

# LANNAC29 - SQA Unit Code F8HK 04

## Carry out styling and finishing for dogs



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### Overview

Element 1 covers the styling and finishing of dogs using various trimming methods. You will ensure that the work carried out is suitable for the dog and the client.

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### Performance criteria

*You must be able to:*

- P1 use **tools and equipment** safely and correctly
- P2 use the correct **trimming methods** for the work
- P3 produce the required **head shape** and style the dog in accordance with the agreed plan and the type of breed
- P4 carry out your work with due attention to the welfare of the dog
- P5 complete your work in the required timescale
- P6 maintain health and safety, and animal welfare, during your work.

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#### Knowledge and understanding

*You need to know and understand:*

- K1 the type of equipment used for styling and finishing
- K2 how to use the equipment correctly
- K3 techniques for styling and finishing
- K4 the client's requests for styling
- K5 different types of breeds and how styling is achieved for each
- K6 how to maintain the welfare of the dog during the work
- K7 how to maintain health and safety for yourself, colleagues and others.

### Additional Information

#### Scope/range related to performance criteria

1. **tools and equipment:**
  - 1.1. clippers and blades
  - 1.2. scissors
  - 1.3. thinning scissors
  - 1.4. stripping tools
  
2. **trimming methods:**
  - 2.1. scissored coat
  - 2.2. hand-stripped coat
  - 2.3. clipped coat
  
3. **head shapes:**
  - 3.1. round head
  - 3.2. head with short split eyebrows
  - 3.3. head with long split eyebrows
  - 3.4. head with centre fall eyebrows
  - 3.5. clean head
  - 3.6. clean face

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