

## General Enquiries

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## Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Treatments

Location	Stockport College
Course Type	College 16-18
Department	Beauty Therapies
Start Date	Tuesday 1st September 2026
Course Code	SFP-BY3D-1200

### Course Overview

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The global beauty and cosmetic market is forecast to rise with the growing demand of conscious cosmetology and non-invasive skin and body care treatments. The beauty industry caters for a wide variety of clientele who seek luxurious treatments that work. Learn about this rewarding sector, with our Level 3 Beauty Therapy programme.

You will train in the college's new Enhance Academy Commercial Salon.

Our excellent industry connections will provide placements and visits. Our dedicated team of specialist tutors will introduce you to the comprehensive range of technology to perform advanced anti-ageing skin care treatments and advanced body treatments.

### Course Requirements

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4 GCSE's at Grade 4 or above (including maths and/or English Language).

### What You Will Learn

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Learn from our industry-renowned beauty therapy team, our excellent industry connections mean that you will have a wealth of opportunities for work experience, placements and visits. Advanced practical skills will be developed alongside an in-depth knowledge of electrical science, anatomy and physiology, this course will immerse you into the exciting world of Beauty Therapy.

## Assessment

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As part of this qualification you are required to produce a portfolio of evidence. A portfolio will confirm the knowledge, understanding and skills that you have learnt. It may be in electronic or paper format.

Evidence in the portfolio may take the following forms:

Observed work

Witness statements

Audio-visual media

Evidence of prior learning or attainment

Written questions

Oral questions

Assignments

Case studies

## Progression

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Employment within the beauty / spa sector

Level 4 Diploma in Permanent Hair Removal and Skin Rejuvenation

Level 3 Diploma in Nail Services

Level 2 Diploma in Women's Hairdressing

Level 2 Diploma in Barbering

Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-Up Studies

Our students have an excellent record of success with career prospects that include:

Beauty/ Spa industry

Day Spas

Leisure industry

Hotel spa/ salon resort

Cruise ships

## Career Options

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Possible careers can be found in industries such as:

Beauty/ Spa industry

Day Spas

Leisure industry

Hotel spa/ salon resort

Cruise ships

## Mandatory Units

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Provide facial electrotherapy treatments  
Provide body electrotherapy treatments  
Provide body massage  
Client care and communication in beauty-related industries  
Monitor and maintain health and safety practice in the salon

### Optional Units

Apply micro dermabrasion  
Apply stone therapy massage

## Contact Details

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For further information please contact T: 0161 886 7070 or E: [info@trafford.ac.uk](mailto:info@trafford.ac.uk)

## Disclaimer

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