



# Level 3 Barbering

Our qualification is suited to anyone aspiring to, or currently in, a senior barber role. Complex techniques and practices will be covered, developing your ability to provide excellent barbering services to your clients. Let your creativity flow as you focus on designing a range of facial hair shapes and cutting hair using advanced techniques. This qualification is appropriate for those who have previously completed our Level 2 Barbering apprenticeship.

## Benefits for the learner

- Earn a wage whilst training
- Learn valuable skills on the job
- Quality teaching from our highly skilled trainer coaches
- Achieve a nationally recognised qualification
- Access resources through Moodle - our online learning platform

## Benefits for the employer

- Develop the next generation of professionals for your salon
- Invest in your business
- Grow your own talent
- Support available to recruit new staff
- Optional units to tailor the qualification to your business needs



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## Essential Skills

Welsh Government is committed to raising the levels of Essential Skills across Wales. Communication and Application of Number qualifications are an integral element of the funded apprenticeship frameworks.

These are usually delivered through workshops at one of our centres and will be planned well in advance. If you have completed Essential Skills previously or are able to provide suitable evidence, such as GCSE certificates or similar, you may be exempt from completing this element of the qualification.

Essential Skills	
Learners will need to complete:	
Application of Number	Level 2
Digital Literacy	Level 1
Communication	Level 2

## Qualification Overview

To achieve our Level 3 Barbering qualification, you must complete **66 credits in total**:

- **40 credits** from the mandatory units
- **A minimum of 26 credits** from the optional units

Please note that:

- Monthly tutor visits are required and extra visits or support can be provided
- Tutor sessions may last up to two hours
- The qualification will take 21 months to complete

## Mandatory Units

Unit Title	Credit Value
Provide client consultation services	8
Creatively cut hair using a combination of barbering techniques	14
Design and create a range of facial hair shapes	7
Provide shaving services	11

## Optional Units

Unit Title	Credit Value
Perm and neutralise hair	8
Fulfil salon reception duties	6
Colour and lighten men's hair	14
Provide a variety of relaxing services	9
Contribute to the financial effectiveness of the business	7
Hair colour correction services	15
Develop, enhance and evaluate your creative hairdressing skills	9
Provide specialist hair and scalp treatments	12
Contribute to the planning and implementation of promotional activities	10
Design and create patterns in hair	12

### Progression

If you are in a suitable role, you could progress to:

- Level 3 Digital Marketing
- Level 3 Social Media for Business



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