

CBSE | DEPARTMENT OF SKILL EDUCATION

BEAUTY AND WELLNESS (SUBJECT CODE - 407)

MARKING SCHEME FOR CLASS - IX (SESSION 2025-2026)

Max. Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

General Instructions:

1. Please read the instructions carefully.
2. This Question Paper consists of **24 questions** in two sections – Section A & Section B.
3. Section A has Objective type questions whereas Section B contains Subjective type questions.
4. **Out of the given (6 + 18 =) 24 questions, a candidate has to answer (6 + 11 =) 17 questions in the allotted (maximum) time of 3 hours.**
5. All questions of a particular section must be attempted in the correct order.
6. **SECTION A - OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS (30 MARKS):**
 - i. This section has 06 questions.
 - ii. There is no negative marking.
 - iii. Do as per the instructions given.
 - iv. Marks allotted are mentioned against each question/part.
7. **SECTION B – SUBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS (30 MARKS):**
 - i. This section contains 18 questions.
 - ii. A candidate has to do 11 questions.
 - iii. Do as per the instructions given.
 - iv. Marks allotted are mentioned against each question/part.

SECTION A: OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS

Q. No.	QUESTION	Source Material (NCERT/PSSCIVE/ CBSE Study Material)	Unit/ Chap. No.	Page no. of source material	Marks
Q. 1	Answer any 4 out of the given 6 questions on Employability Skills (1 x 4 = 4 marks)				
i.	Find out the pollutant that cannot decompose? Ans: Non-bio-degenerated.	NCERT	2	18	1
ii.	Write the name of effective communication. Ans: Influence.	NCERT	1	2	1
iii.	Write the meaning of sentence in communication. Ans: A group of words that communicate a complete thought.	NCERT	1	8	1
iv.	What do you understand by phonetics? Ans: It is the study of the sound at the time of speaking.	NCERT	1	13	1
v.	Neat and clean appearance is associated with the term known as Ans: Grooming	NCERT	2	16	1
vi.	Find the meaning of three Ps in communication. Ans: Prepare, practice and perform.	NCERT	1	4	1
Q. 2	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions (1 x 5 = 5 marks)				
i.	Mention the name of false hair used in hair do ? Ans: Hair Extension.	CBSE	3	91	1

ii.	Find the meaning of Enterprise? Ans: It is a project with unique idea, introduced for the first time in the market.	CBSE	1	6	1
iii.	Name any two types of henna Ans: Wooden block and sparkle.	CBSE	3	73	1
iv.	Write the name of oil gland which secrete oily to keep hair and scalp oily and shiny? Ans: Sebaceous gland.	CBSE	3	81	1
v.	Name the type of roll/ bun made at the neck to get fluffy look in hair styling ? Ans: Chignon	CBSE	3	87	1
vi.	Name any two qualities of wage employment. Ans: 1 .Gets fixed salary and No risk.	CBSE	1	5	1
Q. 3	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions (1 x 6 = 6 marks)				
i.	Write the purpose of henna Ans: It is an art of decorating the hands and feet using a natural plant dye that colors the skin.	CBSE	2	70	1
ii.	Write the purpose of clean-up treatment for the facial skin and allowing to breathe. Ans: Unclogging	CBSE	1	11	1
iii.	Find out the purpose of foot cream? Ans: To moisturize	CBSE	3	68	1
iv.	Write the importance of skin analysis Ans: A beauty therapist should collect sufficient knowledge before suggesting any beauty treatment to a client.	CBSE	1	11	1
v.	Name the white spots on the nail. Ans: Tineaungium	CBSE	2	54	1
vi.	Define Telogen phase in hair growth cycle Ans: It is resting phase ,where the hair no longer grows but is attached to its hair follicle.	CBSE	3	82	1
Q. 4	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions (1 x 5 = 5 marks)				
i.	Mention the type of cream is used to correct the brittle nails and dry cuticles Ans: Cuticle cream	CBSE	1	56	1
ii.	Write the purpose of hoof stick? Ans. It is made of plastic/ wooden to push back cuticles.	CBSE	1	53	1
iii.	Find out hair removal treatment which is quicker and safer Ans: Threading	CBSE	1	10	1
iv.	What do you understand by hemophilia? Ans: It is a rare bleeding disorder, in which blood does not clot normally.	CBSE	2	53	1
v.	Name the protein of the nail Ans: Keratin	CBSE	2	47	1
vi.	Write the products which adds to the desired expression and looks Ans: Cosmetics for make up	CBSE	1	11	1
Q. 5	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions (1 x 5 = 5 marks)				

i.	Find out the method by which a beauty therapist will take care of the client's safety in a salon? Ans: Identifying hazards and evaluating risks at a workplace and health and safety laws	CBSE	1	22	1
ii.	Define tendon Ans: It is the tissue where a muscle attaches to the bone	CBSE	2	44	1
iii.	Find the meaning of paronychia Ans : An infection of the tissue folds around the nails.	CBSE	2	55	1
iv.	Define patch test in Heena? Ans: Apply a small dot of henna paste on client' hand before application is called patch test.	CBSE	2	70	1
v.	Write the product to be used to prevent nail getting stained after removal of old nail polish? Ans: Base coat	CBSE	2	59	1
vi.	Name the mehndi with blend of glitter tattoos Ans: Sparkle mehndi	CBSE	2	73	1

SECTION B: SUBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS

Q. No.	QUESTION	Source Material (NCERT/ PSSCIVE/ CBSE Study Material)	Unit/ Chap. No.	Page no. of source material	Marks
	Answer any 3 out of the given 5 questions on Employability Skills in 20 – 30 words each (2 x 3 = 6 marks)				
Q. 6	Write the types of Communication. Ans: 1. Verbal 2. Non- Verbal 3. Visual	NCERT	1	13	2
Q. 7	Mention the qualities of self-confident people. Ans: 1. Hard working 2. Positive Attitude 3. Self-belief 4. Commitment	NCERT	2	39	2
Q. 8	Write the two types of ICT and its uses. Ans: 1. Digital technology- In this binary (0,1) format is used and in this format all	NCERT	3	56	2

	information is stored in the form of 0,1. 2. Analog technology- In this information are present in the form of electric signals.				
Q. 9	List the characteristics of Entrepreneurship. Ans: 1. Ability to take up risks. 2. Believe in hard work and discipline. 3. Adaptable and flexible to achieve goals. 4. Effective planning and their execution.	NCERT	4	60	2
Q. 10	Name the important sectors and green skills. Ans: 1. Agriculture- Solar pumps and poly house technician. 2. Construction- Green builders, Green designer, Green workers. 3. Horticulture- Organic fruit and vegetable experts. 4. Forestry- Reforestation and soil experts.	NCERT	5	89	2
Answer any 4 out of the given 6 questions in 20 – 30 words each (2 x 3 = 6 marks)					
Q. 11	List the various hair accessories are used to make a stylish hair style. Ans: False hair, hair pins, tiara, head band ,gajra, beads, flowers etc.	CBSE	3	89	2
Q. 12	List out the important documents which contain in a record card. Ans: The record card should be referred to client name and address and details are as follow: 1. Past treatments taken by a client. 2. Treatment the client has booked for 3. History of the client about the products to be used on her skin type ,and if she is allergic to any product.	CBSE	1	17	2
Q. 13	Describe the factor of head shape is important while choosing an effective hair style. Ans: An effective hair styling can change	CBSE	3	78	2

	the appearance of client by adjusting few points: 1. Hair should be slightly longer in case of flat crown. 2. Side parting on narrow head gives the appearance of broader head. 3. Center parting on broad head gives narrow look.				
Q. 14	State the parts of hair shaft. Ans: Hair shaft is the visible part of hair on the scalp surface. It has three parts: 1. Cuticle 2. Cortex 3. Medulla	CBSE	3	81	2
Q. 15	Find the squoval type of nail shape. Ans: It is a combination of square and oval and also called conservative square. It has the length of a square nail, but softened edges of an oval and suits all nail types.	CBSE	2	61	2
Q. 16	Write the benefits of manicure. Ans: 1. Soften the hands 2. Improves the blood circulation 3. Helps in relaxing 4. Improves the appearance of hands and nails.	CBSE	1	9	2
	Answer any 3 out of the given 5 questions in 50– 80 words each (4 x 3 = 12 marks)				
Q. 17	Describe the importance of Personal protective equipment in a salon work area. Ans: Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for the safety of the salon staff as it protects their clothes from stains and getting soiled .It also protect staff from various chemicals, which might cause injuries or infection. It includes the following: Apron: It protects the clothes from stains and reduces the risk of injury.	CBSE	1	38	4

	Gloves: It protects hands from getting contaminated and catching infections. Head cover: It prevents the hair from getting contaminated and catching infections. Shoes: It protects a worker's feet from spills or broken things. Mask: It prevents cross- infection and inhalation of chemical fumes and gasses.				
Q. 18 -	Describe the responsibilities of an assistant beauty therapist. Ans: 1. Suggest suitable service plans to meet the needs of the clients. 2. Ask relevant questions to a client to identify contra-indications to skin and make up products, if any. 3. Inform the client of the emergency procedures, if required. 4. Estimate the approximate time that will be taken to complete a procedure and inform the customer of the same 5. Sanitize your hands prior to the commencement of a service.	CBSE	1	20	4
Q. 19	Explain the different types of fire extinguishers. Ans: There are three important elements that can cause fire- heat, oxygen, fuel. Fire extinguishers work by eliminating one or two of these elements. They are the following: 1. Water and foam: water works by eliminating the heat element. It is better to use water only for wood, paper, cloth, trash, and plastics. Foam can be used for wood, paper, cloth, trash, and plastics, oils, gasoline, paraffin, petroleum paint and gases 2. Carbon dioxide: It works by eliminating two components, cutting off the oxygen supply and heat by cold discharge.	CBSE	1	24	4

	3. Dry chemicals: It is effective in case of wood, paper, cloth, trash, plastics, oils, gasoline, paraffin, petroleum paint, gases and electric equipments (motor, transformers, and other electrical appliances). It creates a barrier between oxygen and fuel, and hence, puts off the fire. 4. Wet chemicals: They work in case of kitchen fires, ignited by cooking oils, greases, animal and vegetable fat, etc.				
Q. 20	Identify different types of combs used for the hairstyle. Ans: Combs are used to style hairs in different manner. Combs are classified on the basis of their different shapes and sizes are as follows: 1: Flat back brush: It is used while root lifting if the hair is short. 2: Tail or teaser comb: It is used for sectioning the hair. The teeth of this comb are tightly spaced and the comb has a long. 3: Radial brush: It is most suitable for inducing curls, root lift and volume in all hair lengths. 4: Vent brush: It is a light weight brush with small spaces that allow the heat from the dryer to flow into the hair. 5: Dressing comb: Its teeth are medium spaced and it is used for styling and finishing blow dry. 6: Wide toothed or rake comb: The teeth of such a comb are widely spaced and used for untangling wet or dry hair.	CBSE	3	93	4
Q. 21	Explain major sub –segments in the beauty and wellness sector Ans: The beauty and wellness sector has several sub-segments. The major sub-segments are the following 1. Beauty centers or salons: Beauty salons provides skin, hair, nail care and other	CBSE	1	4	4

	related therapies to improve the overall look of a person. 2. Hair salon: These are specialized salons, which provide services like haircut, hair styling, shampooing, hair coloring, and scalp treatment. 3. Fitness and slimming: It includes service providers in the fields of physical exercises, yoga, aerobics and weight loss and slimming. 4. Rejuvenation centers: This includes the core spa industry services, such as spa operations, spa education, and spa products. The aim of this sector is to provide the relaxing the body and mind. 5. Alternate therapy centers: It includes natural healing methods like crystal healing, cupping and vibration therapy.				
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