

# Tips for Revising VTCT Level 1/2 Hair and Beauty Technical Award



## SPECIFICATION

VTCT Skills Level 1/2 Technical Award in the study of Hair and Beauty

Unit 1 - Business and entrepreneurship in the hair and beauty sector

Unit 2 - Anatomy, physiology and cosmetic science

Unit 3 - Design in the hair and beauty sector



## OVERVIEW OF UNITS

### Business and entrepreneurship in the hair and beauty sector

This unit will enable learners to develop knowledge and understanding of business principles, types of businesses, marketing and entrepreneurship and different business opportunities within the hair and beauty sector.

### Anatomy, physiology and cosmetic science

This unit will enable learners to develop knowledge and understanding of cosmetic chemistry, the role of the integumentary system and the development of hair and beauty products.

### Design in the hair and beauty sector

This unit will enable learners to develop knowledge and understanding of the purpose, principles and development of design briefs for the hair and beauty sector, including how to present and communicate design brief ideas and concepts to a range of audiences and develop analytical, reflective and evaluative skills.

## OVERVIEW OF ASSESSMENT

1 External exam containing a variety of question types, including Multiple Choice Questions, Short Response Questions and Extended Response Questions. The exam is 2 hours long and is worth 40% of the qualification.

1 Non-exam assessment in response to an assessment brief with a series of tasks, testing your knowledge and understanding of specified units. This is worth 60% of the qualification

## USEFUL WEBSITES



WEBSITE LINKS

Access the specification and sample exam papers here:  
<https://www.vtctskills.org.uk/qualification/vtct-skills-level-1-2-technical-award-in-the-study-of-hair-and-beauty/>

<https://wordwall.net/en-gb/community/hair-and-beauty>

## REVISION TIPS

- Revise anatomy & physiology using diagrams
- Learn cosmetic ingredients and their functions
- Link theory to practical salon scenarios

## REVISION METHODS

- Take Cornell Notes as you watch Youtube Videos or read through the information on the suggested websites or classwork.
- Create a revision clock for sub-topics of each topic area.
- Respond to practice questions, linking your answers to practical salon scenarios.
- Create flashcards linked to each topic area.
- Plan and write practice answers.



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