



## CONTEST DESCRIPTION

<b>Competition Date</b>	Thursday, March 27, 2025
<b>Competition location</b>	Westisle High School Room 501
<b>Trade Number</b>	29
<b>Trade Name</b>	Hairstyling
<b>Level</b>	Secondary/Post Secondary

### 1. INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1 Purpose of the Challenge.

To demonstrate the skills learned in the Hairstyling programs that are required to be a professional stylist.

Each competitor will be competing independently to create the style stated at the beginning of the competition.

#### 1.2 Duration of contest.

5 Hours

8:00 AM	Registration, and time for competitors to become familiar with the layout of the room.
8:30	Introductions; details of the competition; question & answer session
9:00	Competition Begins
1:00	Competition Closes
1:10	Lunch will be provided to competitors
1:30	*Showing/Judging of Hairstyle

#### 1.3 Skills and Knowledge to be tested.

Commercial Haircut with three wishes. The competitor will be judged on the quality of the cut, the color placement and the overall finished look while following all safety precautions. Professional standards must be maintained throughout the competition.

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#### 2.1 Tasks that may be performed during the competition

- Hair cutting using various tools, hair lightening (optional), hair coloring, finished style.



**RATIONALE:** This haircut and colour is to reflect a Commercial trend. The selection of wishes will be decided by the Experts at the competition

There are three ballot boxes which represent the client wishes, (cut, colour and texture). One criteria will be selected (ballot) from each box. This selection will take place prior to start of competition. This module must respect industry standards. Here are examples of what might be in the draw: CUT (Tattoo) COLOUR (Blocking or copper) TEXTURE (wavy) Draw to be done by Chairperson.

**HAIRCUT** • All hairdressing tools are allowed • Hair length must be shorter than shoulders • Must respect client (ballot box) wishes (haircut)

**COLOUR** • All hair must have a change in colour • Must respect client (ballot box) wishes (colour) • Colour must be fashion trend, not funky Avant Garde

**Note:** Competitors must bring a palette of colour choices to allow for any combination chosen from the ballot box.

**FINISHED STYLE** • All tools are allowed • All styling products are allowed with the exception of coloured sprays (including glitter), coloured mousse, coloured gels, coloured markers, crayons etc. cannot be used • Must respect client (ballot box) wishes (texture)

Competitors must treat their mannequins like a client in the salon to the best of their ability. Competitors are not allowed to use anything that you pin to the scalp i.e. no earrings, T-pins, long pins, etc. Competitors are not allowed to cover the face completely with anything during the tests

### **3. SKILLS FOR SUCCESS**

In response to the evolving labour market and changing skill needs, the Government of Canada has launched the new Skills for Success (former Essential Skills) model defining nine key skills needed by Canadians to participate in work, in education and training, and in modern society more broadly. SCC is currently working with Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) to bring awareness of the importance of these skills that are crucial for success in Trade and Technology careers.

Part of this ongoing initiative requires the integration and identification of the Skills for Success in contest descriptions, projects, and project documents.

The following 9 skills have been identified and validated as key skills for success for the workplace in the legend below:

Numeracy, Communication, Collaboration, Adaptability, Reading, Writing, Problem Solving, Creativity and Innovation, Digital

### **4. EQUIPMENT, MATERIAL, CLOTHING**



**4.1** Each competitor is required to bring the following:

- Shears, texturizing shears, razor,
- Hair lightener, semi or demi- permanent haircolor and /or permanent hair color may be used,(a full color pallet is recommended to meet ballot box requirements).
- Combs and Brushes
- Capes
- Gloves

All Styling tools

**4.2** Equipment and material provided by the competition site

- Mannequin
- Mannequin Holder
- Mirror

**4.3** Required clothing (Provided by competitor)

Professional Dress with hosiery and closed toe shoes are required.  
Capes and gloves must be worn during coloring.

**5. SAFETY REQUIREMENTS**

**5.1** List of required personal protective equipment(PPE) provided by competitors

- Plastic gloves
- Closed toe footwear
- Hosiery must be worn
- Capes

**Note:** Competitors will not be allowed to compete if the above items are not brought and used

**6. ASSESSMENT**

**6.1 Point Breakdown**

POINT BREAKDOWN	/1000
Cut	150
Color	300
Overall Finished Style	400
Safety	75



Professional Image	75
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## 7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### 7.1 Tie (No ties are allowed)

Ties will be broken by comparing the scores for overall finished style section first. The highest score in this section will be the winner. If there is still a tie the highest score in the color section will break the tie.

### 7.2 Competition rules

Please refer to the competition rules for all general PSC information.

## 8. CONTACT INFORMATION

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