

SQA qualifications in Hairdressing, Beauty and Complementary Therapies

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Scotland is renowned for its hairdressing, beauty and complementary therapy industries – which is one of the biggest industries in the Scottish economy. The abundance of talent creates employment and delivers a range of high quality Scottish hairdressers such as Rita Rusk, Trevor Sorbie and Sam McKnight to the world.

This domestic and overseas success is founded on hard work, skill, and specialist knowledge. Maintaining these high standards requires a bright, skilled workforce. And that's where working with SQA can make a difference.

Our expertise and quality-assured qualifications centre on the areas that matter. We are specialists in nurturing the skills, knowledge, and confidence to do an excellent job. Designed in partnership with industry, our qualifications are wide in scope and flexible in delivery. They offer relevant, robust workforce learning for experienced hands and new-starts alike and with Colleges and training providers having high-quality industry standard salon and treatment facilities, this provides learners with effective hands on work-based experiences.

Find out more about qualifications in the hair and beauty sector at
www.sqa.org.uk/hairandbeauty

SQA offers a wide range of qualifications in the hairdressing, beauty and complementary therapies section, across a wide range of qualifications, from National qualifications to HNCs and NPAs.

Hairdressing and Barbering Qualifications

	Skills for Work National	Int 2	NC	NPA	SVQ	HNC
Barbering				✓	✓	
Cosmetology				✓		
Creative Hairdressing				✓		
Hairdressing	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
Hairdressing and Barbering					✓	
Hairdressing Technical Skills				✓		
Long Hair Design with Make-up				✓		

Beauty Qualifications

	Skills for Work National	NC	NPA	SVQ	HNC	HND	PDA
Beauty	✓						
Beauty and Digital Communication			✓				
Beauty Care		✓					
Beauty Care and Make-up		✓					
Beauty Massage			✓				
Beauty Skills			✓				
Beauty Therapy				✓	✓	✓	
Creative Beauty			✓				
Complementary Therapies					✓	✓	
Eye Treatments			✓				
Fashion Make-up					✓		
Make up artistry		✓			✓	✓	
Make up skills			✓				
Manicure and Pedicure			✓				
Nail Enhancements			✓				
Nail Services				✓			
SPA Therapy				✓			
SPA Therapies							✓
Wellness Therapies		✓					

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Partnership with SQA

SQA supplies products and services to all sectors of the UK, working closely with colleges, employers and training providers.

Every business or organisation that engages with SQA has a dedicated account manager and a main point of contact. We will work with you to identify and source suitable qualifications for your people to help them develop their skills and gain qualifications which meet your current and future needs.

Find out more about what we can do for you — our team is on hand to answer your queries and provide more in-depth advice.

Contact our Business Development team for more information about qualifications in this sector, and working with SQA.



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