

National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 2) (Hairdressing)
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level of qualification: 2

	Compulsory	Elective
level 2 credits available	74	18
minimum totals required	74	8

registration date: 2010

scheduled review date: 2015

body responsible for the qualification: Namibia Training Authority

other bodies whose unit standards are included in the qualification: None

1 purpose

This qualification recognises people who have the competencies required for performing hairdressing tasks. It is awarded to people who have demonstrated the skills and knowledge required to perform a range of hairdressing tasks, including applying workplace related calculations; processing incoming and outgoing phone calls; applying the principle of hairdressing science; moulding and finger waving hair; applying airwave and blow dry techniques; providing reception and administrative service; performing dreadlock techniques to hair; performing hair extensions; applying temporary hair colour service; applying tonging techniques; cutting and shaping hair into elementary styles; demonstrating hairstyling techniques and displaying, promoting and selling products; working in teams and communicating in a salon environment.

This qualification is designed to be accessible and flexible. The entry requirement for this qualification is the National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 1) (Hairdressing) or equivalent.

The main focus is on the outcomes of this qualification, not the how, when and where learning occurred. Some people applying to do this qualification may currently be competent in one or more of the unit standards and should then be given the opportunity to apply for recognition of prior learning.

This qualification leads to the National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 3) (Hairdressing).

2 regulations for the qualification

2.1 summary of qualification requirements

This qualification will be awarded to people who are credited with 82 credits and have met the requirements of the compulsory sections.

2.2 detailed qualification requirements

Compulsory

All the unit standards listed below are required.

FIELD: Service Sector
Subfield: Beauty Services
Domain: Hairdressing

Unit ID	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
638	Work in teams in a hairdressing environment	2	4
639	Process incoming and outgoing phone calls in a hairdressing salon environment	2	4
640	Apply calculations related to hairdressing operations	2	6
641	Communicate in a salon environment	2	2
642	Apply the principles of hairdressing science	2	8
643	Provide reception and administrative services in a hairdressing salon	2	4
644	Display, promote and sell products as part of hairdressing operations	2	4
645	Demonstrate elementary hairstyling techniques	2	4
646	Cut and dress hair for elementary styles	2	4
647	Apply airwave and blow dry techniques	2	4
648	Mould and finger wave hair	2	8
650	Perform hair extensions	2	8
651	Apply tonging techniques	2	8
652	Apply temporary hair colour service	2	2

AND

FIELD: Health Sciences and Social Services
Subfield: Core Health
Domain: HIV and AIDS awareness

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
331	Demonstrate knowledge of HIV and AIDS in the workplace	2	4

Electives

A minimum of 8 credits is required from the following unit standards.

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
649	Perform dreadlock techniques to hair	2	8
653	Perform braiding techniques to hair	2	10

3 credit recognition and transfer arrangements

Credits for any version of a unit standard of the same identification number will be recognised in the award of this qualification.

4 special arrangements

Providers seeking accreditation to deliver this qualification must meet the following special arrangements.

1. Providers involved in the assessment of this qualification and the associated unit standards must comply with the national assessment arrangements for the VET system up to and including level 5 of the Namibia Qualifications Framework. These arrangements apply to all occupations and industries, including hairdressing, which are encompassed in the vocational education and training sector. A copy of the national assessment arrangements is available from:

Namibia Training Authority

Rand Street

Khomasdal

Namibia

Telephone number: 27 9550

Facsimile number: 27 9551

Email info@nta.com.na

2. Providers of this qualification and the associated unit standards must be accredited.
3. Providers of this qualification and the associated unit standards must have access to all equipment and facilities detailed in the Special Notes and / or Range Statements in the unit standards that comprise this qualification.
4. Providers in receipt of funding through the NTA to deliver this qualification must use the national curriculum and training materials developed by the NTA for the National Vocational Certificate in Beauty Services (Level 2) (Hairdressing)
5. The national curriculum and training materials for this qualification are available from:

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5 transition arrangements

5.1 non National Qualifications Framework transition

None.

5.2 National Qualifications Framework transition

This is the first version of this qualification.