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## Apply individual permanent lashes

Lashes have come a long way! For centuries, women have tried to enhance and beautify their lashes. The Egyptians blended kohl with crocodile dung, water and honey to create the first mascara, and around 400 BC Ancient Greek women rubbed powdery black incense into their eyelashes. These days a trip to the salon is an easier and longer-lasting solution. In this unit you will learn how to select the correct lashes for your client, and will master the techniques of applying and layering long, thick, luxurious lashes for a show-stopping look!

# Assignment mark sheet

## Unit 317 Apply individual permanent lashes

Your assessor will mark you on each of the practical tasks in this unit. This page is used to work out your overall grade for the unit. You must pass **all** parts of the tasks to be able to achieve a grade. For each completed practical task, a pass equals 1 point, a merit equals 2 points and a distinction equals 3 points.

What you must know	Tick when complete	
Task 1a: produce an information sheet		
Task 1b: produce an information sheet		
Task 1c: produce a fact sheet		
Task 1d: anatomy and physiology		
<b>Or</b> tick if covered by an online test		

What you must do	Grade	Points
Task 2: Apply individual permanent lashes		

**Overall grade**

Candidate name:

Candidate signature: Date:

Assessor signature: Date:

Quality assurance co-ordinator signature (where applicable): Date:

External Verifier signature (where applicable): Date:



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## What does it mean?

Some useful words are explained below

### Alopecia

Hair loss that can affect people of any age, resulting in full or partial loss of hair anywhere on the face or body.

### Anagen hair

The active stage of hair growth where the hair is still attached to its blood supply. As the hair grows out, so will the extension.

### Blepharitis

Inflammation of the eyelid or eyelid rim. The eyes look red and feel irritated and itchy. Dandruff-like crusts can appear on the eyelashes.

### Conjunctiva

The outermost layer of the eye and the inner surface of the eyelids.

### Conjunctivitis

An inflammation of the conjunctiva, resulting in redness, discharge, itching and in some cases light sensitivity. It can occur in one eye or both. The cause of conjunctivitis can be viral or bacterial infection, or may be down to an irritant or allergy.



### Flare lashes

A cluster of synthetic lashes applied to the natural lashes. They use a different adhesive from permanent lashes and do not last as long.

### Hair growth cycle

The stages of growth, transition and inactivity in the hair follicle.



### Individual permanent lashes

A process where a single synthetic lash is applied on to a single natural lash using a medical grade long-lasting adhesive.

### Lash perming

Only available professionally, this treatment adds curl and uplift to the lashes.



### Lash tinting

A treatment where the eyelashes are coloured to give them emphasis.

### Patch/sensitivity test

A test where a small amount of product is applied to the skin and left on for 24 hours to check whether the client reacts to the product.

### Repetitive strain injury

Soft tissue injury, usually in the wrists as a result of overuse.



### Strip lashes

Available in pairs, these run the entire length of the eyelid, and are applied to the skin just above the lash line. They are available in a variety of lengths, styles, and thicknesses, and are designed to be removed nightly.

### Stye

An infection of the eyelash follicle.

### Terminal hair

Thick, coarse hair with a deep root and rich blood supply.

### Trichotillomania

A disorder or habit where the sufferer has repeated urges to pull out scalp, lash, facial or brow hair, which can result in bald patches.

### Y-type lashes

Lashes that split in two at the tapered end, giving the effect of double the number of lashes.

## What you must know

### You must be able to:

- 1 Describe salon requirements for preparing themselves, the client and work area
- 2 Describe the environmental conditions suitable for individual permanent lash extension treatments
- 3 Describe the different consultation techniques used to identify treatment objectives
- 4 Describe the types of tests that are carried out before providing lash extension treatments
- 5 Explain the importance of carrying out tests prior to the treatment and accurately recording the results
- 6 Explain the contra-indications that prevent or restrict individual permanent lash extension treatments
- 7 Describe how to select products, tools and equipment to suit client treatment needs
- 8 Describe the types of eyelash treatments available and their benefits
- 9 Explain the importance of assessing facial characteristics prior to carrying out eyelash treatments
- 10 Explain how to communicate and behave in a professional manner

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#### Revision tip

Remember to check if your client has had the recommended patch test to comply with manufacturers' instructions and insurance guidelines.



### Follow in the footsteps of... “ Leanne Darbinson

From a young age Leanne realised that working in the Make-Up industry was what she wanted to do. After doing a Level 1 course in Personal Therapies and a Level 2 course in Beauty Therapy, she is now doing a Level 3 in Media Make-Up. She loved doing lash extensions because they can enhance the natural eye shape and can also be used to perfect many other looks, such as a make-up treatment. Leanne hopes to go to university to get a degree in Make-Up for the lens based industries. **Follow the blue quote marks to find out what Leanne has to say!**



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- 11 Describe health and safety working practices
- 12 Explain the importance of positioning themselves and the client correctly throughout the treatment
- 13 Explain the importance of using products, tools, equipment and techniques to suit client's treatment needs and facial characteristics
- 14 Describe how treatments can be adapted to suit client treatment needs and facial characteristics
- 15 State the contra-actions that may occur during and following treatments and how to respond
- 16 Explain the importance of completing the treatment to the satisfaction of the client
- 17 Explain the importance of completing treatment records
- 18 Describe the methods of evaluating the effectiveness of the treatment
- 19 Describe the aftercare advice that should be provided
- 20 Describe the structure of the hair and hair growth cycle
- 21 Describe the main diseases and disorders of the hair

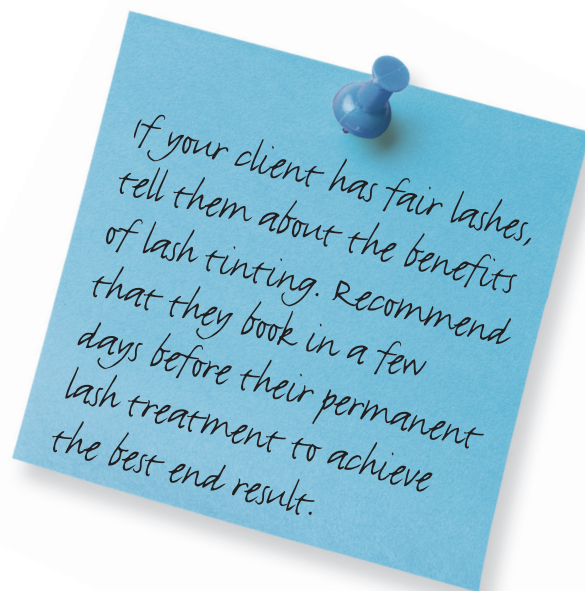


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*Take care to protect your client's skin during the service.*

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*Always make sure that you have clean, glue-free tweezers.*

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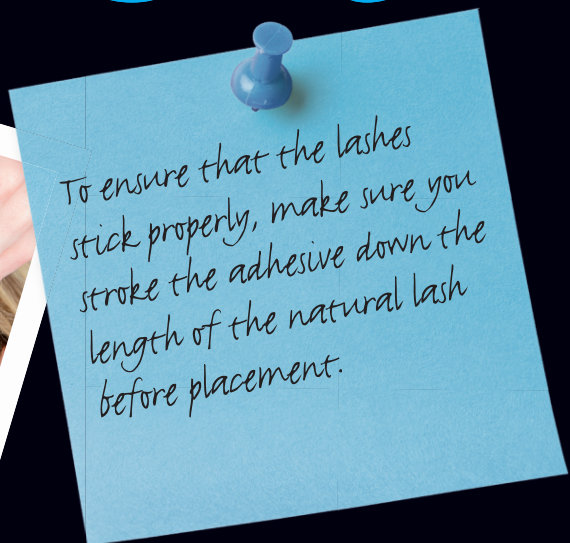
*Always have a tidy and organised station. This will help you to remember the order of the treatment.*

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# Lashes



*Applying individual lashes takes time to master.*



*To ensure that the lashes stick properly, make sure you stroke the adhesive down the length of the natural lash before placement.*



It's important to keep your hand steady when inserting individual lashes.

# Lashes

Before applying individual permanent lashes, consider the thickness of the client's own lashes. Very thick lashes look stunning but they won't last long if the client's own lashes can't support them!

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*Start at the outer corners on the eye, applying one lash on each eye at a time. This will help to prevent the eyelashes from sticking together.*



# What you must do

## Practical observations

This page shows what you need to do during your practical task. You can look at it beforehand, but you're **not** allowed to have it with you while carrying out your practical task. You must achieve **all** the criteria; you can achieve 1 mark, 2 marks or 3 marks for the criteria indicated with **\***.

### Conversion chart

Grade	Marks
Pass	11–13
Merit	14–18
Distinction	19–21

Please tick when all pre-observation requirements have been met

- 1 Prepare yourself, the client and the work area for individual permanent lash extension treatment
- 2 Use suitable consultation techniques to identify treatment objectives \*
- 3 Interpret and accurately record the result of the test carried out prior to the treatment
- 4 Provide clear recommendations to the client \*
- 5 Position yourself and the client correctly throughout the treatment
- 6 Select and use products, tools, equipment and techniques to suit client's treatment needs \*
- 7 Communicate and behave in a professional manner
- 8 Follow health and safety working practices
- 9 Complete the treatment to the satisfaction of the client \*
- 10 Record and evaluate the results of the treatment
- 11 Provide suitable aftercare advice \*

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Grade		
Candidate signature and date		
Assessor signature and date		

## What you must do

### Practical observations descriptors table

This table shows what you need to do to achieve 1, 2 or 3 marks for the criteria indicated with \* on the previous page.

	1 mark	2 marks	3 marks
<b>2</b> <b>Use suitable consultation techniques to identify treatment objectives</b>	Basic consultation carried out Example: uses open and closed questions throughout, questioning covers contra-indications.	Good consultation carried out Examples: uses open and closed questions, positive body language, questioning covers contra-indications, general health, lifestyle and expectations of end result.	Thorough consultation carried out Examples: open and closed questions, effective use of body language, questioning covers contra-indications, expectations of end result. Candidate is able to accurately identify adaptations to suit client lifestyle and expectations.
<b>4</b> <b>Provide clear recommendations to the client</b>	A basic treatment plan is recommended Examples: contra-indications and objectives of the treatment identified.	A good treatment plan is recommended Examples: contra-indications and objectives of the treatment, taking into account client lifestyle and expectations of end result.	A thorough treatment plan is recommended Examples: contra-indications and objectives of the treatment, taking into account client lifestyle and expectations of end result, lashes of a suitable length and thickness are recommended.
<b>6</b> <b>Select and use products, tools, equipment and techniques to suit client's treatment needs</b>	A basic application of un-layered lashes is applied.	An application of layered lashes is applied. Lash thickness is chosen according to client's own lash characteristics and treatment objectives.	An application of layered lashes is applied of the correct thickness and differing lengths according to client's own lash characteristics, facial characteristics and treatment objectives.

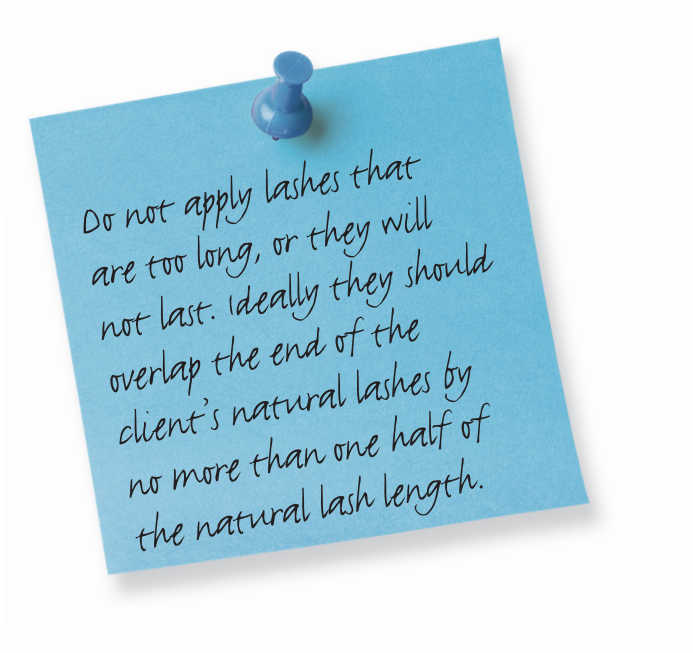
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## What you must do

### Practical observations descriptors table (continued)

This table shows what you need to do to achieve 1, 2 or 3 marks for the criteria indicated with \* on page 186.

	1 mark	2 marks	3 marks
<b>9</b> Complete the treatment to the satisfaction of the client	The treatment is completed within the agreed time and brought to a satisfactory close.	The treatment is completed within the agreed time, brought to a satisfactory close, the product is allowed to dry and client is shown the end result in the mirror.	The treatment is completed within the agreed time, brought to a satisfactory close, result is adapted if necessary, the client is shown the end result in the mirror, and positive client feedback is gained.
<b>11</b> Provide suitable aftercare advice	Basic aftercare advice is provided including possible contra-actions.	Good level of aftercare advice is provided including possible contra-actions, maintenance requirements and frequency of further treatments.	A good level of aftercare advice is provided including possible contra-actions, maintenance requirements and frequency of further treatments, the importance of professional removal and beneficial home care products.



## Comment form

# Unit 317 Apply individual permanent lashes

This form can be used to record comments by you, your client, or your assessor.

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