



Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit State Examinations Commission

Leaving Certificate Applied 2011

Vocational Specialism – Hair and Beauty

(240 marks)

Tuesday 14 June

Morning 11.30 to 1.00

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Directions to Candidates

1. Write your EXAMINATION NUMBER in this space:
2. WRITE ALL ANSWERS INTO THIS ANSWER BOOK.
3. Candidates must attempt **FOUR** questions.
One question from **each** of the four sections.
4. Each question carries 60 marks.

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Centre Stamp	1.	Total of end of page totals	
	2.	Aggregate total of all disallowed questions	
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Section 1 – Salon and Customer Care

(Attempt Question 1 or Question 2 from this section. Each question carries 60 marks)

1. (a) Identify **four** tasks / services that a beautician might carry out when working in **each** of the following sections of a department store:

Cosmetics' Counter (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Beauty Salon (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

- (b) List **eight** different types of retail items that might be sold on a cosmetics' counter. (8 marks)

1. _____ 5. _____

2. _____ 6. _____

3. _____ 7. _____

4. _____ 8. _____

(c) Give **four** reasons why a good retail display is important. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(d) What does the term *stock-taking* mean? (4 marks)

(e) Discuss **four** reasons why it is necessary to carry out regular stock checks. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

2. (a) Suggest **four** ways that a receptionist can help to make a client feel welcome on arrival in a salon. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(b) Suggest **two** reasons why is it important for a receptionist to listen carefully to what a client is saying. (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(c) Give **two** examples of verbal and non-verbal communication that a receptionist might use to show that he / she is listening to a client.

Verbal communication (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

Non-verbal communication (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(d) Outline **four** reasons why a beauty therapist or stylist carries out a consultation with a client. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(e) Give **four** reasons why confidentiality is important in a salon. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Section 2 – Haircare

(Attempt Question 3 or Question 4 from this section. Each question carries 60 marks)

3. (a) Identify **two** signs / symptoms that would indicate that a child has head lice. (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(b) What is the difference between *head lice* and *nits*?

Head lice (4 marks)

Nits (4 marks)

(c) Describe **two** ways that head lice can be passed from one child to another. (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(d) Identify **two** places on the head where head lice are most likely to be found. (8 marks)

1. _____

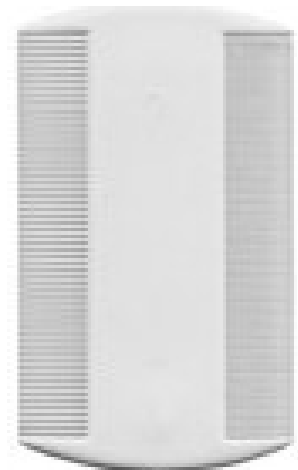
2. _____

(e) Describe step-by-step a treatment for head lice. (12 marks)

(f) Name the item of equipment shown and describe how it might be used as part of a routine in the treatment of head lice. (8 marks)

Name _____

Description of how the item is used



(g) Describe the action that is likely to be taken in a hair salon if a client is found to have head lice. (8 marks)

4 . (a) Recommend **four** different types of hair care products or equipment that a client could bring on a sun holiday. (12 marks)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

(b) Outline **four** factors that a stylist should consider when recommending a hairstyle to a young adult. (12 marks)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

(c) Describe **two** hairstyles for young adults; one for a *male* and one for a *female*.

Description of the hairstyle for a male (6 marks)

Description of the hairstyle for a female (6 marks)

(d) Describe a hair care routine that you would suggest to a friend who regularly uses a swimming pool.

Before swimming

(8 marks)

After swimming

(8 marks)

(e) Identify **two** of the effects of humidity on hair.

(8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

Section 3 – **Beautycare**

(Attempt Question 5 or Question 6 from this section. Each question carries 60 marks)

5. (a) Outline **four** of the main functions of mascara. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(b) Describe clearly how mascara should be applied. (12 marks)

(c) Give **one** reason why it is best to avoid pumping a mascara wand in and out of its tube. (4 marks)

(d) State **one** reason why it is not recommended to share mascara with another person. (4 marks)

(e) Outline **two** advantages and **two** disadvantages of *false eyelashes*.

Advantages (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

Disadvantages (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(f) List the materials and items of equipment that are needed when applying false eyelashes. (12 marks)

6. (a) What skin care routine should be followed before applying *foundation* to the face? (12 marks)

(b) Suggest **four** reasons for wearing foundation. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(c) Identify **four** factors that should be considered when selecting foundation. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(d) Explain the purpose of **each** of the following:

Make-up primer

(4 marks)

Tinted moisturiser

(4 marks)

Concealer

(4 marks)

(e) Discuss the importance of removing make-up before going to bed.

(12 marks)

Section 4 - Bodycare

(Attempt Question 7 or Question 8 from this section. Each question carries 60 marks)

7. (a) What is *airbrush tanning*? (4 marks)

(b) Identify **four** reasons why a client might choose airbrush tanning. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(c) Suggest **two** factors a client might consider when selecting a salon to have airbrush tanning carried out. (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(d) Describe **two** ways that a client should prepare his / her skin in advance of an airbrush tanning procedure. (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(e) How long does airbrush tanning normally last? (4 marks)

(f) Describe a care routine that a client should follow *after* airbrush tanning. (12 marks)

(g) Why are organic tanning products becoming popular? (4 marks)

(h) Suggest **two** reasons why sun beds or tanning beds are controversial. (8 marks)

1.

2.

8. (a) Outline **four** factors that can contribute to teeth becoming discoloured. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(b) Name the product that is being used in this photograph. What are the benefits of using this product? (12 marks)

Name of product

Benefits

1. _____

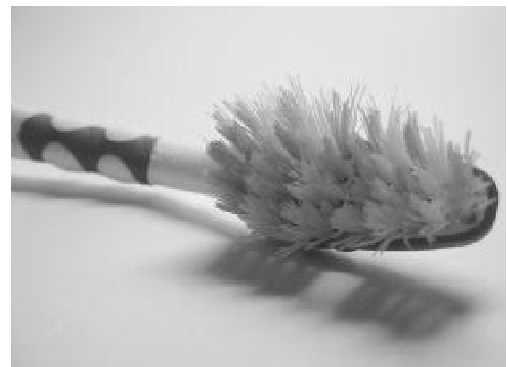
2. _____



(c) State **two** ill effects of using the toothbrush in the photograph. (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____



(d) Give **two** reasons why *teeth whitening* has become popular. (8 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

(e) Suggest **four** factors that should be taken into account when considering having teeth whitened. (12 marks)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

(f) Describe the role of a dental hygienist. (8 marks)

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