techniques 	- 1
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The effects created by different sized clipper blades and attachments and the risk of in-growing hair from continual close cutting on dark skin 	- 1
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Correct use and routine maintenance of tools and equipment 	- 1
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The effect cutting hair at different angles has on the 	- 1

	<p>finished look and the importance of cross checking the cut</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The importance of applying the correct degree of tension to the hair when cutting - 1 • The importance of cutting to the natural hairline in barbering and how to ensure that sideburns are cut level - 1 • Aftercare advice that should be provided - 1 	
<p>The topics listed can be found in the learning outcomes in the unit specification for iUHB233 as follows:</p>	<p><u>Topic</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safety considerations and factors that need to be considered when cutting hair, safe and hygienic working practices - 1.4, 1.5, 2.22 • Consultation techniques and how to communicate and behave within the salon environment - 1.9, 2.13 • Preparation of the client, themselves and the work area - 1.10 • Typical patterns of male pattern baldness, the range of looks for men and the effect of different cutting techniques - 1.6, 1.11, 2.15 • The effects created by different sized clipper blades and attachments and the risk of ingrowing hair from continual close cutting on dark skin - 1.7, 1.8 • Correct use and routine maintenance of tools and equipment - 2.14 • The effect cutting hair at different angles has on the finished look and the importance of cross checking the cut - 2.16, 2.20 • The importance of applying the correct degree of tension to the hair when cutting - 2.17 • The importance of cutting to the natural hairline in barbering and how to ensure that sideburns are cut level - 2.18, 2.19 • Aftercare advice that should be provided - 2.21 	<p><u>Learning outcomes</u></p>

Administration of external assessment:

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Document History

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