

Beauty Therapy

Qualification Brochure

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You will find a brief description of the qualifications available from 1 August 2021. More in-depth information on these qualifications can be found on our websites through these links: itecworld.co.uk/find-a-qualification or vtct.org.uk/find-a-qualification

We want you to have the most up-to-date information; therefore we will always include the latest version of every important document behind the centre login sections of the websites. We encourage you to refer to this section for updates and to access the latest copy of the qualifications brochure.



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VTCT (ITEC) Mental Health Suite

Throughout these qualifications, learners will develop their knowledge and understanding of a range of mental health conditions, their causes, signs and symptoms and ways in which these conditions will be managed. The qualification will also aim to raise awareness of the issues surrounding mental health and dispel some of the myths and misconceptions often linked to mental health.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title
603/6456/7	MH1A1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 1 Award in Mental Health Awareness
603/7105/5	MH2C1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Mental Health Awareness

• VTCT (ITEC) Level 1 Award in Mental Health Awareness

This qualification is a VRQ aimed at learners aged 14+ who are either in a full-time education programme, a part time programme at a college or with a private training provider, and wish to develop an understanding of a range of issues which may affect the mental health of people, how to identify common mental health conditions and offer support for people with mental health conditions.

TQT **10** GLH **6**

• VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Mental Health Awareness

This qualification is a VRQ aimed at learners aged 16+ who are either in a full-time education programme, a part time programme at a college or with a private training provider. The purpose of the qualification is to provide learners with an understanding of mental health and mental ill-health. Learners will develop knowledge of a range of mental health conditions, the issues surrounding mental health and the legal frameworks that impact on the quality of care provided.

TQT **132** GLH **120**



VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Awards in Infection Prevention (COVID-19)

In response to the Coronavirus pandemic, we have developed a number of sector-specific, Government regulated COVID-19 Infection Prevention qualifications for different industries. These Level 2 awards are now prerequisites for a number of qualifications; you can see which qualifications these apply to by looking for this symbol (●) in the tables throughout this book. They will have a corresponding symbol to the qualifications on this page.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title
603/5912/2	1 IP2A1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Hairdressing and Barbering Services
603/6159/1	2 IP2A2	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Beauty Therapy and Nail Services
603/6160/8	3 IP2A3	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Make-up Services
603/6161/X	4 IP2A4	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Complementary Therapies and Sports Massage
603/6162/1	5 IP2A5	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Sport and Fitness Sessions
603/6163/3	6 IP2A6	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Beauty Retail Services
603/6164/5	7 IP2A7	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Clinical Aesthetics

• VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Hairdressing and Barbering Services

The VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Hairdressing and Barbering Services is a knowledge-based qualification aimed at hairdressers and barbers, who need to understand the COVID-19 infection prevention methods required in the salon/barbershop in order to maintain high levels of health and safety in the provision of their services to clients.

GLH 4 Units 1

• VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Beauty Therapy and Nail Services

The VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Beauty Therapy and Nail Services is a knowledge-based qualification aimed at beauty therapists and nail technicians, who need to understand the COVID-19 infection prevention methods required in order to maintain high levels of health and safety in the provision of their services to clients.

GLH 4 Units 1

• VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Make-up Services

The VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Make-up Services is a knowledge-based qualification aimed at make-up artists, who need to understand the COVID-19 infection prevention methods required in order to maintain high levels of health and safety in the provision of their services.

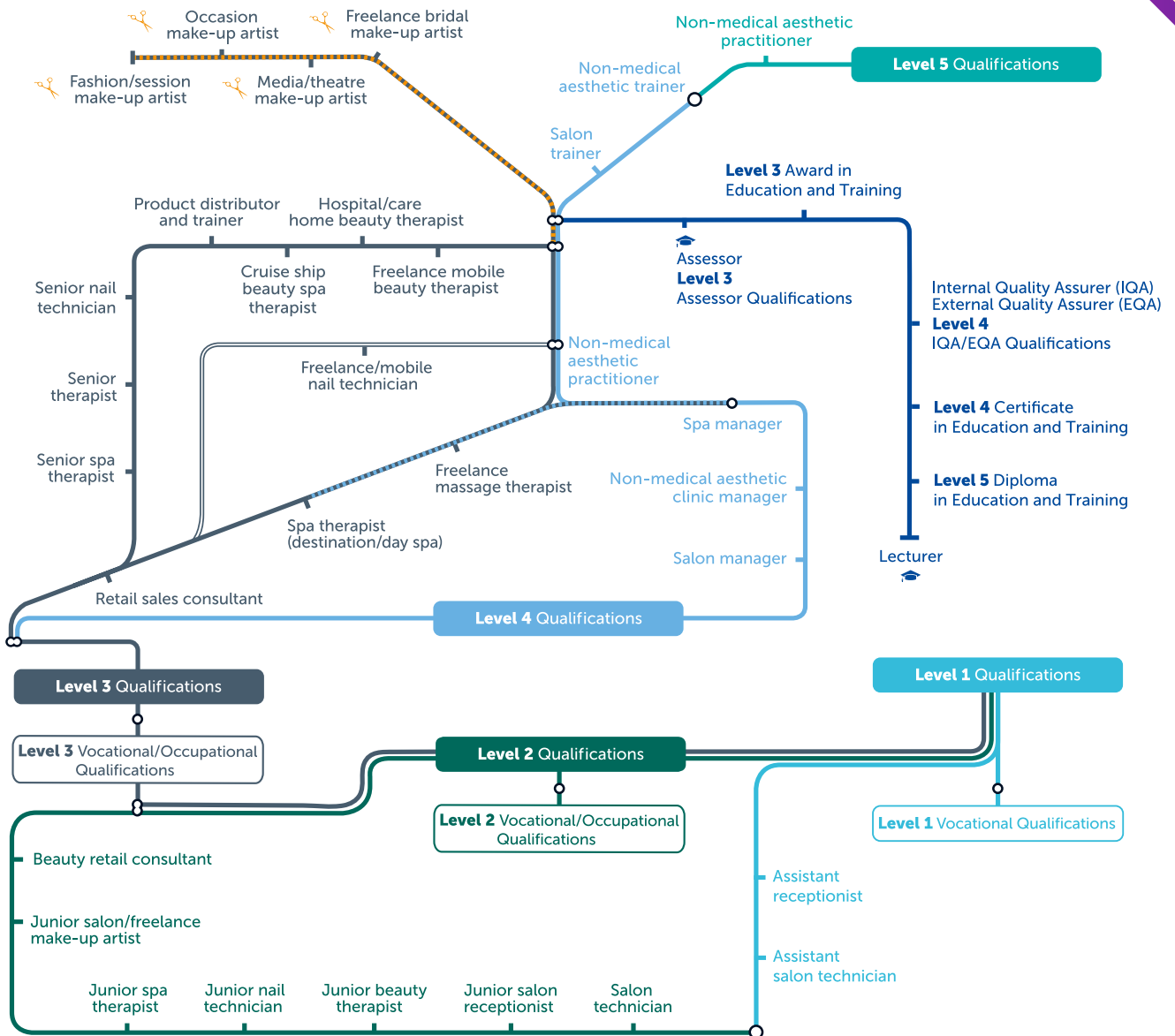
GLH 4 Units 1

• VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Beauty Retail Services

The VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Infection Prevention (COVID-19) for Beauty Retail Services is a knowledge-based qualification aimed at personnel working in the beauty retail sector, who need to understand the COVID-19 infection prevention methods required in order to maintain high levels of health and safety in the provision of their services to customers.

GLH 4 Units 1

Beauty, Nails & Spa Career Paths




Key

- **Level 1** Beauty, Nail & Spa Therapy route
- **Level 2** Beauty therapy, make-up, nails route
- **Level 3** Beauty therapy route
- **Level 3** Nails route
- **Level 3** Make-up route
- **Level 3** Spa therapy or massage route
- **Level 4** Beauty & Spa Therapy route
- **Level 5** Non-Medical Aesthetics route
- Progression qualifications
- Education & Training sector
- Combined Hairdressing & Beauty sector

Technical Award (GCSE Equivalent)

Classroom taught Vocationally Related Qualifications giving a broad introduction to a sector approved by the Department for Education with GCSE equivalence and performance points and generally leading to further more specific training.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Technical Award Level 2		
601/0556/2	 AM20530	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy (VRQ)

Technical Award Level 2

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy (VRQ) – AM20530** 

The VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy (VRQ) is a Technical Award specifically for 14-16 year olds.


This qualification aims to support young people to:

- Develop a broad and comprehensive understanding of the hair and beauty sector
- Develop knowledge which spans the entire vocational sector and related industries
- Develop academic study and transferable skills that will support progression within the hair and beauty sector and more broadly

Hairdressing and beauty therapy has been and remains an extremely popular vocational area that many young people are enthused by and aspire too. The aim of this qualification is to use the hair and beauty sector as a vehicle to develop learners more broadly, so they are prepared and equipped with the knowledge, understanding and skills to pursue a career in any context.

TQT 160 GLH 120



 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

Technical Certificate

Practical qualifications at Level 2 for 16-19 year olds, approved by the Department for Education and eligible for performance table reporting.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Technical Certificate Level 2		
603/0229/X	2 BT2D1	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy
603/0231/8	6 BT2D2	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Counter Consultancy
603/0232/X	2 BT2D3	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Nail Technology (Gel)
603/0233/1	2 BT2D4	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Nail Technology (Liquid and Powder)
603/0237/9	2 BT2D6	VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauticians
603/0230/6	2 BT2ED1	VTCT Level 2 Extended Diploma in Beauty Therapy

Technical Certificate Level 2

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy – BT2D1** 2

This is a technical certificate qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a full-time level 2 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed beauty therapist.

TQT 451 GLH 375

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Counter Consultancy – BT2D2** 6

This is a technical certificate qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a full-time level 2 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed counter consultant.

TQT 397 GLH 330

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Nail Technology (Gel) – BT2D3** 2

This is a technical certificate qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a full-time level 2 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed specialist nail technician.

TQT 460 GLH 382

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Nail Technology (Liquid and Powder) – BT2D4** 2

This is a technical certificate qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a full-time level 2 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed specialist nail technician.

TQT 460 GLH 382

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauticians – BT2D6** 2

This is a technical certificate qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a full-time level 2 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed beautician.

TQT 415 GLH 345

- **VTCT Level 2 Extended Diploma in Beauty Therapy – BT2ED1** 2

This is a technical certificate qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a full-time level 2 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed beauty therapist.

TQT 554 GLH 445

Technical Level Qualification (TLQ)

Practical qualifications at Level 3 for 16-19 year olds, approved by the Department for Education and eligible for performance table reporting and UCAS points.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Technical Level Qualification (TLQ) Level 3		
601/6975/8	2 BT3D1	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapies
601/6977/1	2 BT3D2	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa Therapy
601/6979/5	3 BT3D3	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Make-up Techniques
601/6982/5	2 BT3D4	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy
601/6984/9	2 BT3D5	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technologies
601/6987/4	3 BT3D6	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Theatrical and Media Make-up
603/0236/7	2 BT3D7	VTCT Level 3 Combined Diploma in Beauty Therapy
601/6976/X	2 BT3ED1	VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Massage Therapies
601/6978/3	2 BT3ED2	VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Spa Therapy
601/6981/3	3 BT3ED3	VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Beauty Make-up Techniques
601/6983/7	2 BT3ED4	VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Beauty Therapy
601/6986/2	2 BT3ED5	VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Nail Technologies
601/6988/6	3 BT3ED6	VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Theatrical and Media Make-up

Technical Level Qualification (TLQ) Level 3

• VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapies – BT3D1 2

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed massage therapist.

TQT 479 GLH 370

• VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa Therapy – BT3D2 2

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed spa therapist.

TQT 531 GLH 410

• VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Make-up Techniques – BT3D3 3

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed make-up artist.

TQT 473 GLH 365

• VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy – BT3D4 2

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed beauty therapist.

TQT 492 GLH 380

- **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technologies – BT3D5** ²

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed nail technician.

TQT **486** GLH **375**

- **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Theatrical and Media Make-up – BT3D6** ³

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed make-up artist, providing hair and make-up services in the media, theatre, performing arts, fashion and photographic industries.

TQT **531** GLH **410**

- **VTCT Level 3 Combined Diploma in Beauty Therapy – BT3D7** ²

This is a technical level qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a two year full-time education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed beauty therapist.

TQT **978** GLH **755**

- **VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Massage Therapies – BT3ED1** ²

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed massage therapist.

TQT **615** GLH **475**

- **VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Spa Therapy – BT3ED2** ²

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed spa therapist.

TQT **667** GLH **515**

- **VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Beauty Make-up Techniques – BT3ED3** ³

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed make-up artist.

TQT **570** GLH **440**

- **VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Beauty Therapy – BT3ED4** ²

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed beauty therapist.

TQT **609** GLH **470**

- **VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Nail Technologies – BT3ED5** ²

This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed nail technician.

TQT **583** GLH **450**



























- **VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Theatrical and Media Make-up – BT3ED6** ^{3v}


This is a technical level qualification aimed at 16-18 learners who are in a full-time level 3 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed make-up artist, providing hair and make-up services in the media, theatre, performing arts, fashion and photographic industries.


TQT **615** GLH **475**




















































VRQ


Vocationally Related Qualifications, often classroom taught, broader in scope than NVQs and leading to further training or employment in a related sector.


QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
VRQ Entry Level		
500/6804/0	 AM30033	VTCT Entry Level Award in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector (Entry 3)
500/6803/9	 AM30036	VTCT Entry Level Certificate in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector (Entry 3)
600/2612/1	 AM30257	VTCT Entry Level Certificate in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty (Entry 3)
600/3048/3	 AM30258	VTCT Entry Level Diploma in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty (Entry 3)
VRQ Level 1		
500/8871/3	AB10089	VTCT Level 1 Award in Nail Art Application
500/8872/5	AB10090	VTCT Level 1 Award in Basic Make-Up Application
500/8870/1	AB10091	VTCT Level 1 Award in Themed Face Painting
500/8925/0	AB10113	VTCT Level 1 Award in Nail Treatments
500/6821/0	 AM10037	VTCT Level 1 Award in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector
600/2761/7	 AM10259	VTCT Level 1 Award in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty
600/1655/3	AB10242	VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Beauty Therapy
500/6839/8	 AM10035	VTCT Level 1 Certificate in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector
600/2625/X	 AM10260	VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty
600/1647/4	AB10243	VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Beauty Therapy
500/8707/1	 AM10034	VTCT Level 1 Diploma in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector
600/3047/1	 AM10261	VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty
603/4053/8	iBT1D1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 1 Diploma in Beauty Therapy
VRQ Level 2		
500/8621/2	 AB20103	VTCT Level 2 Award in the Art of Photographic Make-Up
500/8634/0	 AB20104	VTCT Level 2 Award in Skin Tanning Techniques
500/8635/2	 AB20106	VTCT Level 2 Award in Shaping and Colouring Eyebrows
500/8646/7	 AB20107	VTCT Level 2 Award in Body Art Design
500/8968/7	 AB20120	VTCT Level 2 Award in Nail Art
500/8884/1	 AB20122	VTCT Level 2 Award in Facial Massage and Skincare
500/8878/6	 AB20123	VTCT Level 2 Award in Wax Depilation
500/8879/8	 AB20125	VTCT Level 2 Award in Threading Depilation
500/8902/X	 AB20126	VTCT Level 2 Award in Mendhi Skin Decoration
500/8876/2	 AB20127	VTCT Level 2 Award in Eyelash Perming
500/8883/X	 AB20129	VTCT Level 2 Award in Thermal Auricular Therapy
600/2723/X	 AB20262	VTCT Level 2 Award in Nail Technology
600/2594/3	 AB20263	VTCT Level 2 Award in Eyelash and Eyebrow Treatments
601/0435/1	AG20529	VTCT Level 2 Award in Skin Cancer Awareness for Non-Healthcare Professionals
500/8732/0	AH20048	VTCT Level 2 Award in Scalp Massage Services
500/8901/8	  AM20070	VTCT Level 2 Award in Photographic Make-Up and Dressing Hair
500/8670/4	 AM20073	VTCT Level 2 Award in Creating an Image Based on a Theme in the Hair and Beauty Sector
500/8632/7	AM20101	VTCT Level 2 Award in Head Massage

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
500/9752/0	 AM20169	VTCT Level 2 Award in Preventing Contact Dermatitis
600/1762/4	 AM20244	VTCT Level 2 Award in Employment Awareness in the Hair and Beauty Sector
601/0228/7	 AM20528	VTCT Level 2 Award in Preparing to Run a Hair and Beauty Business
601/4628/X	 BT2A1	VTCT Level 2 Award in LED Gel Polish Techniques
603/4058/7	 iBT2A3	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Manicure Treatments
603/4060/5	 iBT2A4	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Pedicure Treatments
603/4061/7	 iBT2A5	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Apply Make-up
603/4064/2	 iBT2A7	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Facial Skincare
603/4068/X	 iBT2A8	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Photographic Make-up
603/4089/7	 iBT2A9	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Thermal Auricular Therapy
603/4063/0	 iBT2A10	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Gel Polish Techniques
603/4500/7	 iCO2A4	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Employment Awareness in the Hair and Beauty Sector
500/8915/8	 AB20114	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Nail Treatments
500/8970/5	 AB20115	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Cosmetic Make-Up and Beauty Consultancy
500/8882/8	 AB20117	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Nail Technology
500/9035/5	 AB20118	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Cosmetic Make-Up
500/9607/2	 AB20178	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Beauty Specialist Techniques
500/9306/X	 AB20183	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Beauty Services
600/9605/6	 AM20497	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Services
603/4054/X	 iBT2C1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Nail Art
603/4043/5	 iBT2C2	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Facial Skincare
603/4047/2	 iBT2C4	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Manicure
603/4133/6	 iBT2C5	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Beauty Consultancy
603/4080/0	 iBT2C7	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Eyebrow Treatments and Eyelash Enhancements
603/4062/9	 iBT2C9	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Bridal Make-up
603/4071/X	 iBT2C11	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Make-up
603/4074/5	 iBT2C12	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate for Beauty Specialists
603/4076/9	 iBT2C13	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Waxing
603/4079/4	 iBT2C14	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Manicure and Pedicure
603/4473/8	 iBT2C15	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Liquid and Powder Nail Enhancements
603/4476/3	 iBT2C16	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Gel Nail Enhancements
603/4478/7	 iBT2C17	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Wrap Nail Enhancements
500/9039/2	 AB20086	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Specialist Techniques
500/9127/X	 AB20182	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Services
600/8660/9	 AB20491	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies
600/8661/0	 AB20492	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies (Make-Up)
500/8922/5	   AM20173	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Services
600/1393/X	  AM20241	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-Up
600/8760/2	  AM20513	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-Up Studies
603/0235/5	  BT2D5	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Make-up Artistry
603/4034/4	 iBT2D7	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Specialists
603/4056/3	 iBT2D13	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Treatments
603/4087/3	 iBT2D14	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Specialist Treatments
603/4077/0	 iBT2D15	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments
603/4504/4	  iCO2D2	VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Hair, Photographic and Media Make-up

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
VRQ Level 3		
500/8645/5	AM30085	VTCT Level 3 Award in Anatomical and Physiological Knowledge of Body Systems
500/8687/X	③ AB30108	VTCT Level 3 Award in Camouflage Make-Up
500/8619/4	③ AB30111	VTCT Level 3 Award in Media Make-Up
500/8620/0	② AB30112	VTCT Level 3 Award in Nail Enhancements and Advanced Hand and Nail Art Techniques
500/8810/5	② AB30143	VTCT Level 3 Award in Lash Extensions
500/8973/0	② AB30144	VTCT Level 3 Award in Advanced (Intimate) Waxing Techniques
500/8885/3	② AB30160	VTCT Level 3 Award in Spa Treatments
600/8710/9	③ AB30516	VTCT Level 3 Award in Asian Bridal Make-Up
601/1250/5	② AB30531	VTCT Level 3 Award in Principles of Beauty and Spa Treatments
603/4066/6	④ iBT3A1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Massage Using Pre-Blended Aromatherapy Oils
603/4070/8	④ iBT3A2	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Indian Head Massage
603/4075/7	② iBT3A3	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Intimate Waxing for Female Clients
603/4055/1	② iBT3A5	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Body Massage
603/4091/5	③ iBT3A6	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Asian Bridal Make-up
603/4059/9	③ iBT3A7	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Apply Airbrush Make-up to the Face
500/8974/2	② AB30139	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Micro Dermabrasion Treatments
500/8962/6	② AB30140	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Epilation
500/8961/4	② AB30141	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Facial Electrotherapy
500/9036/7	③ AB30142	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Face and Body Art
501/0730/6	② AB30177	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Massage Using Pre-Blended Aromatherapy Oils
600/8664/6	② AB30495	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Beauty Therapy Studies (Massage)
500/9043/4	② AM30136	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Swedish Massage
500/9595/X	② AM30180	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Stone Therapy Massage
601/4229/7	② BT3C1	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Beauty Therapy
601/7626/X	③ BT3C8	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Fashion and Photographic Make-up
601/7633/7	④ BT3C9	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Indian Head Massage
603/4051/4	② iBT3C11	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Spa Treatments
603/4035/6	② iBT3C13	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Microdermabrasion Treatments
603/4037/X	② iBT3C14	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Facial Electrical Treatments
603/4048/4	③ iBT3C19	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Fashion and Photographic Make-up
603/4050/2	② iBT3C20	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Eyelash Extensions
500/8966/3	② AB30130	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology
500/9103/7	② AB30132	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa and Body Treatments
500/8964/X	② AB30133	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments
500/9065/3	③ AB30134	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Make-Up Artistry
600/8665/8	② AB30493	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies
600/8663/4	② AB30496	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa Therapy Studies
600/8908/8	② AB30523	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology Studies
500/8967/5	② AM30099	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapy
501/0896/7	④ ③ AM30175	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Theatrical, Special Effects and Hair and Media Make-Up
600/8761/4	④ ③ AM30514	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Fashion, Theatre and Media Hair and Make-Up Studies
603/3221/9	② iBT3D8	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty, Massage and Electrotherapy
603/4038/1	iBT3D9	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Anatomy and Physiology

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QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
VRQ Level 3		
603/4040/X	2 iBT3D10	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology
603/4042/3	2 iBT3D11	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Epilation
603/4045/9	2 iBT3D12	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Body Treatments
603/4046/0	4 iBT3D13	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Indian Head Massage
603/4049/6	3 iBT3D14	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Fashion, Theatre and Media Make-up
603/4052/6	2 iBT3D15	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Facial Electrical Treatments
603/4041/1	2 iBT3D16	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Beauty Therapy
603/4057/5	2 iBT3D27	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Techniques
603/4067/8	4 iBT3D28	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapies
603/4069/1	2 iBT3D34	VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments
VRQ Level 4		
500/8888/9	2 AB40164	VTCT Level 4 Award in Skin Blemish Removal
600/4910/8	2 AB40394	VTCT Level 4 Award in Laser and Light Treatments for Hair Reduction
600/4911/X	2 AB40395	VTCT Level 4 Award in Laser and Light Treatments for Skin Rejuvenation
603/4083/6	2 iBT4A1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Award in Micro-Pigmentation Treatment
500/9034/3	2 AB40163	VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Laser and Intense Pulsed Light (IPL) Treatments
600/3288/1	2 AB40168	VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Micropigmentation
603/1304/3	2 BT4C1	VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Advanced Beauty Therapy
603/1305/5	2 BT4C2	VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Enhancing Eyebrows with Microblading Techniques
603/2908/7	D 2 BT4C4	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Radio Frequency
603/2909/9	D 2 BT4C5	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Skin Needling
603/2910/5	D 2 BT4C6	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Skin Peeling
603/2911/7	D 2 BT4C7	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Ultrasound
603/4085/X	2 iBT4C8	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Micro-Pigmentation Treatment
500/8886/5	2 AB40162	VTCT Level 4 Diploma in Advanced Beauty Therapy
500/9037/9	2 AB40184	VTCT Level 4 Diploma in Permanent Hair Removal and Skin Rejuvenation
600/1397/7	H AM40237	VTCT Level 4 Diploma in Salon Management
603/4044/7	2 iBT4D1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Advanced Skincare
603/5033/7	2 iBT4D3	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Laser and Light Treatments
603/4498/2	iCO4D1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Spa and Salon Management
VRQ Level 5		
603/2912/9	D 2 BT5C1	VTCT (ITEC) Level 5 Certificate in Advanced Blemish Removal
603/2907/5	D 2 BT5C2	VTCT (ITEC) Level 5 Certificate in Laser Tattoo Removal

D Dual branded - this qualification is available through both ITEC and VTCT.

H This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

2 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

VRQ Entry Level

- VTCT Entry Level Award in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector (Entry 3) – AM30033 ^H**
 This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills through introducing learners to the hair and beauty industries and how they should present a professional image in the salon.
 Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **62**
- VTCT Entry Level Certificate in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector (Entry 3) – AM30036 ^H**
 This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills through introducing learners to the hair and beauty industries and how they should present a professional image in the salon.
 Credits **13** TQT **130** GLH **114**
- VTCT Entry Level Certificate in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty (Entry 3) – AM30257 ^H**
 This is a qualification that has been designed to prepare learners for employment, to develop their skills in personal and social development and teach them a range of techniques across the hair and beauty sectors.
 Credits **14** TQT **140** GLH **124**
- VTCT Entry Level Diploma in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty (Entry 3) – AM30258 ^H**
 This is a qualification that has been designed to introduce a range of practical skills from across the hair and beauty industries while providing learners with the opportunity to develop their own personal and social skills.
 Credits **37** TQT **370** GLH **340**

VRQ Level 1

- VTCT Level 1 Award in Nail Art Application – AB10089**
 This qualification will enable learners to design and apply basic nail art treatments using stick-on transfers, some nail art paints, and adornments such as glitter.
 Credits **3** TQT **30** GLH **30**
- VTCT Level 1 Award in Basic Make-Up Application – AB10090**
 This qualification will enable learners to prepare for and carry out basic make-up application, using foundation, concealers, powder, eye products, cheek products and lip products.
 Credits **3** TQT **30** GLH **30**
- VTCT Level 1 Award in Themed Face Painting – AB10091**
 This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in the artistic service of designing and applying themed face painting.
 Credits **3** TQT **30** GLH **30**
- VTCT Level 1 Award in Nail Treatments – AB10113**
 This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide basic manicure and pedicure treatments.
 Credits **11** TQT **110** GLH **102**

^H This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

- **VTCT Level 1 Award in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector – AM10037** 

This is a small qualification that has been designed to introduce a range of practical skills from across the hair and beauty industries.

Credits **9** TQT **90** GLH **72**

- **VTCT Level 1 Award in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty – AM10259** 

This is a qualification that has been designed to introduce a range of practical skills from across the hair and beauty industries while providing learners with the opportunity to develop their own personal and social skills.

Credits **9** TQT **90** GLH **80**

- **VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Beauty Therapy – AB10242**

This qualification will equip learners with the skills and knowledge required to provide basic facial skincare and make-up treatments for clients, as well as basic manicure and pedicure treatments for the hands and feet.

Credits **23** TQT **230** GLH **208**

- **VTCT Level 1 Certificate in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector – AM10035** 

This is a qualification that has been designed to introduce a range of practical skills from across the hair and beauty industries.

Credits **15** TQT **150** GLH **119**

- **VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty – AM10260** 

This is a qualification that has been designed to prepare learners for employment, to develop their skills in personal and social development and teach them a range of techniques across the hair and beauty sectors.

Credits **14** TQT **140** GLH **115**

- **VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Beauty Therapy – AB10243**

This qualification will enable learners to improve the appearance of the hands and feet with basic manicure and pedicure techniques. They will also learn how to provide relaxing head massage treatments, cleansing, toning and moisturising treatments, and learn how to give advice on skin care, and basic day make-up application.

Credits **40** TQT **400** GLH **353**

- **VTCT Level 1 Diploma in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector – AM10034** 

This is a qualification that has been designed to introduce a range of practical skills from across the hair and beauty industries.

Credits **37** TQT **370** GLH **310**

- **VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Vocational Studies – Hair and Beauty – AM10261** 


This is a qualification that has been designed to prepare learners for employment, to develop their skills in personal and social development and teach them a range of techniques across the hair and beauty sectors.

Credits **37** TQT **370** GLH **305**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 1 Diploma in Beauty Therapy – iBT1D1**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 1 Diploma in Beauty Therapy is to provide learners with the foundation to progress to further learning and to gain the necessary basic practical skills and knowledge in order to assist with beauty treatments in the salon. The qualification is suitable for pre 16 learners and/or learners aged 16 and over and is a sound platform into further learning at level 2.

Credits **42** TQT **420** GLH **369**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

VRQ Level 2

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in the Art of Photographic Make-Up – AB20103** ³

This qualification has been designed to develop learners' practical skills in providing photographic make-up services. Learners will learn about make-up for different facial features, skin types, eye and lip shapes, different facial characteristics, glasses and contact lens wearers as well as lighting and other photographic make-up factors. It will cover how to use professional make-up products, tools and equipment.

Credits **4** TQT **40** GLH **30**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Skin Tanning Techniques – AB20104** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills to provide self tanning services to specific areas of the body (not full body).

Credits **4** TQT **40** GLH **30**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Shaping and Colouring Eyebrows – AB20106** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in shaping (tweezers) and colouring (tinting) eyebrows. Learners will learn how to maintain the original eyebrow shape or to change the shape of the eyebrow if desired. They will also learn about different colour characteristics and the chemical process of tinting.

Credits **4** TQT **40** GLH **30**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Body Art Design – AB20107** ³

This qualification will equip learners with the skills and knowledge required to provide basic facial skincare and make-up treatments for clients, as well as basic manicure and pedicure treatments for the hands and feet.

Credits **4** TQT **40** GLH **30**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Nail Art – AB20120** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide nail art.

Credits **11** TQT **110** GLH **92**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Facial Massage and Skincare – AB20122** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide facial skincare.

Credits **12** TQT **120** GLH **98**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Wax Depilation – AB20123** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to remove hair using waxing techniques.

Credits **11** TQT **110** GLH **99**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Threading Depilation – AB20125** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide threading.

Credits **9** TQT **90** GLH **71**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Mendhi Skin Decoration – AB20126** ³

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in the design and application of Mendhi skin decoration.

Credits **9** TQT **90** GLH **76**

● Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Eyelash Perming – AB20127** 

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide eyelash perming.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **62**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Thermal Auricular Therapy – AB20129** 

This is a specialist qualification that has been specifically designed to help develop basic knowledge, practical skills and competencies in how to provide ear candling treatments on clients.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **62**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Nail Technology – AB20262** 

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in providing and maintaining nail enhancements using either UV gel or liquid and powder nail systems.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **46**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Eyelash and Eyebrow Treatments – AB20263** 

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in shaping (tweezers) and colouring (tinting eyelashes and eyebrows). Learners will learn how to maintain the original eyebrow shape or to change the shape of the eyebrow if desired. They will also learn about different colour characteristics and the chemical process of tinting.

Credits **4** TQT **40** GLH **36**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Skin Cancer Awareness for Non-Healthcare Professionals – AG20529**

This qualification has been designed to help learners recognise the signs and symptoms of skin cancer. This qualification will enable beauty and wellbeing professionals to gain the appropriate knowledge and communication skills required to provide non-diagnostic, professional advice and information to clients in a discrete, empathetic and confidential manner.

Credits **1** TQT **10** GLH **8**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Scalp Massage Services – AH20048**

This qualification has been specifically designed to develop learners' practical skills in; how to provide a good quality consultation service for clients and effective scalp massage services.

Credits **10** TQT **100** GLH **87**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Photographic Make-Up and Dressing Hair – AM20070**  

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in the creative art of dressing hair and the imaginative application of photographic make-up.

Credits **9** TQT **90** GLH **60**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Creating an Image Based on a Theme in the Hair and Beauty Sector – AM20073** 


This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to help learners plan, develop and produce an image using both hairdressing and beauty therapy skills.


Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **60**

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Head Massage – AM20101**

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in providing the relaxing and stress relieving treatment of head massage.

Credits **4** TQT **40** GLH **30**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

• **VTCT Level 2 Award in Preventing Contact Dermatitis – AM20169** 

This is a course that has been specifically designed to develop knowledge and understanding of the characteristics and causes of the ever increasing skin condition of contact dermatitis, and how it can be prevented if learners work in the hair and beauty industries.

Credits **1** TQT **10** GLH **9**

• **VTCT Level 2 Award in Employment Awareness in the Hair and Beauty Sector – AM20244** 

This is a vocationally related qualification that will develop knowledge and understanding of learners employment rights and responsibilities (ERR), the hair and beauty sector and the organisation in which they work. This qualification has been tailored to complement vocational qualifications to prepare them for a career in the hair and beauty sector.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **35**

• **VTCT Level 2 Award in Preparing to Run a Hair and Beauty Business – AM20528** 

This qualification has been specially designed to enable learners to gain the skills, knowledge and understanding required to be a successful beauty therapy or hairdressing entrepreneur, including an awareness of the benefits and risks involved in running their own business.

Credits **3** TQT **30** GLH **20**

• **VTCT Level 2 Award in LED Gel Polish Techniques – BT2A1** 

This is a single unit award qualification about applying, maintaining and removing LED gel polish products to the nails.

Credits **1** TQT **10** GLH **10**

• **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Manicure Treatments – iBT2A3** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Manicure Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide manicure treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **5** TQT **50** GLH **48**

• **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Pedicure Treatments – iBT2A4** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Pedicure Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide pedicure treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **5** TQT **50** GLH **48**

• **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Apply Make-up – iBT2A5** 


The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Apply Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide make-up for the general public and to gain employment in the make-up industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.


Credits **5** TQT **50** GLH **41**

• **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Facial Skincare – iBT2A7** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Facial Skincare is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide facial skincare treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **56**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Photographic Make-up – iBT2A8** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Photographic Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide photographic make-up to the general public and to gain employment in the make-up industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **4** TQT **40** GLH **30**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Thermal Auricular Therapy – iBT2A9** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Provide Thermal Auricular Therapy is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide thermal auricular treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty and spa industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **2** TQT **20** GLH **20**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Gel Polish Techniques – iBT2A10** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Gel Polish Techniques is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide gel nail polish treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **1** TQT **10** GLH **10**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Employment Awareness in the Hair and Beauty Sector – iCO2A4** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Award in Employment Awareness in the Hair and Beauty Sector is to enable learners to gain the necessary knowledge required to assist in their understanding of the hairdressing and beauty industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide a platform into further learning at level 3.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **35**

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Nail Treatments – AB20114** 

This is a substantial vocational qualification that will prepare learners for a career as a junior nail technician.

Credits **20** TQT **200** GLH **183**

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Cosmetic Make-Up and Beauty Consultancy – AB20115** 

This is a vocational qualification and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a beauty consultant including applying make-up and instruction on make-up, client care, health and safety.

Credits **19** TQT **190** GLH **153**

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Nail Technology – AB20117** 


This is a substantial vocational qualification for learners seeking a career as an employed and/or self-employed nail technician.


Credits **20** TQT **200** GLH **162**

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Cosmetic Make-Up – AB20118** 

This is a vocational qualification which includes all the elements to work effectively as a junior make-up consultant including applying make-up, instruction on make-up application and how to provide eyelash and eyebrow treatments.

Credits **21** TQT **210** GLH **175**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Beauty Specialist Techniques – AB20178** ²

This is a vocational qualification and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a junior beauty therapist including mandatory units covering facial skincare, eyelash and eyebrow treatments, make-up, health and safety and client care.

Credits **31** TQT **310** GLH **250**

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Beauty Services – AB20183** ²

This is a substantial vocational qualification for learners seeking a career as an employed and/or self-employed beautician/beauty specialist.

Credits **30** TQT **300** GLH **259**

- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Services – AM20497** ^H

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in both hair and beauty enabling learners to perform their own services as well as assist others.

Credits **23** TQT **230** GLH **181**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Nail Art – iBT2C1** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Nail Art is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide nail art treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy and/or nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

TQT **200** GLH **125**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Facial Skincare – iBT2C2** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Facial Skincare is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide facial skincare treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

Credits **16** TQT **160** GLH **129**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Manicure – iBT2C4** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Manicure is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide manicure treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **14** TQT **140** GLH **121**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Beauty Consultancy – iBT2C5** ³

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Beauty Consultancy is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide beauty consultancy services to the general public and to gain employment in the industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **29** TQT **290** GLH **232**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Eyebrow Treatments and Eyelash Enhancements – iBT2C7** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Eyebrow Treatments and Eyelash Enhancements is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide eyebrow and eyelash treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **23** TQT **230** GLH **201**

^H This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

² Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Bridal Make-up – iBT2C9** ¹

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Bridal Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide bridal make-up to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

TQT **168** GLH **100**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Make-up – iBT2C11** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide make-up treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the make-up industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

TQT **121** GLH **50**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate for Beauty Specialists – iBT2C12** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate for Beauty Specialists is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide facial skincare and eye treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

TQT **170** GLH **100**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Waxing – iBT2C13** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Waxing is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide waxing treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

TQT **140** GLH **50**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Manicure and Pedicure – iBT2C14** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Manicure and Pedicure is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide manicure and pedicure treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

TQT **140** GLH **50**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Liquid and Powder Nail Enhancements – iBT2C15** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Liquid and Powder Nail Enhancements is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide nail treatments specialising in liquid and powder nail enhancements to the general public and to gain employment in the nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **29** TQT **290** GLH **239**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Gel Nail Enhancements – iBT2C16** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Gel Nail Enhancements is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide nail treatments specialising in gel nail enhancements to the general public and to gain employment in the nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **29** TQT **290** GLH **239**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Wrap Nail Enhancements – iBT2C17** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Certificate in Wrap Nail Enhancements is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide nail treatments specialising in wrap nail enhancements to the general public and to gain employment in the nail industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2 and 3.

Credits **29** TQT **290** GLH **239**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Specialist Techniques – AB20086** 

This qualification includes all the required elements to work effectively as a junior beautician/beauty specialist including removing hair using waxing techniques, applying make-up, eyelash and eyebrow treatments, manicure, pedicure, facial skincare, client care, health and safety and fulfilling salon reception duties.

Credits **54** TQT **540** GLH **456**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Services – AB20182** 

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide facial skin care, manicure and pedicure treatments, apply make-up and to be able to create an image based on a theme within the hair and beauty sector.

Credits **40** TQT **400** GLH **343**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies – AB20491** 

This is a vocational qualification and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a junior therapist including mandatory units covering facial skincare, waxing, eyelash and eyebrow treatments, manicure, pedicure, client care and health and safety.

Credits **40** TQT **400** GLH **345**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies (Make-Up) – AB20492** 

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills by covering mandatory units including applying make-up, instruction on make-up, the art of photographic make-up, client care and health and safety.

Credits **41** TQT **410** GLH **315**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Services – AM20173**   

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in both hair and beauty, enabling learners to perform their own services as well as assist others.

Credits **43** TQT **430** GLH **362**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-Up – AM20241**  

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to enable learners to learn both aspects of hairdressing and media make-up.

Credits **55** TQT **550** GLH **444**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-Up Studies – AM20513**  


This is a vocational qualification that will prepare learners for further study at level 3 within the hair and media make-up sector. This qualification is designed for learners aged 16 years or over. Entry onto this qualification can be via previous achievement of a Level 1 qualification in beauty therapy or hairdressing and/or a successful skills test and interview.


Credits **38** TQT **380** GLH **277**

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Make-Up Artistry – BT2D5**  

This is a technical certificate qualification aimed at learners aged 16-19 who are in a full-time level 2 education programme and wish to pursue a career as an employed and/or self-employed hair and make-up artist.

TQT **397** GLH **330**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Specialists – iBT2D7** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Specialists is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide beauty specialist treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

TQT **390** GLH **300**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Treatments – iBT2D13** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide beauty treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

TQT **393** GLH **250**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Specialist Treatments – iBT2D14** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Specialist Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide beauty specialist treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

Credits **40** TQT **400** GLH **352**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments – iBT2D15** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide beauty therapy treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

Credits **51** TQT **510** GLH **445**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Hair, Photographic and Media Make-up – iCO2D2**  

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 2 Diploma in Hair, Photographic and Media Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide hair, photographic and media make-up to the general public and to gain employment in the hair, photographic and media make-up industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at levels 2 and 3.

Credits **41** TQT **410** GLH **323**

VRQ Level 3

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Anatomical and Physiological Knowledge of Body Systems – AM30085**


This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to give learners knowledge and understanding of the main systems of the body.


Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **60**

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Camouflage Make-Up – AB30108** 

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in providing camouflage make-up services.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **60**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Media Make-Up – AB30111** ³

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills and media make-up techniques. Learners will learn to use latex, liquid blood and other coloured cosmetics to create different character and casualty effects.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **60**

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Nail Enhancements and Advanced Hand and Nail Art Techniques – AB30112** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in providing nail enhancement techniques (one system), and nail and hand art.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **60**

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Lash Extensions – AB30143** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to apply individual permanent lashes.

Credits **11** TQT **110** GLH **95**

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Advanced (Intimate) Waxing Techniques – AB30144** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide advanced (intimate) waxing techniques.

Credits **11** TQT **110** GLH **94**

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Spa Treatments – AB30160** ²

This qualification has been specifically designed to develop learners' practical skills in; how to monitor and maintain spa areas and provide spa treatments. The purpose of this qualification is to develop learner' skills in beauty therapy to a high level of occupational ability, to enable learners to perform your own salon services.

Credits **12** TQT **120** GLH **93**

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Asian Bridal Make-Up – AB30516** ³

This qualification has been specifically designed to develop the knowledge, understanding and practical skills required to design and apply Asian bridal make-up.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **60**

- **VTCT Level 3 Award in Principles of Beauty and Spa Treatments – AB30531** ²

This is a qualification which has been specifically designed to enable learners to gain a theoretical understanding of beauty and spa treatments.

Credits **5** TQT **50** GLH **45**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Massage Using Pre-Blended Aromatherapy Oils – iBT3A1** ⁴

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Massage using Pre-Blended Aromatherapy Oils is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide massage using pre-blended aromatherapy oils to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **65**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Indian Head Massage – iBT3A2** ¹

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Indian Head Massage is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide Indian head massage to the general public and to gain employment in the spa and beauty industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at levels 3 and 4.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **49**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Intimate Waxing for Female Clients – iBT3A3** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Intimate Waxing for Female Clients is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide intimate waxing for female clients to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 18 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

Credits **11** TQT **110** GLH **94**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Body Massage – iBT3A5** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Body Massage is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide body massage to the general public and to gain employment in the spa and beauty industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at levels 3 and 4.

Credits **9** TQT **90** GLH **84**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Asian Bridal Make-up – iBT3A6** ³

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Asian Bridal Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide Asian bridal make-up services to the general public and to gain employment in the make-up industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **60**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Apply Airbrush Make-up to the Face – iBT3A7** ³

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Award in Apply Airbrush Make-up to the Face is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide airbrush make-up treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the make-up industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

Credits **8** TQT **80** GLH **56**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Micro Dermabrasion Treatments – AB30139** ²

This qualification is a VRQ for learners seeking a career as an employed and/or self-employed beauty/massage therapist. This qualification is based on the beauty therapy National Occupational Standards (NOS) and is fit for purpose for preparing learners for a career as beauty therapist. This VTCT qualification in micro dermabrasion at Level 3. Qualifies learners to carry out a micro dermabrasion treatment.

Credits **16** TQT **160** GLH **138**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Epilation – AB30140** ²

This qualification has been specifically designed to develop learners' skills using electrolysis for hair removal. Within this qualification learners will develop a sound knowledge of health and safety, client care and communication. Learners will also develop an underpinning knowledge and understanding of the practical skills learned throughout this qualification.

Credits **18** TQT **180** GLH **145**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Facial Electrotherapy – AB30141** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide facial electrical treatments.

Credits **27** TQT **270** GLH **242**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Face and Body Art – AB30142** ³

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in the artistic techniques of the application of airbrush and manual face and body art techniques, as well as how to plan and create face and body art designs.

Credits **13** TQT **130** GLH **108**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Massage Using Pre-Blended Aromatherapy Oils – AB30177** ²

This qualification is a specialist vocational qualification that has been specifically designed to develop learners' practical skills in; how to provide massage using pre-blended aromatherapy oils with a range of clients and conditions.

Credits **14** TQT **140** GLH **122**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Beauty Therapy Studies (Massage) – AB30495** ²

This is a technical level qualification that provides learners with the knowledge, understanding and skills to work as a massage therapist, either as an employee or in a self-employed capacity.

Credits **35** TQT **350** GLH **306**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Swedish Massage – AM30136** ²

This is a substantial vocational qualification that will prepare learners for a career as a beauty (Swedish massage) therapist. Learners will develop a range of technical skills enabling them to provide relaxing massage treatments using classical Swedish massage movements. Learners will also develop interpersonal skills that will assist them to communicate effectively with clients.

Credits **16** TQT **160** GLH **141**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Stone Therapy Massage – AM30180** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop learners' practical skills in providing the relaxing and stress relieving treatment of massage using hot and cold stones.

Credits **16** TQT **160** GLH **132**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Beauty Therapy – BT3C1** ²

This qualification has been designed to develop practical beauty therapy skills. In this qualification learners will cover body massage, health and safety and client communication skills. To further develop their skills, they will have the opportunity to choose from a wide range of optional units in electrotherapy, epilation, Indian Head massage, stone therapy, intimate waxing and other practical beauty therapy treatments.

Credits **35** TQT **350** GLH **295**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Fashion and Photographic Make-Up – BT3C8** ³

The primary outcome of this qualification is to prepare learners to enter the beauty or media sector as a specialist make-up artist, with the specific skill of providing fashion and photographic make-up services. All the units in this qualification directly relate to the role of a specialist make-up artist.

Credits **18** TQT **180** GLH **157**

- **VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Indian Head Massage – BT3C9** ⁴

The primary outcome of this qualification is to prepare learners to enter the hairdressing; beauty and complementary therapy sector as a specialist massage therapist, with the specific skill of providing Indian head massage treatments. All the units in this qualification relate directly to the role of a specialist massage therapist.

Credits **17** TQT **170** GLH **140**

● Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Spa Treatments – iBT3C11** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Spa Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide spa treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3 and 4.

TQT **167** GLH **93**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Microdermabrasion Treatments – iBT3C13** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Microdermabrasion Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide microdermabrasion treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3 and 4.

TQT **123** GLH **45**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Facial Electrical Treatments – iBT3C14** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Facial Electrical Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide facial electrical treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 4.

Credits **22** TQT **220** GLH **192**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Fashion and Photographic Make-up – iBT3C19** ³

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Fashion and Photographic Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide fashion and photographic treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the make-up and photographic industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 4.

Credits **23** TQT **230** GLH **195**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Eyelash Extensions – iBT3C20** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Certificate in Eyelash Extensions is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide eyelash extensions treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 2, 3 and 4.

Credits **15** TQT **150** GLH **126**

- **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology – AB30130** ²

The primary outcome of this qualification is to prepare learners to enter the specific sector of beauty therapy as a nail technician. All the units in this qualification relate directly to the specific job role.

Credits **51** TQT **510** GLH **414**

- **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa and Body Treatments – AB30132** ²

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in how to provide spa treatments such as body wraps, hydrotherapy, body electrotherapy, body massage; and how to monitor and maintain spa areas such as sauna and steam facilities.

Credits **53** TQT **530** GLH **463**

- **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments – AB30133** ²

This qualification includes all the required elements to work effectively as a beauty therapist including providing body massage, face and body electrotherapy, health and safety and client care.

Credits **58** TQT **580** GLH **509**

● Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

• **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Make-Up Artistry – AB30134** 

This is a substantial vocational qualification that will prepare learners for a career as a make-up artist. This qualification is designed for learners aged 16 years or over and will support them to gain employment as a make-up artist, as the units contained in this qualification cover all the skills and knowledge required for this role. Entry onto this qualification can be via previous attainment of a Level 2 qualification in beauty therapy and/or a successful skills test and interview.

Credits **50** TQT **500** GLH **421**

• **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies – AB30493** 

The content of this qualification comprises of all the required elements to work effectively as a beauty therapist including health and safety, client care and communication, electrical face and body treatments, and body massage.

Credits **46** TQT **460** GLH **424**

• **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa Therapy Studies – AB30496** 

The content of this qualification comprises of all the required elements to work effectively as a spa therapist including health and safety, client care and communication, providing spa treatments such as hydrotherapy, body wraps, wet flotation and dry flotation; as well has how to operate, monitor and maintain the spa area including sauna, steam and other equipment.

Credits **39** TQT **390** GLH **329**

• **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology Studies – AB30523** 

The content of this qualification comprises of all the required elements to work effectively as a nail technician including health and safety, client care and communication, applying and maintaining nail enhancements using either ultra-violet gel or liquid and powder, nail art using both manual and airbrush techniques, electric filing techniques, how to promote products and services, and business and teamwork skills.

Credits **43** TQT **430** GLH **336**

• **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapy – AM30099** 

This is a qualification that has been specifically designed to develop your practical skills in; how to provide body massage, massage using pre-blended aromatherapy oils, Indian head massage and stone therapy massage.

Credits **52** TQT **520** GLH **450**

• **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Theatrical, Special Effects and Hair and Media Make-Up – AM30175**  

This is a technical level qualification for learners seeking a career as an employed and/or self-employed theatrical media make-up artist working with performers to a high level of occupational ability, providing hair and make-up services in the media, theatre, performing arts, fashion and photographic industries.

Credits **58** TQT **580** GLH **455**

• **VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Fashion, Theatre and Media Hair and Make-Up Studies – AM30514**  


The content of this qualification is comprised of all the required elements to work effectively as a make-up artist including airbrush make-up for the face, camouflage make-up, fashion and photographic make-up and media make-up.


Credits **45** TQT **450** GLH **333**

• **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty, Massage and Electrotherapy – iBT3D8** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty, Massage and Electrotherapy is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide beauty, massage and electrotherapy treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at level 3 or level 4.

TQT **1133** GLH **850**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Anatomy and Physiology – iBT3D9**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Anatomy and Physiology is to enable learners to gain the necessary underpinning knowledge of anatomy, physiology and pathology required by the complementary therapies, beauty therapy and sport and fitness industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3.

TQT **370** GLH **100**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology – iBT3D10 ²**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide nail technology treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy and nail industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at level 3 or level 4.

TQT **373** GLH **215**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Epilation – iBT3D11 ²**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Epilation is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide epilation treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3 and 4.

TQT **444** GLH **300**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Body Treatments – iBT3D12 ²**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Body Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide body treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the spa and beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3 and 4.

TQT **548** GLH **410**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Indian Head Massage – iBT3D13 ⁴**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Indian Head Massage is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide Indian head massage treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the massage industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3 and 4.

TQT **388** GLH **250**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Fashion, Theatre and Media Make-up – iBT3D14 ³**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Fashion, Theatre and Media Make-up is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide fashion, theatrical and media make-up to the general public and performers and to gain employment in the theatrical and media make-up industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at levels 3 and 4.

TQT **480** GLH **300**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Facial Electrical Treatments – iBT3D15 ²**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Facial Electrical Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide facial electrical treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 4.

TQT **380** GLH **250**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Beauty Therapy – iBT3D16** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Beauty Therapy is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide beauty therapy treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the spa and beauty industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at levels 3 and 4.

Credits **65** TQT **650** GLH **568**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Techniques – iBT3D27** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Techniques is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide beauty therapy treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 4.

Credits **52** TQT **520** GLH **398**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapies – iBT3D28** ⁴

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapies is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide massage therapies to the general public and to gain employment in the spa or beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3 and 4.

Credits **38** TQT **380** GLH **330**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments – iBT3D34** ²

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide beauty therapy treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 2 and 3. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 3 and 4.

Credits **60** TQT **600** GLH **539**

VRQ Level 4

- **VTCT Level 4 Award in Skin Blemish Removal – AB40164** ²

This is a vocationally related qualification focused on carrying out advanced electrical epilation techniques to treat skin tags, milia, telangiectasia, spider naevi and blood spots.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **47**

- **VTCT Level 4 Award in Laser and Light Treatments for Hair Reduction – AB40394** ²

This is an advanced vocational qualification which will prepare learners to reduce hair growth using intense light and laser systems.

Credits **10** TQT **100** GLH **74**

- **VTCT Level 4 Award in Laser and Light Treatments for Skin Rejuvenation – AB40395** ²

This is an advanced vocational qualification which will prepare learners to provide intense light and laser treatments for photo-rejuvenation of the skin.

Credits **10** TQT **100** GLH **74**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Award in Micro-Pigmentation Treatment – iBT4A1** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Award in Micro-Pigmentation is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide micro-pigmentation treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 18 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 4. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at level 4.

Credits **12** TQT **120** GLH **75**

- **VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Laser and Intense Pulsed Light (IPL) Treatments – AB40163** 

This qualification is focused on reducing hair growth and photo rejuvenation of the skin using intense pulse light and laser treatments.

Credits **31** TQT **310** GLH **220**

- **VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Micropigmentation – AB40168** 

This qualification is about using micropigmentation, a form of cosmetic tattooing, to create make-up effects to enhance facial features. This qualification requires learners to develop skills to carry out micropigmentation treatments.

Credits **32** TQT **320** GLH **169**

- **VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Advanced Beauty Therapy – BT4C1** 

This qualification is appropriate to use on the Welsh Level 4 apprenticeship framework. It is also appropriate for a workbased learning route for higher skills and employment in the beauty industry, using qualifications that combine both skills and knowledge.

Credits **59** TQT **590** GLH **325**

- **VTCT Level 4 Certificate in Enhancing Eyebrows with Microblading Techniques – BT4C2** 

This qualification is an advanced therapies qualification aimed at 18+ learners, who wish to pursue a career as a microblading technician.

TQT **187** GLH **165**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Radio Frequency – BT4C4**  

This is an advanced therapy qualification aimed at level 3 qualified practitioners aged 18 and over and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a fully commercial radio frequency practitioner.

TQT **170** GLH **123**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Skin Needling – BT4C5**  

This is an advanced therapy qualification aimed at level 3 qualified practitioners aged 18 and over and develop the knowledge, understanding and skills to consult with and analyse clients whilst providing skin needling treatments.

TQT **170** GLH **123**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Skin Peeling – BT4C6**  


This is an advanced therapy qualification aimed at level 3 qualified practitioners aged 18 and over and develop the knowledge, understanding and skills to consult with and analyse clients whilst providing skin peeling treatments.


TQT **170** GLH **123**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Ultrasound – BT4C7**  

This is an advanced therapy qualification aimed at level 3 qualified practitioners aged 18 and over and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a fully commercial Ultrasound practitioner.

TQT **170** GLH **123**

 Dual branded - this qualification is available through both ITEC and VTCT.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Micro-Pigmentation Treatment – iBT4C8** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Certificate in Micro-Pigmentation is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical skills and knowledge in order to provide micro-pigmentation treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty industry. The qualification is suitable for learners aged 18 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 4. It also provides a sound platform into further learning at level 4.

Credits **20** TQT **200** GLH **119**

- **VTCT Level 4 Diploma in Advanced Beauty Therapy – AB40162** 

This is a vocational qualification which builds on beauty therapy skills to allow learners to develop an enhanced repertoire of advanced techniques to prepare them for employment as a senior beauty therapist.

Credits **93** TQT **930** GLH **554**

- **VTCT Level 4 Diploma in Permanent Hair Removal and Skin Rejuvenation – AB40184** 

Throughout this qualification, learners will develop their knowledge and understanding of relevant anatomy and physiology and health and safety whilst looking in depth at the physiology of aging.

Credits **72** TQT **720** GLH **480**

- **VTCT Level 4 Diploma in Salon Management – AM40237** 

This is a vocationally related qualification and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a salon manager.

Credits **59** TQT **590** GLH **301**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Advanced Skincare – iBT4D1** 

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Advanced Skincare is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide advanced skincare treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty therapy industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 4. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 4.

Credits **51** TQT **510** GLH **338**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Laser and Light Treatments – iBT4D3** 


The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Laser and Light Treatments is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to provide laser and light treatments to the general public and to gain employment in the beauty industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 18 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 4.


Credits **38** TQT **380** GLH **256**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Spa and Salon Management – iCO4D1**

The main aim of the VTCT (ITEC) Level 4 Diploma in Spa and Salon Management is to enable learners to gain the necessary practical and theoretical skills in order to manage the spa or salon environment effectively and to gain employment in the hair and beauty industry. This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and over and is designed to provide occupational competence at level 4. It also provides a sound platform into further training at level 4 and 5.

Credits **68** TQT **680** GLH **376**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

VRQ Level 5

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 5 Certificate in Advanced Blemish Removal – BT5C1**  

This is an advanced treatment qualification aimed at level 4 qualified practitioners aged 18 and over. Learners are required to hold a level 4 skin blemish removal qualification to progress onto the level 5 advanced blemish removal qualification. They will also develop the knowledge, understanding and skills to consult with and analyse clients whilst providing advanced blemish removal treatments.

TQT **211** GLH **152**

- **VTCT (ITEC) Level 5 Certificate in Laser Tattoo Removal – BT5C2**  






















This is an advanced therapy qualification aimed at level 4 qualified practitioners aged 18 and over. Learners are required to hold a level 4 laser and IPL qualification to progress onto level 5 tattoo removal. In this qualification, learners will develop the knowledge, understanding and skills to consult with and analyse clients whilst providing laser tattoo removal treatments.

TQT **245** GLH **180**



NVQ

Assessed in the workplace and based on National Occupational Standards, generally leading to a specific occupation.


QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
NVQ Level 1		
500/9332/0	AB10025	VTCT Level 1 NVQ Certificate in Beauty Therapy
501/0177/8	 AM10023	VTCT Level 1 NVQ Diploma in Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy
NVQ Level 2		
600/3465/8	 AB20290	VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Eyebrow and Eyelash Treatments
600/3926/7	 AB20308	VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Providing Pedicure Services
600/3925/5	 AB20329	VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Providing Manicure Services
600/4014/2	 AB20330	VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Make-Up
500/8839/7	 AB20026	VTCT Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy General
500/8814/2	 AB20027	VTCT Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy Make-Up
500/8840/3	 AB20028	VTCT Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Nail Services
NVQ Level 3		
600/3448/8	 AB30292	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Airbrush Make-Up
600/3378/2	 AB30295	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Fashion and Photographic Make-Up
600/3366/6	 AB30296	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Female Intimate Waxing
600/3365/4	 AB30298	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Nail Enhancement using Liquid and Powder
600/3364/2	 AB30299	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Nail Enhancement using UV Gel
600/3361/7	 AB30300	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Self Tanning
600/3469/5	 AB30301	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Single Eyelash Extension Treatments
600/3934/6	 AB30334	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Indian Head Massage
500/8860/9	 AB30029	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy General
500/8813/0	 AB30030	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy Make-Up
500/8861/0	 AB30031	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy Massage
500/9078/1	 AB30032	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Nail Services
500/8881/6	 AB30033	VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Spa Therapy


NVQ Level 1

• VTCT Level 1 NVQ Certificate in Beauty Therapy – AB10025

This qualification includes all the required elements to work effectively as an assistant junior beauty therapist including: preparing and maintaining the salon treatment work areas, effective working with clients and colleagues and taking responsibility for actions to reduce risks to health and safety.

Credits **19** TQT **190** GLH **183**

 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

 Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT Level 1 NVQ Diploma in Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy – AM10023** ^H

This qualification will provide the basic knowledge and skills needed in preparation for a career as a hairdresser or beauty therapist. Throughout this qualification learners will be responsible for reducing health and safety risks, prepare for hair services and maintain work areas, prepare and maintain salon treatment work areas, contribute to the development of effective working relationships and shampoo and conditioning hair.

Credits **41** TQT **410** GLH **403**

NVQ Level 2

- **VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Eyebrow and Eyelash Treatments – AB20290** ²

This qualification is about providing eyelash and eyebrow treatments. It covers the use of a variety of consultation techniques to establish the treatment and outcomes required by the client. The learner will need to be able to provide eyebrow shaping and artificial lash treatments using a variety of work techniques. They will also need to be able to tint eyebrows and lashes for clients with different colouring characteristics (i.e. fair, red, dark and white).

Credits **5** TQT **50** GLH **45**

- **VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Providing Pedicure Services – AB20308** ²

This qualification is about providing pedicure services to clients. It covers consulting with the client, recognising any contra-indications, preparing for the service and producing a service plan. It also covers filing the nails, applying skin and cuticle treatments, cleaning and drying the feet, removing excessive hard skin, massaging the foot and lower leg and providing a suitable nail finish.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **53**

- **VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Providing Manicure Services – AB20329** ²

This qualification is about providing manicure services to clients. It covers consulting with the client, recognising any contra-indications, preparing for the service and producing a service plan. It also covers filing and buffing the nails, using skin and cuticle treatments, massaging the hand and lower arm and providing a suitable nail finish.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **53**

- **VTCT Level 2 NVQ Award in Make-Up – AB20330** ³

This qualification is about providing make-up services for a variety of occasions, including day, evening and special occasions.

Credits **6** TQT **60** GLH **47**

- **VTCT Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy General – AB20026** ²

This qualification includes all the required elements to work effectively as a beauty therapist including: facial skincare, enhancement of eyebrows and eyelashes, waxing services, manicure, pedicure, effectiveness at work, health and safety and promoting additional products and services to clients.

Credits **54** TQT **540** GLH **458**

- **VTCT Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy Make-Up – AB20027** ³

This qualification is for learners seeking to gain beauty and make-up skills (not hairdressing) and for those who wish to work and develop their skills in a commercial setting. It is a substantial vocational qualification for learners seeking a career as an employed and/or self-employed beauty therapist specialising in make-up.

Credits **44** TQT **440** GLH **365**

^H This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

² Requires a prerequisite COVID-19 course.

- **VTCT Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Nail Services – AB20028** ²

This qualification includes all the required elements to work effectively as a nail technician including the application and maintenance of nail enhancements to create a natural finish, nail art services, providing manicure and pedicure treatments, fulfilling salon reception duties, promoting additional products and services to clients and effectiveness at work. All units in this qualification are mandatory.

Credits **40** TQT **400** GLH **329**

NVQ Level 3

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Airbrush Make-Up – AB30292** ³

This qualification is about providing airbrush make-up to the face and body. Learners will need to show that they can carry out a variety of airbrush make-up designs and techniques. The ability to use a range of airbrushing products and additional items is also required. The accurate use and maintenance of equipment is an essential aspect of this qualification.

Credits **8** TQT **80** GLH **62**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Fashion and Photographic Make-Up – AB30295** ³

This qualification is about developing creative make-up skills for fashion and photographic work in a way that enhances a learners own professional profile. The ability to research, plan and create a range of make-up looks to a given brief, in conjunction with others, is required in this qualification. The ability to evaluate the results against the design brief is also required.

Credits **8** TQT **80** GLH **68**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Female Intimate Waxing – AB30296** ²

This qualification is about removing hair from intimate areas using various waxing techniques. Learners will need to be able to consult with the client, prepare for the waxing service and produce a treatment plan. They will also need to provide treatment advice to the client, particularly around the avoidance of certain activities and home care advice.

Credits **5** TQT **50** GLH **44**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Nail Enhancement using Liquid and Powder – AB30298** ²

This qualification has been specifically designed to develop the practical skills in providing nail enhancement techniques using liquid and powder systems. The learner will learn about the condition of the skin and nails.

Credits **10** TQT **100** GLH **80**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Nail Enhancement using UV Gel – AB30299** ²

This qualification has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in providing nail enhancement techniques using UV gel systems. Learners will learn about the condition of the skin and nails.

Credits **10** TQT **100** GLH **80**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Self Tanning – AB30300** ²

This qualification has been specifically designed to develop practical skills in providing self tan services to the full body. Learners will learn about manual and spray tanning treatments and how to use professional tanning products, tan gun and compressor.

Credits **3** TQT **30** GLH **27**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Single Eyelash Extension Treatments – AB30301** ²

The purpose of this qualification is to develop skills in eyelash extension treatments and provide foundation for further learning or progression into specialist employment or self employment.

Credits **5** TQT **50** GLH **44**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Award in Indian Head Massage – AB30334** ⁴

This qualification has been specifically designed to give an understanding of the history of the use of Indian head massage in ancient civilisations and in Western complementary therapies. Learners will learn the practical skills required to enable them to provide relaxing and stress relieving Indian Head Massage treatments.

Credits **7** TQT **70** GLH **54**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy General – AB30029** ²

This qualification is designed for learners aged 16 years or over and will support them to gain employment as a beauty therapist. The qualification includes all the required elements to work effectively as a beauty therapist including mandatory units covering facial and body electrical, body massage, electrical epilation, monitoring procedures in the salon and contributing to the planning of a promotional event.

Credits **65** TQT **650** GLH **540**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy Make Up – AB30030** ³

This qualification will provide the knowledge, understanding and skills to work competently as an advanced beauty therapist specialising in make-up. Throughout this qualification learners will monitor procedures to safely control work operations, contribute to the planning and implementation of promotional activities, design and create fashion and photographic make-up and provide specialist skin camouflage services.

Credits **45** TQT **450** GLH **353**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy Massage – AB30031** ²

This is a vocational qualification and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a beauty massage therapist including mandatory units covering body massage, Indian head massage, and massage with pre-blended oils, stone therapy, monitoring procedures in the salon and contributing to the planning of a promotional event. The structure of this qualification provides learners with the flexibility to develop the knowledge, understanding and skills required for the role of beauty massage therapist.

Credits **51** TQT **510** GLH **403**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Nail Services – AB30032** ²

This qualification includes all the required elements to work effectively as a nail technician including: enhance and maintain nails using UV gel and liquid and powder. Throughout this qualification learners will develop knowledge and understanding of relevant anatomy and physiology, health and safety, client care and nail product knowledge.

Credits **48** TQT **480** GLH **356**

- **VTCT Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Spa Therapy – AB30033** ²

This is a vocational qualification and includes all the required elements to work effectively as a spa therapist including mandatory units covering body massage, stone therapy, body wrapping, monitoring and operating sauna, steam and hydrotherapy treatments, monitoring procedures in the salon and contributing to the planning of a promotional event.

Credits **63** TQT **630** GLH **502**

SVQ

Qualifications for Scotland – assessed in the workplace and based on National Occupational Standards, generally leading to a specific occupation.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
SCQF Level 5		
GL4X 22	2 BT5S1	SVQ 2 in Beauty Therapy at SCQF Level 5
SCQF Level 6		
GL4Y 23	2 BT6S1	SVQ 3 in Beauty Therapy at SCQF Level 6
GL50 23	BT6S2	SVQ 3 in Spa and Massage Therapy at SCQF Level 6

SCQF Level 5

- **SVQ 2 in Beauty Therapy at SCQF Level 5 – BT5S1** **2**

This qualification will provide the knowledge, skills and understanding required to become a beauty therapist. Skills included as mandatory units require learners to develop and maintain their effectiveness at work, provide facial skincare, eyebrow and eyelash treatments, waxing, make-up, manicure and pedicure services for clients.

SCQF Level 6

- **SVQ 3 in Beauty Therapy at SCQF Level 6 – BT6S1** **2**

This qualification will provide the knowledge, skills and understanding required to become a beauty therapist. The mandatory section of the qualification requires learners to provide body massage, facial electrical and body electrical treatments as well as contributing to the planning, implementation and evaluation of promotional activities.
















- **SVQ 3 in Spa and Massage Therapy at SCQF Level 6 – BT6S2**

This qualification has both mandatory and optional units for learners to achieve. The mandatory section of the qualification requires learners to provide body massage, Indian head massage, and stone therapy treatments.




Foundation Skills

Basic practical skills intended to progress to further training.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Entry Level		
601/5778/1	 COEA1	VTCT Entry Level Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
601/5781/1	 COEA2	VTCT Entry Level Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
601/5779/3	 COEC1	VTCT Entry Level Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
601/5783/5	 COEC2	VTCT Entry Level Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
601/5780/X	 COED1	VTCT Entry Level Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
Level 1		
601/5784/7	 CO1A1	VTCT Level 1 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5787/2	 CO1A2	VTCT Level 1 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5785/9	 CO1C1	VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5788/4	 CO1C2	VTCT Level 1 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5786/0	 CO1D1	VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
Level 2		
601/5789/6	 CO2A1	VTCT Level 2 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5792/6	 CO2A2	VTCT Level 2 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5790/2	 CO2C1	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5793/8	 CO2C2	VTCT Level 2 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
601/5791/4	 CO2D1	VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)








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Foundation Skills Entry Level (Entry 3)

These are vocationally related qualifications that will prepare learners to care for themselves independently. The qualifications are designed for learners aged 14 years or over and will support them to effectively care for their personal hygiene and appearance, as the units contained in this qualification cover all the skills and knowledge required to enable them to do this.

The main purpose of these qualifications is to enable learners to perform hair and beauty skills and techniques on themselves. Each of the units in this qualification will enable learners to develop techniques to help them care for themselves whilst developing their understanding of hair, beauty and hygiene products. These are really important self-care skills which will help learners to mix well with others, whether in an education or in a work environment.

- **VTCT Entry Level Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – COEA1** 
TQT **66** GLH **60**
- **VTCT Entry Level Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – COEA2** 
TQT **132** GLH **120**
- **VTCT Entry Level Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – COEC1** 
TQT **165** GLH **150**
- **VTCT Entry Level Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – COEC2** 
TQT **198** GLH **180**
- **VTCT Entry Level Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – COED1** 
TQT **429** GLH **390**

Foundation Skills Level 1

The main purpose of these qualifications is to enable learners to develop hair and beauty skills, techniques and knowledge, which will prepare them to progress to the next level of vocational learning. All the units in these qualifications directly prepare learners for further study in the hair and beauty sector.

All units in these qualifications have been designed as a foundation for further study both in the hair and beauty sector and more broadly. Learners will develop knowledge of the hair and beauty sector and use this as a basis for further learning at Level 2, as a full time or part time learner.

- **VTCT Level 1 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO1A1** 
TQT **66** GLH **60**
- **VTCT Level 1 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO1A2** 
TQT **132** GLH **120**
- **VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO1C1** 
TQT **165** GLH **150**
- **VTCT Level 1 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO1C2** 
TQT **198** GLH **180**
- **VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO1D1** 
TQT **429** GLH **390**




Foundation Skills Level 2

The main purpose of these qualifications is to enable learners to develop hair and beauty skills, techniques and knowledge, which will prepare them to progress to the next level of vocational learning. All the units in these qualifications directly prepare learners for further study in the hair and beauty sector.

All units in these qualifications have been designed as a foundation for further study both in the hair and beauty sector and more broadly. Learners will develop knowledge of the hair and beauty sector and use this as a basis for further learning at Level 2, as a full time or part time learner.

- **VTCT Level 2 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO2A1** 
TQT **66** GLH **60**
- **VTCT Level 2 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO2A2** 
TQT **132** GLH **120**
- **VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO2C1** 
TQT **165** GLH **150**
- **VTCT Level 2 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO2C2** 
TQT **198** GLH **180**
- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – CO2D1** 
TQT **429** GLH **390**



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Foundation Skills Packages H

Packages combining Foundation Skills with other qualifications.

Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Entry Level	
H AM20530EA1	AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
H AM20530EA2	AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
H AM20530EC1	AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
H AM20530EC2	AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
H AM20530ED1	AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ)
Level 1	
H AM205301A1	AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205301A2	AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205301C1	AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205301C2	AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205301D1	AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
Level 2	
H AM205302A1	AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205302A2	AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205302C1	AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205302C2	AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)
H AM205302D1	AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ)



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Foundation Skills Packages Entry Level (Entry 3) ^H

- AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – AM20530EA1
- AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – AM20530EA2
- AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – AM20530EC1
- AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – AM20530EC2
- AM20530 + VTCT Entry Level Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (Entry 3) (VRQ) – AM20530ED1

Foundation Skills Packages Level 1 ^H

- AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205301A1
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205301A2
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205301C1
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205301C2
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 1 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205301D1

Foundation Skills Packages Level 2 ^H

- AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205302A1
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Extended Award in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205302A2
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205302C1
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Extended Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205302C2
- AM20530 + VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ) – AM205302D1

Apprenticeship Standards (England)

Apprenticeships aim to develop the professional knowledge, skills and behaviour required for a specific job role. Learners will learn both theory and practical knowledge that will create the foundation for their career. It's important to know there are three stages of the Apprenticeship Standard which are known as 1) On-Programme, 2) Gateway and 3) End-point Assessment. To find out more, visit vtct.org.uk/apprenticeships

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Apprenticeship Standards		
603/3606/7	2 BT2D16	VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Professionals (Beauty Therapist)
603/3694/8	6 BT2D17	VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Professionals (Beauty and Make-up Consultant)
603/3695/X	2 BT2D18	VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Professionals (Nail Services Technician)

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Professionals (Beauty Therapist) – BT2D16** 2

On completion of this qualification, learners will be able to perform beauty therapy treatments and implement safe working practices which meet legal, industry and organisational requirements. Learners will be able to carry out, maintain and store detailed and confidential client consultations, enabling the choice of the most appropriate treatments and products. They will be able to select, use, and apply a range of beauty therapy techniques, products, tools and equipment to provide a range of services and treatments.

Please note: only for sale as part of new professional apprenticeship.

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Professionals (Beauty and Make-up Consultant) – BT2D17** 6

On completion of this qualification, learners will be able to provide advice to customers on beauty products as a brand ambassador in a retail setting. Learners will be able to select and demonstrate a range of retail beauty products, tools and equipment in order to provide advice and recommendations on a range of services.

Please note: only for sale as part of new professional apprenticeship.

- **VTCT Level 2 Diploma for Beauty Professionals (Nail Services Technician) – BT2D18** 2

On completion of this qualification learners will be able maintain and manage a nail bar or station in accordance with legal requirements, provide advice to customers on beauty products as a brand ambassador in a retail setting. Learners will be able to select and demonstrate a range of nail products, tools and equipment in order to provide advice and recommendations on a range of services.

Please note: only for sale as part of new professional apprenticeship.



Apprenticeship Standards (England)

End-point Assessment

The End-point Assessment cost is dependent on the number of apprentices undertaking an End-point Assessment within an approved End-point Assessment Centre, at any one time. When the apprentice is deemed ready for their End-point Assessment and has passed gateway, the training provider can book the EPA through Smart EPA (SEPA).



Apprenticeship Packages

Packages comprising the necessary elements to complete an Apprenticeship or pre-modern Apprenticeship.

Apprenticeship Packages (Wales)

A VTCT Apprenticeship package in Wales includes a competence qualification, a knowledge qualification and employment rights and responsibilities (ERR) (where applicable).

Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Foundation Apprenticeship Packages (Wales)	
AI20052	Foundation Apprenticeship in Beauty Therapy – General (Wales)
AI20053	Foundation Apprenticeship in Beauty Therapy – Make-Up (Wales)
AI20058	Foundation Apprenticeship in Nail Services (Wales)
Apprenticeship Packages (Wales)	
AA30054	Apprenticeship in Beauty Therapy – General (Wales)
AA30055	Apprenticeship in Beauty Therapy – Make-Up (Wales)
AA30056	Apprenticeship in Beauty Therapy – Massage (Wales)
AA30057	Apprenticeship in Spa Therapy (Wales)
AA30059	Apprenticeship in Nail Services (Wales)


















Pre-modern Apprenticeship Packages (England, Wales & Northern Ireland) H

Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Entry Level	
H TCOEA1	Entry Level Award Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCOEA2	Entry Level Extended Award Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCOEC1	Entry Level Certificate Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCOEC2	Entry Level Extended Certificate Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCOED1	Entry Level Diploma Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
Level 1	
H TCO1A1	Level 1 Award Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO1A2	Level 1 Extended Award Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO1C1	Level 1 Certificate Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO1C2	Level 1 Extended Certificate Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO1D1	Level 1 Diploma Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
Level 2	
H TCO2A1	Level 2 Award Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO2A2	Level 2 Extended Award Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO2C1	Level 2 Certificate Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO2C2	Level 2 Extended Certificate Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
H TCO2D1	Level 2 Diploma Traineeship in Hair and Beauty Skills




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Pre-modern Apprenticeship Packages (Scotland)

Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Entry Level	
 SCOEA1	Entry Level Award Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCOEA2	Entry Level Extended Award Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCOEC1	Entry Level Certificate Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCOEC2	Entry Level Extended Certificate Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCOED1	Entry Level Diploma Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
Level 1	
 SCO1A1	Level 1 Award Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO1A2	Level 1 Extended Award Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO1C1	Level 1 Certificate Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO1C2	Level 1 Extended Certificate Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO1D1	Level 1 Diploma Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
Level 2	
 SCO2A1	Level 2 Award Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO2A2	Level 2 Extended Award Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO2C1	Level 2 Certificate Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO2C2	Level 2 Extended Certificate Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills
 SCO2D1	Level 2 Diploma Pre-modern Apprenticeship in Hair and Beauty Skills



 This is a combined qualification offered in Hairdressing and Beauty.

Functional Skills

Qualifications which teach post-16 and adult learners in England how to apply practical Maths, English and ICT skills to real-life and vocational contexts.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
Functional Skills Level 1		
603/4608/5	RFSE1	Skillsfirst Level 1 Functional Skills Qualification in English
603/4807/0	RFSM1	Skillsfirst Level 1 Functional Skills Qualification in Mathematics
Functional Skills Level 2		
603/4606/1	RFSE2	Skillsfirst Level 2 Functional Skills Qualification in English
603/4808/2	RFSM2	Skillsfirst Level 2 Functional Skills Qualification in Mathematics



Core Skills

Qualifications covering the five skills most needed in many work environments, available at levels 3 to 6 of the Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework.

QN	Product Code	Qualification Title (See below for qualification details)
SCQF Level 3		
H8JM 04	NL3C1	Numeracy at SCQF Level 3
H8JT 04	NL3C5	Communication at SCQF Level 3
H8JY 04	NL3C9	Information and Communication Technology at SCQF Level 3
H8K3 04	NL3C13	Problem Solving at SCQF Level 3
H8K7 04	NL3C17	Working with Others at SCQF Level 3
SCQF Level 4		
H8JN 04	NL4C2	Numeracy at SCQF Level 4
H8JV 04	NL4C6	Communication at SCQF Level 4
H8K0 04	NL4C10	Information and Communication Technology at SCQF Level 4
H8K4 04	NL4C14	Problem Solving at SCQF Level 4
H8K8 04	NL4C18	Working with Others at SCQF Level 4
SCQF Level 5		
H8JP 04	NL5C3	Numeracy at SCQF Level 5
H8JW 04	NL5C7	Communication at SCQF Level 5
H8K1 04	NL5C11	Information and Communication Technology at SCQF Level 5
H8K5 04	NL5C15	Problem Solving at SCQF Level 5
H8K9 04	NL5C19	Working with Others at SCQF Level 5
SCQF Level 6		
H8JR 04	NL6C4	Numeracy at SCQF Level 6
H8JX 04	NL6C8	Communication at SCQF Level 6
H8K2 04	NL6C12	Information and Communication Technology at SCQF Level 6
H8K6 04	NL6C16	Problem Solving at SCQF Level 6
H8KA 04	NL6C20	Working with Others at SCQF Level 6

Glossary of Terms

The following terms are used throughout this book. Please see below for clarification on any of these terms. If you find you still have additional questions about any of our qualification listings, please contact [Customer Support](#) directly.

Award: This describes the size of a qualification in terms of Total Qualification Time (TQT) (comprising both supervised and unsupervised study) required by an average learner. An Award has a TQT of 120 hours or less.

Certificate: This describes the size of a qualification in terms of Total Qualification Time (TQT) (comprising both supervised and un-supervised study) required by an average learner. A Certificate has a TQT of 121-369 hours.

Credits: This is the number of credits awarded upon successful achievement of all unit outcomes. Credit is a numerical value that represents a means of recognising, measuring, valuing and comparing achievement.

Diploma: This describes the size of a qualification in terms of Total Qualification Time (TQT) (comprising both supervised and un-supervised study) required by an average learner. A Diploma has a TQT of 370 hours or more.

GLH: This refers to **Guided Learning Hours**. These are defined as all times when a member of staff is present to give specific guidance towards the learning aim being studied on a programme. It includes any activity of a learner in being taught or instructed by – or otherwise participating in education or training under the immediate guidance or supervision of – a lecturer, supervisor, tutor or other appropriate provider of education or training. No learner is required to take a certain amount of time; some may take less and some may take more time. Qualifications can sit at different levels, but require similar or different amounts of study and assessment time.

Product Code: This is a unique identifying code, which is assigned to every qualification. The code identifies the sector, level and qualification type. You can learn more about product codes here: itecworld.co.uk/qualification-product-codes.

QN: This is the unique number assigned to a qualification upon successful submission to Ofqual's Register of Regulated Qualifications.

Qualification Title: Some qualifications have had title amendments to ensure they are most representative of the qualification's content.

TQT: This is the **Total Qualification Time**, a term used within qualifications regulated by Ofqual as part of the Regulated Qualification Framework (RQF). It aims to provide an indication of the minimum length of time it would take the average learner to complete their qualification. This includes the number of hours an awarding organisation has assigned to a qualification for Guided Learning and an estimate of the number of hours a learner will reasonably be likely to spend in preparation, study, or any other form of participation in education or training. This includes assessment, which takes place as directed – but, unlike Guided Learning, not under the immediate guidance or supervision of – a lecturer, supervisor, tutor or other appropriate provider of education or training.



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