

Cosmetology Contest

Contestants will complete a woman's medium length haircut (picture will be provided), a woman's style, a woman's 90 degree layered haircut (procedure for this cut will be provided), and an updo style. They will also complete a written test, an oral test (mocking a phone conversation; taking an appointment in a salon), and a Professional Development Program Test.

Uniform Layered (90 degree) Procedure:

1. Assemble tools and prepare station
2. Part and clip the hair into 4 sections
3. Drop a 1/2 inch hairline guide around the entire perimeter
4. Establish the design length around the back perimeter
5. Establish the design length around the front perimeter
6. Check to see if the front and back design lines are connected
7. Establish the same length interior guide at the top of the head (apex, crown)
8. Continue cutting from the apex to the front design line to establish interior guide at the top of the head
9. Continue cutting from the apex to the center back design line to complete the interior guide
10. Use vertical partings to connect guides to complete the cut
11. Maintain a constant 90 degree elevation throughout the procedure
12. Follow a traveling guide to maintain uniformly layered lengths
13. Perform a cross check of procedure for accuracy and finish if necessary
14. Finished cut is uniformly blended
15. Blow dry hair to frame face
16. Clean and organize station