

Curriculum Planning Enrich Academy



Hair and Beauty



Intent

To provide an engaging, practical curriculum that builds confidence, routine, and employability skills through hair and beauty. Students will develop basic vocational skills, personal presentation, communication, and independence in a supportive environment.

Autumn 1

Focus: Introduction & Personal Care		
Health & safety in the salon	Introduction to hair & beauty tools	Skin care basics Following instructions and routines
Personal hygiene and presentation	Basic hair care (washing, drying)	Building confidence and engagement

Autumn 2

Focus: Basic Skills Development		
Introduction to client care	Working safely with equipment	Simple hair styling (plaits, ponytails, straightening)
Communication skills (greeting clients)	Teamwork and respect	Basic nail care (filing, painting)

Spring 1

Focus: Practical Application		
Shampoo and conditioning techniques	Blow drying basics Time management skills Following step-by-step instructions	Basic makeup application Hygiene routines (tools & workspace)

Spring 2

Understanding self-care and wellbeing Building confidence through practical success	Developing respect for others (clients & peers) Understanding appropriate behaviour in a work setting	Understanding job roles in hair & beauty Identifying personal strengths and interests
Respecting personal space and boundaries Positive communication with peers and staff	Teamwork through paired practical activities Engaging in enrichment activities (e.g. themed nail art / hair styles)	Setting simple personal targets Building confidence for next steps
Exploring the industry	Exploring different cultures/styles in hair & beauty	Introduction to career pathways (college, apprenticeships)

Summer 1

Focus: Employability Skills		
Roles in the hair & beauty industry	Communication with clients	Working as part of a team
Salon routines and expectations	Preparing for work (attendance, punctuality)	

Summer 2

Focus: Consolidation & Showcase		
Practice and refine skills learned	Create a final look (hair/beauty)	Build confidence in abilities
Complete simple practical assessments	Celebrate progress and achievement	