

CONTEST DESCRIPTION Hairstyling

POST-SECONDARY



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

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 applicable, 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	November 2020

- 3.2 Tasks that will be performed during the contest<sup>7, 8</sup>
  - Men's Fashion Hair Cut, Color and Style with Wishes
  - Ladies Long Hair Up with Wishes (On Live Model)
  - Ladies Commercial Hair Cut, Color, and Style with Wishes
  - Men's Commercial Hair Cut and Style (From a Photo)

## Examples will be posted as soon as they are confirmed - changes may happen so always check the website for updates.

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
  - Name Tags
  - Table
  - Ring Lights (2 each)
  - NTC Supplies the I-Phones used for the Instagram Photo
  - All SDS (Safety Data Sheets) will be supplied by L'Oréal Professional
  - Mirror
  - Non-hydraulic chair
  - Electrical outlet 1 electrical outlet provided
  - All Styling products are supplied by the Sponsor L'Oréal Professional- (Only sponsored Products Allowed) These will be posted as soon as they are confirmed- changes may happen so always check the website for updates.

All Color, and Lightener, Developers and Scales for weighing will be supplied by L'Oréal Professional, no other products will be allowed. **These will be posted as soon as they are confirmed.** 



- Pivot Point will supply
  - o **Tripods**
  - o Mannequins
    - Diana, MSMSCLCL-XLLW, for Test 3
    - and possibly Test 2 depending upon the availability of live models
    - Tony, 222256, for Test 1
    - Antonio Test 4

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

- Their own working tools; water bottle, towels, cape, apron, handheld mirror, cutting implements, combs, brushes, clips, blow dryer, thermal tools, gloves, scale for weighing, and timer.
- 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, no smart watches or similar devices, 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 the 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 worn at all times.
- PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) Smock/color apron, and gloves as needed.

# 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 coloring products. Mask and safety glasses optional.
- Proper footwear must be worn, as per section 4.3.

### 6 ASSESSMENT

#### 6.1 Point breakdown

POINT BREAKDOWN	/100
Men's Fashion Cut, Color and Style with Wishes	26
Ladies Long Hair Up with Wishes	24
(Live Model/Mannequin)	
Ladies Commercial Cut, Color and Style with	26
Wishes	
Men's Hair Cut and Style (From a Photo)	24

## 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		
Client Care	<ul> <li>Competitors must treat their mannequins like a</li> </ul>		
	client in the salon to the best of their ability.		
	<ul> <li>Do not do something to your mannequin that you</li> </ul>		
	can't do to a client.		
	<ul> <li>Start with clean tools, disinfect as needed.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Interact professionally with live models.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Check Points are followed (Checkpoints will be</li> </ul>		
	indicated in Checkpoint Document on Skills		
	Canada Competition Website- Document will be		
	on site by January 31st.		



Color	Competitors are following manufacturers
Preparation, application and Rinsing	<ul> <li>Competitors are following manufacturers direction for mixing, application, timings and removal.</li> <li>Weighed all color/lightener</li> <li>Disposed of leftover color/foils and hair properly</li> <li>Used timer</li> <li>PPE was used</li> </ul>
Work Organization and Management	<ul> <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> <li>Work areas kept organized and clean</li> </ul>
Health and Safety	<ul> <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> <li>Sinks must be cleaned after use, otherwise you will be deducted points.</li> <li>Water spillage on the floor must be immediately cleaned to avoid accidents and demerits.</li> <li>Sweeping as necessary- depositing in the proper bin.</li> <li>Use the provided disinfectant cleaner as needed</li> <li>Followed manufacturers instruction to properly disinfect tools</li> <li>Disposal of razor blades in Sharps containers</li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>Work area kept tidy, organized, and clean</li> </ul>
Sustainability	<ul> <li>Competitors must dispose of waste (Hair, Foil, left over chemicals) in the proper bins provided.</li> <li>Leftover Color in bowl cannot exceed 10 mls.</li> <li>No overuse of water (rinsing/shampooing) and no overuse of Hairsprays.</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 <u>1 month prior</u> 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, Color, and Style with wishes will be declared the winner.
- Tiebreaker #2: The competitor with the highest score in the Men's Commercial Hair Cut and Style with wishes from a photo, will be declared the winner.
- Tiebreaker #3: The competitors with the highest score in Ladies Long Hair Up with wishes on Live Models/Mannequins 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

Member Organization	Name
British Colombia – Co-Chair	Gary Franceschini
Saskatchewan	Megan Gustafson
Québec	Carole Perron
Nova Scotia - Chair	Bonnie Williams
Alberta	Tracey Millar
Prince Edward Island	Mary Beth Perry
Ontario	To be confirmed
Northwest Territories	Steve Payne
Manitoba	Lynn Briand
New Brunswick	Jane Donovan
Yukon	Chantelle Tarapaski

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