Open Awards Qualification Unit

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1 Unit Details

Unit Title:	Exploring the Hair and Beauty Sector
Unit Reference Number:	Y/506/3446
Level:	Level 2
Credit Value:	2
Minimum GLH:	11

2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Know the diverse nature of the hair and beauty sector	1.1 Describe the size and scope of the hair and beauty sector
	1.2 Describe the contribution to society of the hair and beauty sector
	1.3 Outline the role of the standard setting body for the hair and beauty sector
	1.4 Identify the main industries that make up the hair and beauty sector
2. Know the key features of the industry in which they work	2.1 Describe the composition of their industry in terms of public, private and voluntary organisations
	2.2 Identify the size of their industry in terms of employment
	2.3 Outline the essential principles, values or codes of practice in their industry
	2.4 Identify the roles of key organisations in their industry, including any representative and regulatory bodies, trade unions and trade associations
	2.5 Describe industry issues of public concern

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3.	Know employment and career opportunities in the industry in which they work	3.1	Identify sources of information on career progression, training and education
		3.2	Identify the main job roles within the industry
		3.3	Identify potential career pathways in the industry
		3.4	Identify the key factors that help people progress in the careers in the industry
		3.5	Outline how people can transfer from one industry to another

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