



# The Arnewood School

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Dear Parent/Carer

## **RE: Year 11 Hair and Beauty Practical Exam on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

The hair and beauty students will be taking part in the GCSE practical exam on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020. This is an important part of the course and covers a mandatory unit within the student's qualification. All students were given notice of this practical exam at the beginning of January and we would appreciate your support in ensuring that your daughter is fully prepared.

We have been offering support to students so they feel confident and have the technical ability to complete their chosen look. We have recommended that they should have started to collect items for their mood board and chosen outfit over the last few weeks from second hand shops, car boot sales or any unwanted items at home that you are happy for them to use. Students have been asked to create a look that fits the theme of a rock or pop icon.

Students will be required from 10.45am on the day to prepare for the final photographs and will finish at approximately 4.00pm. Please ensure your daughter has adequate cold food and water to drink for the duration of the exam as they will not be permitted to leave the exam room during the exam period.

### The exam criteria include:

1. Research and design a mood board to illustrate a rock or pop icon to include hair, makeup and fashion.
2. The student and their model will be required to have photographs taken as evidence. Final looks will be judged along with the mood board. Clothing, make up and nails will count towards the result.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further questions.

Yours sincerely

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