

VOCATIONAL STUDY

HAIRDRESSING



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INTRODUCTION

TyneMet offers recognised qualifications in hairdressing. With top-class college training in a commercial environment our City & Guilds NVQ programmes provide students with a clear progression route.

FACILITIES

Students experience on-the-job style training in the college's three commercial hairdressing salons. Most hairdressing training takes place in these workplace environments with real customers, ensuring students gain hands-on experience from the beginning of the course.

QUALIFIED TEACHERS

The department's teachers are all fully-qualified and industry aware. Each one has the relevant vocational expertise and experience to ensure training standards remain high.

"I love the course and hairdressing is what I've always wanted to do. My tutor has tailored the course around the topics I'm most interested in. Attending a Clynol Colouring workshop gave me lots of new ideas and I'm really looking forward to progressing to Level 3."

Stacey Brown, [Hairdressing Level 2](#).

LINKS

The department has established strong links with many other professional and commercial salons including Soul, Splinters and Ewart Rain. Students can also attend regular workshops with Tigi and Clynol.

SUCCESS STORIES

[Claire Burt](#)



Claire Burt is currently studying on the NVQ Level 2 Hairdressing course and she intends to go on to complete Level 3. In order to gain extra experience, she is doing a work placement at Seaton Sluice salon Persona.

The salon's owner, Victoria May, is a former student of the Hairdressing department and has already offered Claire a job when she finishes her studies.

OTHER GREAT OPPORTUNITIES

[Student Union](#) – TyneMet's Student Union is your voice on all campus issues. As well as receiving great money saving offers and discounts, members can attend SU social events and really get involved in college life.

[NESA](#) – TyneMet is home to the North East Sports Academy (NESA). NESA offers all students studying at TyneMet up to ten hours of high level coaching in their chosen sport, scheduled within the college timetable. In addition to this great coaching, students can take part in a sport-specific strength and conditioning programme run by expert coaches. Other benefits include free gym membership, physiotherapy and a NESA sports clothing pack.

COURSES

Certificate in Salon Work

Entry requirements: must be able to demonstrate an understanding of the course and present a good school report to the college.

Students cover:

- Basic Hairdressing
- Basic Manicure
- Basic Make-up

Hairdressing NVQ Level 1

Entry requirements: some success at GCSE is preferable. Students who have completed the Certificate in Salon Work are also favoured. Students must attend an interview and present a good school report to the college.

At Level 1 students cover the following topics:

- Health and Safety
- Conditioning Treatments
- Blow Drying
- Reception Duties
- Basic Perming / Colouring
- Basic Cutting Techniques
- Shampooing
- Hygiene

Hairdressing NVQ Level 2

Entry requirements: NVQ Level 1 or relevant hairdressing experience. Students must attend an interview and present a good school report to the college.

At Level 2 students cover the following topics:

- Health and Safety
- Cutting
- Colouring
- Perming
- Further Styling Techniques
- Reception Duties
- Hygiene
- Work Placement Opportunities

There are compulsory costs associated with the hairdressing courses for uniforms and kits.

Your starting point	Your opportunity at TyneMet		Where next ?
No formal qualifications	ENTRY LEVEL	Foundation Learning Tier	Progression to Level 1 at TyneMet
Two GCSEs at grade D or above	LEVEL 1	Equivalent to two GCSEs	Progression to Level 2 at TyneMet
Three GCSEs at grade D or above	LEVEL 2	Equivalent to three GCSEs	Progression to Level 3 at TyneMet or Employment
Four GCSEs at grade C or above	LEVEL 3	Two year programmes equivalent to three A levels	Employment, university or foundation degree at TyneMet

NVQ starting points and entry requirements may vary.

NEXT STEPS

To apply for any course complete an application form or call **0191 229 5000** or email enquiries@tynemet.ac.uk