

Theatrical and Media Make-Up Artist

Aliases: Special Effect Make-Up Artist, Make-Up Artist

Industry/Sector(s): Beauty and Wellness

JOB DESCRIPTION ¹

The tasks a Theatrical and Media Make-Up Artist is expected to perform include:

- Applying airbrush make-up, camouflage make-up, media make-up, fashion and photographic make-up, special effects make-up, bridal make-up, etc.
- Managing and leading a team of professionals and helpers
- Performing skincare services
- Preparing and maintaining the work area
- Consulting and advising the customers
- Promoting and selling services and products

WORK ENVIRONMENT ^{1, 2}

- It requires physical activity
- Need to handle a team of professionals and helpers
- Local travelling is not a part of this job role
- Part-time work and contractual jobs may be available
- Work from home option is not available

Working hours

- Organizations usually work for 5/6 days a week and 8/9 hours every day. This may vary from organization to organization
- Shift system may be available
- Overtime is not required

Is the job suitable for a candidate with special needs?

This may vary from organization to organization

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING ¹

- Preferably, 8th or the ability to read/write and communicate effectively on the job role
- Certified training for Theatrical and Media Make-Up Artist (programme aligned to BWS/Q0305 released by Beauty & Wellness Sector Skill Council)

KEY COMPETENCIES ¹

- Ability to prepare and maintain the work area
- Well-versed in skincare services
- Proficient in applying bridal make-up, airbrush make-up, fashion and photographic make-up, camouflage make-up, media and special effects make-up, etc.
- Competent to manage and lead a team of professionals and helpers
- Equipped to promote and sell products and services
- Skilled in advising and consulting customers
- Knowledge of anatomy, physiology and pathology for skin treatments
- Knowledge of principles and practice of skin therapies
- Knowledge of basic ailments, contraindications, contra actions, treatment plans, etc.

DESIRABLE COMPETENCIES ¹

- Able to work under high pressure
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Good communication skills
- Training in skincare services, epilation services, manicure and pedicure, make-up services
- Training in cosmetics/beauty products
- Training in anatomy, physiology, circulation, muscles, skin, nails

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING AND LEARNING INSTITUTES

Schools across India

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING SCHEMES/SCHOLARSHIPS

For scholarship and schemes, use further links like:

•<https://scholarships.gov.in/>

SAMPLE OF TRAINING AND LEARNING COURSES

For further guidance, contact your nearest Common Service Centre or Contact NCS Call Centre (Toll Free Number: 1800-425-1514)

CAREER PROGRESSION PATH³

Beauty and Wellness Quality Assurer



Salon Head → Entrepreneur



Make-Up Trainer



Theatrical and Media Make Up Artist



Make-Up Artist

The progression is indicative

EXPECTED EARNINGS⁴

•For candidates with experience – Rs 18,000 to Rs 20,000 per month

These figures are indicative and subject to change

REQUIRED WORK EXPERIENCE ¹

Generally, 18-24 months of experience as a Make-Up Artist is required

PROBABLE EMPLOYERS ⁴

- Media houses
- Fashion houses
- Theatres
- Movie production house

KEYWORDS

- Special Effect Make-Up Artist
- Special Make-Up Artist

OCCUPATIONAL CODES AND STANDARDS

Standard	Code	Description
NCO 2015	5142.0415	Theatrical and Media Make-Up Artist
ISCO 2008	5141	Beauticians and Related Workers
NIC 2008	96020	Hairdressing and other beauty treatment
QP Reference	BWS/N0305	Theatrical and Media Make-Up Artist
NSQF	Level 5	Not available

REFERENCES

1	http://www.nsdcindia.org/sites/default/files/files/Theatre_media_and_special_effectsv2.pdf
2	http://www.ccdisabilities.nic.in/page.php?s=reg&t=def&p=list_jobsNew
3	http://dget.nic.in/upload/uploadfiles/files/publication/Des-Div-5.pdf
4	https://www.indeed.co.in/cmp/KAYLA-SPA-&SALON/jobs/Beautician-Unisex-Make-Artist-4e9b0f1e1fa8410e?q=make+up+artist