

A Guide to English and Maths Requirements

Hair Professional Standard - (Hairdressing and Barbering):

Before taking their End-point Assessment, apprentices must:

- Achieve level 1 English and maths (equivalent to GCSEs at grades D to G) and
- take the test for level 2 English and maths (equivalent to GCSEs at grades A* to C)

See below the list of equivalent qualifications accepted for the purposes of prior attainment and accepted evidence to go through gateway.

Equivalent qualifications accepted for the purposes of prior attainment

Subject	Qualification	Accepted Evidence
English and Math	 GCSE – English (minimum requirement E or 2) English, English Language, English Literature, English Language and Literature 	Qualification Certificates
	 GCSE – Maths (minimum requirement E or 2) Mathematics, Linear Maths, Modular Maths, Application of Maths, Methods in Mathematics, Additional Mathematics, Use of Mathematics, Mathematics – Numeracy 	 Copy of learner's Personal Learning Record (PLR)
	 Functional Skills Level 1 (Pass) English Maths 	Record (PLR)
	 Key Skills Level 1 (Pass) Communication/Literacy Application of Number 	
	 A Level and AS Level (E) English English Language English Literature English Language and Literature Mathematics Pure Mathematics Further Mathematics Use of Mathematics 	
	 A Level and AS Level English Language (E) English Literature (E) Mathematics (C) 	

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