

CARDIFF AND VALE COLLEGE

HAIR & BEAUTY

Students have the opportunity to study Hair & Beauty for one day per week at the Colcot Road, Barry, campus of the Cardiff and Vale College.

The course aims to let learners develop their hair and beauty skills, techniques and knowledge. All units are a foundation for further study in the hair and beauty sector and more broadly.

Students will be given the opportunity to develop the basic knowledge and some practical skills required in the workplace, such as client and customer skills and job interview skills.

The course is delivered by teachers who have had many years of experience in the industries, with some owning their own business.

Students will be required to wear a uniform in order to create a professional image.

Qualification on Completion:

VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hair and Beauty Skills (VRQ).

Course Outline:

The course is made up of the following units:

- 1 mandatory unit; Creating an image based on a theme.
- 4 optional units: Choose from nail art, basic manicure, plaiting and twisting hair, blow-dry and finish hair, basic skincare, photographic make-up and many more.

Course Outcomes:

This qualification is equivalent to 2 GCSEs grades A*-C. The qualification is awarded by the VTCT (Vocational Training Charitable Trust) and can be used to access associated full-time post-16 courses at Cardiff & Vale College and beyond.

Potential Progression Routes:

Full-time courses at CAVC such as:
Level 1 Hairdressing and Beauty Courses
Level 2 Hairdressing and Beauty Courses
Other Level 1, 2 and 3 courses.



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AUTOMOTIVE (MOTOR VEHICLE)

Students have the opportunity to follow a course in Automotive (Motor Vehicle) for one day per week at the Colcot Road, Barry, campus of the Cardiff and Vale College.

The Automotive Engineering department at Cardiff and Vale College is the leading centre in Wales for the Institute of the Motor Industry and Ford UK.

All staff are industry-trained and provide a friendly and professional learning environment. If you are serious about a career in the motor industry, Cardiff and Vale College is your answer.

This course is suitable for students with an interest in all aspects of the automotive industry. This course can lead to a career in light and heavy vehicle mechanics, tyre and exhaust fitters and as a MOT test.

The practical element of the course comprises working on a variety of vehicle components such as engines, tyres, exhaust, suspension, braking and steering systems. A lot of time in the workshop is dedicated to improving the students' practical skills to the point where they are confident enough to undertake a practical assessment.

There are also theoretical elements of the course. The course is assessed by internal tests, practical tasks and on-line exams.

Qualification on Completion:

IMI Level 2 Diploma in Vehicle Inspection

Course Outline:

The course is made up of the following units:

1. Skills and knowledge in Health & Safety of the automotive industry.
2. Skills and knowledge in materials, fabrication, tools and measuring devices used in the automotive environment.
3. Spark, ignition engine systems, components and operation.
4. Skills and knowledge in inspection, repair and replacement of standard light vehicle tyres and batteries.

Course Outcomes:

This qualification is equivalent to 2 GCSEs grades A*-C. The qualification is awarded by the Institute of the Motor Industry and features units that are necessary for the Foundation Modern Apprenticeship.

Potential Progression Routes:

Full-time courses at Cardiff and Vale College:

Level 1 Automotive

Level 2 Mechanics Apprenticeship

Other Level 1, 2 and 3 courses.

