

Level 2 Barbering VRQ Summer Project 2026/2027

Task 1 – Terminology Research Task

During the course of your qualification, you will continually learn different terminology in the practice of barbering and the theory of the science behind the hair, scalp and skin.

Listed below are some of the scientific terms you will come across in your theory lessons. Research each technical word and write about them in the boxes next to them.

Cortex	
Cuticle	
Medulla	
Hygroscopic	
Alpha Keratin	
Beta Keratin	
Occipital Bone	
Hair Classification	

Task 2 – Research the Beard!

In Unit 215 – Cut Facial Hair, you will be assessed on the cutting of beards. There are many different types of beard, some are listed below. Research the names of these beards and explain what they look like. If you are able to add photos, please do so.

Anchor	
Pharoah	
Goatee	
Curtain Rail	
Mexican Moustache	
Pencil Moustache	
Rooftop Moustache	
Handlebar Moustache	
Full Beard	