

JEP BECOMES AN APPROVED VTCT SKILLS CENTRE



We're proud to announce that JEP Youth Engagement is now an **officially approved VTCT Skills Centre**, enabling us to deliver internationally recognised Hair & Beauty qualifications to our young people!

Following a successful quality assurance process with VTCT Skills, JEP can now deliver the VTCT Level 1 Certificate in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector from our **purpose-built JEP Salon Space** in Bolton.

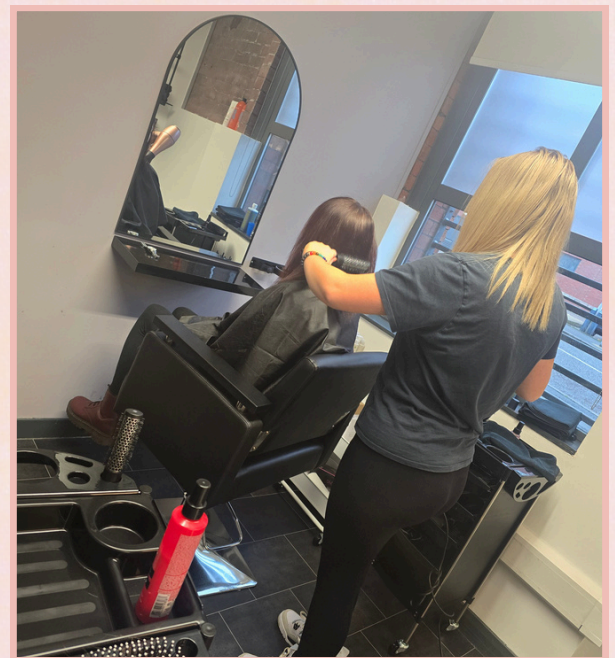
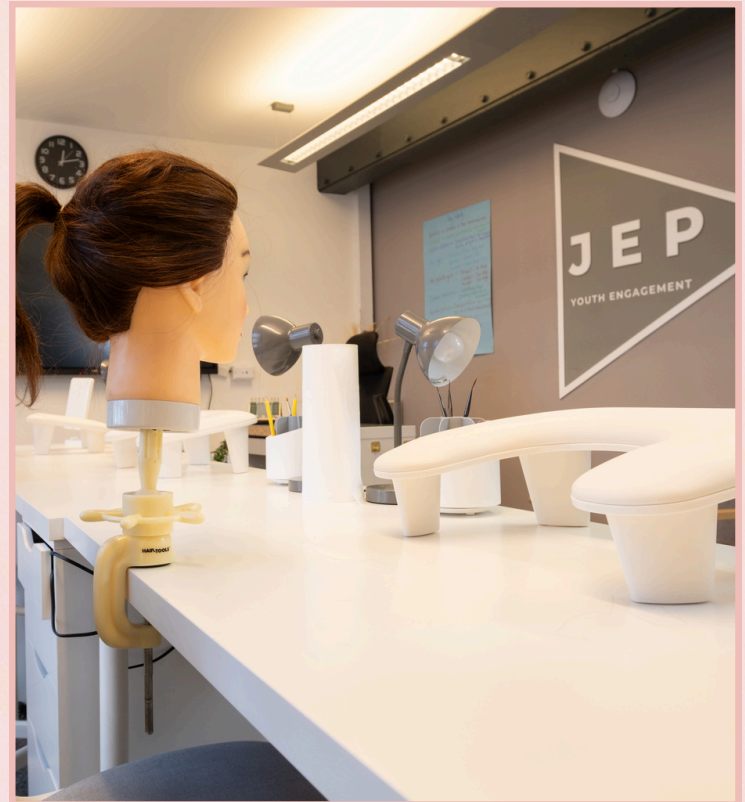
This exciting milestone strengthens our commitment to providing meaningful, accredited pathways for young people who want to explore careers in practical and creative industries.

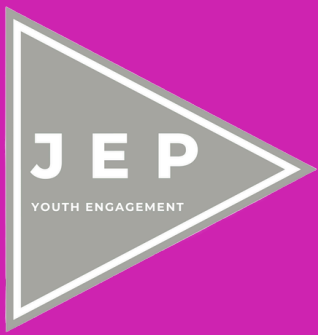
A Qualification That Opens (Salon) Doors...

The VTCT Level 1 Certificate is a recognised entry-level qualification designed to introduce learners to the foundations of the Hair & Beauty industry.

Through hands-on learning and practical experience, young people develop essential skills and knowledge across areas including:

- **Hair styling techniques**
- **Basic beauty treatments**
- **Client care and communication**
- **Health and safety in a salon environment**
- **Working in the hair and beauty sector**





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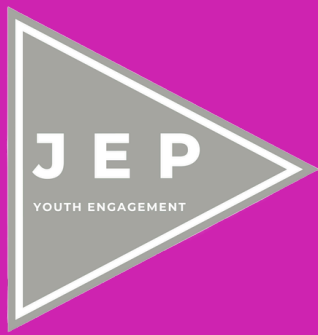


Learning In A Real Salon Environment...

The course is delivered by Hair & Beauty Teacher Rachel Guy, in JEP's dedicated Salon Space, where learners gain practical experience using professional tools and equipment.

Already, our young people have been developing styling techniques, learning the foundations of salon practice, and building the confidence to demonstrate their skills!





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Jamie Pilling, Founder & CEO of JEP Youth Engagement, said:

"Becoming an approved VTCT Skills Centre is a fantastic step forward for JEP. It means our young people can gain recognised qualifications while developing real skills that can lead directly into careers or further training."

Jason Whittaker, Head of Secondary & Post-16 Provision, said:

"At JEP, we're committed to providing pathways that work for every young person. The VTCT Hair & Beauty qualification offers a practical, engaging route for young people who want to explore creative and vocational opportunities."

Rachel Guy, Hair & Beauty Teacher, said:

"It's been amazing to see how quickly our young people have taken to the course. They're building skills, confidence and pride in their work, and I'm so excited to see them continue progressing through the qualification!"

This is just the beginning for JEP's Hair & Beauty offer, and we're excited to see our learners continue developing their skills and working towards their VTCT qualifications!



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