

My Journey Option Subjects Info Sheet

(Each field should be between 50 – 60 words)

Option Subject: Hairdressing and Beauty

Kindly indicate route offered:

Applied: _____

Academic: _____

Vocational: ☒ _____

General introduction to the subject:

The aim of the vocational programme in Hairdressing and Beauty is to provide students with the knowledge related to basic hairdressing and beauty skills. By the end of the programme, candidates are expected to have gained sufficient skills and should be able to apply knowledge and skills in a learning environment.

List topics studied:

- Unit 1 - Communication and Consultation
- Unit 2 - Shampooing, Conditioning and Face Care Treatment
- Unit 3 - Hair style and Nail treatment

Class activities involved: Group activities and individual work, discussions and hands-on activities. Students gain basic skills in hairdressing and beauty together with communication and client consultation. Students will have the opportunity to practice shampooing, basic haircuts and blow-dry, together with basic manicures, pedicures and make-up.

Homework assigned:

2 assignments per year, together with research projects and preparatory and consolidation work.

Assessment given:

Yearly Assessment is based as follows:

Assignment 1 and 2 (coursework - 60% of year) - ½ written coursework ½ practical tasks.

Assignment 3 (exam paper – 40% of year) – written paper

The marks for years 9, 10 and 11 are all added up for the SEC (O'level) grade.

List skills acquired studying the subject:

- a. Ability to work as an individual or in a group.
- b. Ability to perform research and make the necessary references.
- c. Communication and team work.
- d. Customer care skills.
- e. Hand dexterity.
- f. Work-place care and upkeep.

List skills required to study the subject:

- a. Comfortable to be working with your hands.
- b. Ability to remain for a long time in a standing-up position.
- c. Good level of English, Maltese and Mathematics.
- d. Writing, reading and presenting skills.

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