

Hairdressing

Ideal if: You want to pursue a career as a hair stylist

You'll learn: The basic techniques required in a hair salon

Expect: Great industry style hair salons

You'll love: The hair masterclasses by industry experts

This course will introduce you to a range of hairdressing skills and technical knowledge.

You will study:

Shampooing and conditioning
Conditioning treatments
A variety of setting and dressing techniques
Blow drying
Basic cutting techniques
Basic colouring techniques including foiling
Plaiting and twisting
Hairdressing Theory
Customer Service
Health and Safety

Alongside these vocational subjects students will be expected to undertake:

Industry related work placements

Promotion of products and services.

Maths and English (dependant on prior grades)

Character Development

Independent study where students will undertake learning to enhance their understanding of the vocationally related theory.

Charity, community and voluntary events often related to Hair and Beauty which may be in addition to your timetabled hours.

Seminars, workshops with industry employers and suppliers

Trips and visits (Costs TBC).

You will take paying clients to gain the widest possible range of experiences and employability skills. As in a professional salon, students will be expected to give our clients the highest possible customer care and portray a professional image and are required to wear a salon uniform whilst in the salons.

How will I be assessed?



Continual assessment throughout the course

Oral questioning

Written assignments and projects ·

Online tests · Practical assessments which are undertaken on paying clients. ·

A Portfolio of Evidence.

There are supplementary costs for material, books, course trips and visits. Financial assistance may be available. Please enquire with Student Services for further detail.

Entry Requirements

Typical Entry CriteriaThree GCSE subjects at Grade 3 and above:Gloucestershire College welcome any other/combinations of relevant qualifications that are comparable and/or equivalent to the typical course entry requirements.

For 19+ applicants that do not have recognised qualifications may still meet course entry requirements through alternative methods of assessment at the College's discretion.

All queries regarding course entry criteria including the equivalency of qualifications and exceptional extenuating circumstances should be directed by email to the Admissions Department through applications@gloscol.ac.uk.

What's Next

The general progression route for our Hairdressing programme is:

Hairdressing (Level 3) BTEC Diploma

Or

Employment in industry



| Your Options | | | |
|--------------------------|------------|----------|--------------|
| | Start Date | End Date | Course Level |
| Hairdressing (Full Time) | | | |
| Cheltenham | 06/09/24 | 30/06/25 | 2 |
| Hairdressing (Full Time) | | | |
| Forest of Dean | 06/09/24 | 30/06/25 | 2 |
| Hairdressing (Full Time) | | | |
| Gloucester | 06/09/24 | 30/06/25 | 2 |