

# Qualification Specification

Focus Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bridal Hair  
and Make-up (RQF)

603/4224/9



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## Qualification Details

QRN: 603/4224/9

Credit: 63

GLH: 521

TQT: 590

## Qualification Purpose

The Focus Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bridal Hair and Make-up (RQF) is aimed at those learners currently working in the Hair and Beauty Sector who wish specialise in Bridal Hair and Make-up.

The aim of the Focus Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bridal Hair and Make-up (RQF) is to provide learners with advanced practical skills and knowledge in Bridal Hair and Make-up.

Upon successful achievement of the Focus Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bridal Hair and Make-up (RQF) learners will have gained the technical skills to create a range of Bridal Hair Styles and provide Bridal Make-up services to clients. Learner will also gain the knowledge and skills required for applying false eyelashes and styling special occasion hair.

## Learner Entry Requirements

To complete these qualification learners must have previously achieved a level 2 qualification in either Beauty Therapy, Hairdressing/Make Up.

## Age Ranges

Entry is at the discretion of the centre; however learners should be 16 to undertake this qualification.

## Geographical Coverage

This qualification has been accredited for use in England.

## Reasonable Adjustments and Special Considerations

Please refer to the Focus Awards 'Focus Awards Reasonable Adjustments and Special Consideration Policy.'

## Assessment Methods

Each learner is required to create portfolio of evidence which demonstrates achievement of all the learning outcomes and the assessment criteria associated with each unit.

The main pieces of evidence for the portfolio could include:

- Assessor observation – completed observational checklists on related action plans
- Witness testimony
- Learner product
- Worksheets
- Assignments / projects / reports
- Record of oral and written questioning
- Learner and peer reports
- Recognition of prior learning (RPL)

All evidence must be cross referenced to unit outcomes, simulation is not allowed in all units

## Progression Routes

Learners wishing to progress from this qualification can undertake the following qualifications:

- Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy
- Level 3 Diploma in Make-up Artistry

## Useful websites and supporting materials

You will find useful websites and supporting materials here:

- [www.focusawards.org.uk](http://www.focusawards.org.uk)
- [Ofqual.gov.uk](http://Ofqual.gov.uk)

## Qualification Structure/Rules of Combination

In order to achieve the Level 3 Diploma in Bridal Hair and Make-up (RQF) the learner must achieve a total of 63 credits from the mandatory units.

Unit Title	Unit Ref	Level	GLH	Credit
<b>Mandatory units</b>				
Monitor and maintain health and safety practice in the salon	R/600/8780	3	29	4

Maintaining Personal Health and Well being	D/600/8779	3	60	7
Working in the hair industry	M/600/8611	2	35	4
Explore Technological Developments within the Hair Beauty and associated areas	F/601/3568	3	60	7
Client consultation for hair services	A/600/9065	2	30	3
The Art of Dressing Hair	Y/502/3979	2	30	5
Styling Bridal Hair	D/617/4803	3	37	4
Styling and Dressing Hair using a range of Techniques	H/617/4804	3	60	7
Special Occasion Hair Styles	K/617/4805	3	30	3
Apply make-up	A/617/1018	2	41	5
Bridal make-up	M/617/4806	3	29	4
Asian bridal make-up	T/617/4807	3	60	7
False eyelash application	A/617/4808	2	20	3

### Requirements for Tutors:

Tutors delivering the qualification will be required to hold or be working towards a teaching qualification. This may include qualifications such as the Levels 3, 4 or 5 in Education and Training, or a Certificate in Education. Focus Awards will however consider other teaching qualifications upon submission. Tutors must also be able to demonstrate that they are occupationally competent within the sector area.

### Requirements for assessors:

Assessors will be required to hold, or be working towards a relevant assessing qualification. This may include qualifications such as the Level 3 Certificate in Assessing Vocational Achievement, or the Level 3 Award in Assessing Competence in the Work Environment. Focus Awards will however; consider other relevant assessing qualifications upon submission. Trainee assessors who do not hold an assessment qualification will require their decisions to be countersigned by a suitably qualified assessor. Assessors must also be able to show they are occupationally competent within the sector area.

### **Requirements for Internal Quality Assurers (IQA):**

Internal Quality Assurers should hold or be working towards an IQA qualification. This may include qualifications such as the V1 (previously D34), or the Level 4 Award in the Internal Quality Assurance of Assessment Processes and Practice. Focus Awards will however; consider other relevant IQA qualifications upon submission. Trainee IQAs who do not hold an IQA qualification will require their decisions to be countersigned by a suitably qualified IQA. IQAs must be able to demonstrate occupational competence.