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CONTEST DESCRIPTION / DESCRIPTION DE CONCOURS

# **HAIRSTYLING**

# **COIFFURE**

POST- SECONDARY / NIVEAU POSTSECONDAIRE



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## **1 THE ESSENTIAL SKILLS FOR CAREERS IN THE SKILLED TRADES AND TECHNOLOGY**

SCC is currently working with Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) in order to bring awareness to the importance of Essential Skills that are absolutely crucial for success in the workforce. Part of this ongoing initiative requires the integration and identification of Essential Skills in contest descriptions, projects, and project documents. The next phase and very important aspect of our Essential Skills (ES) initiative is to provide an ES report card to each competitor at the Skills Canada National Competition. The purpose of the ES report card is to inform the competitor about their current level of essential skills based on their competition scores. With this knowledge, the competitor will be made aware which essential skill may require improvement. Full implementation is expected in the next Skills Canada National Competition.

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

<sup>1</sup>Numeracy, <sup>2</sup>Oral Communication, <sup>3</sup>Working with Others, <sup>4</sup>Continuous Learning, <sup>5</sup>Reading Text, <sup>6</sup>Writing, <sup>7</sup>Thinking, <sup>8</sup>Document Use, <sup>9</sup>Digital

These essential skills have been identified in section 2.4 and/or 3.2 of your Contest Description and if application, in your Project and supporting documents.

## **2 CONTEST INTRODUCTION**

### **2.1 Description of the associated work role(s) or occupation(s).**

<http://skillscompetencescanada.com/en/skills/services/hairstyling/>

### **2.2 Purpose of the Challenge**

To enable the industry as well as observers to view the level of skills taught within the public, secondary and post-secondary programs and to encourage interaction between the various sectors. This relationship will ensure the skills gained by young hairstylists at all levels of training are geared to the demands of the beauty industry.

### **2.3 Duration of contest**

9 hours

### **2.4 Skills and Knowledge to be tested**

The level of this competition will allow the young stylists to demonstrate their technical skills and creative ability.

### 3 CONTEST DESCRIPTION

**3.1** List of documents produced and timeline for when competitors have access to the documents.

DOCUMENT	DATE OF DISTRIBUTION VIA WEBSITE
Test Project	January, 2019

**3.2** Tasks that will be performed during the contest<sup>7, 8</sup>

- Men's Fashion with Wishes
- Bridal Long Hair with Wishes
- Ladies Commercial Hair Cut and Colour with Wishes
- Men's Hair Cut and Style with Live Model

Essential Skills – <sup>7</sup>Thinking (Critical, Decision Making, Job Task Planning & Organization),  
<sup>8</sup>Document Use

### 4 EQUIPMENT, MATERIAL, CLOTHING

**4.1** Equipment and material provided by Skills/Compétences Canada

- Table
- Mirror
- Non-hydraulic chair
- Electrical outlet 1 electrical outlet provided
- All styling products are supplied by L'Oreal Professional, Redken and Matrix (no other products can be used).
- Coloration is of the competitor's choice but ALL labels must be covered
- Pivot Point will supply
  - Tripods
  - Mannequins
    - ◇ Diana, MSMSCLCL-XLLW, for test 2 and 3
    - ◇ Tony, 222256, for test 1

#### 4.2 Equipment and material provided by the competitor.

- Their own working tools; water bottle, towels, cape, apron, cutting implements, combs, brushes, clips, blow dryer, gloves
- All coloring products must be provided by the competitors and the label **must be covered**
- Contestants cannot borrow supplies from others
- Only one electrical tool may be plugged at a time (a maximum of 2500 watts can be used per electrical outlet)
- The use of headsets, ear buds, cell phones, MP3, tablet, iPod, etc., are not allowed.
- No cutting stools or trollies
- A reusable water bottle for drinking to prevent spillage and for sustainability

#### 4.3 Required clothing provided by the competitor.

- Clean and comfortable work attire as would be worn by professionals working in a modern hair salon. Any protective clothing without company logos except SCC sponsors.
- Proper footwear must be worn or competitor will not be allowed on the floor (closed toed shoes, no platform or high heeled shoes higher than 2 inches). Hosiery/socks must be covering entire foot must be worn at all times

### 5 SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

#### 5.1 Safety workshop

Upon arrival at the Skill area, Competitors will participate in a Safety workshop and they will be expected to work and maintain a safe working area during the competition. Any Competitor breaking any health, safety and environmental rules, may be required to undertake a second safety workshop, this will not affect the Competitor's competition time.

#### 5.2 List of required personal protective equipment (PPE) provided by Skills/Compétences Canada

- N/A

### 5.3 List of required personal protective equipment (PPE) provided by competitors

- The use of gloves, cape and smock is respected during the preparation, application, and rinsing of colouring products.<sup>7</sup>
- Proper footwear must be worn or competitor will not be allowed on floor (closed toed shoes, no platform and no heels higher than 2 inches). Hosiery/socks must be worn at all times.

## 6 ASSESSMENT

### 6.1 Point breakdown

POINT BREAKDOWN	/100
Men's Fashion with Wishes	25
Bridal Long Hair with Wishes	25
Ladies Commercial Hair Cut and Colour with Wishes	25
Men's Hair Cut and Style with Live Model	25

## 7 CONTEST SPECIFIC RULES

Contest specific rules cannot contradict or take priority over the Competition Rules. They do provide specific details and clarity in areas that may vary from contest to contest. Any additional contest rules will be reviewed during competitor orientation.

TOPIC/TASK	CONTEST SPECIFIC RULE
Authentic Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 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. The bridal hairpieces must be attached with bobby pins, clips or elastics. Competitors are not allowed to cover the face completely with anything during the tests.</li> </ul>
Documentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Competitors may not bring technical support such as formulas, drawings, notes, etc.</li> <li>• Any communication between audience and competitor during contests times may be seen as coaching and could cause demerits to be awarded or disqualification</li> <li>• Competitors will lose points for arriving late at the competition orientation, for the competition start time in the morning and after lunch</li> </ul>

Electrical / Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Electrical tools such as irons should never be in contact with flammable products.</li> <li>• Electrical cords must be in good order and undamaged. They should never be in contact or in proximity of water.</li> <li>• No tools exceeding 2500 watts will be permitted</li> <li>• Competitors are not allowed to run in the skill area</li> </ul>
Skill area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sinks must be cleaned after use, otherwise you will be deducted points for tidiness.</li> <li>• Water spillage on the floor must be immediately cleaned to avoid accidents and demerits.</li> <li>• Hair must be cleared out and removed immediately after haircutting.</li> <li>• Sharp instruments (scissors, razors, blades) are manipulated with caution and stored properly</li> </ul>

## 8 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### 8.1 Interpreter

If a competitor requires the help of an interpreter once onsite during the competition, the Skills/Compétences Canada Provincial/Territorial offices must advise Skills/Compétences Canada National Secretariat a minimum of 1 month prior to the competition or this service might not be guaranteed.

### 8.2 Test Project change at the Competition

Where the Test Project has been circulated to Competitors in advance, NTC shall change a maximum of 30% of the work content. Please refer to the Competition Rules.

### 8.3 Ties

- Tiebreaker #1: The competitor with the highest score in the Ladies Commercial Hair Cut and Colour with wishes will be declared the winner.
- Tiebreaker #2: The competitor with the highest score in the Men's Hair Cut and Style with Live Model will be declared the winner.
- Tiebreaker #3: The competitors with the highest score in Bridal Long Hair with wishes will be declared the winner.

#### 8.4 Competition rules

Refer to the competition rules of the Skills Canada National Competition which can be found on the Skills/Compétences Canada website.

### 9 NATIONAL TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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