Specialised Nail Technician

Acrylic Extensions, Advanced Nail Art, E-file, Gel Polish

INTERMEDIATE | CERTIFICATE ON COMPLETION

COURSE FEE
$4250 NZD

DURATION
7 Days · 42 hours

SCHEDULE
10am – 5pm · over 3 weeks

FORMAT
In person at our East Tamaki academy

LIVE MODELS
4–6 × models

ASSESSMENT
1 theory test, 3 × practical assessments

HOMEWORK
3 × homework assignments

CERTIFICATE
Industry-recognised

About this course

There's a point where you can do the work but you're still charging what everyone else charges. This course is about closing that gap.

Over seven days you'll add the four skills that separate a competent tech from one with a waitlist. Acrylic extensions, taught from the chemistry up — mix ratio, bead formation, placement and blending — built around our signature Acrylic Flow Method, which places the first bead at the cuticle so the product flows toward the apex, giving you a correct apex and C-curve every time.

E-file work, the single biggest upgrade to your speed and your client's comfort: bit selection, hand positioning, RPM control, fast removals and full Russian manicures, along with the errors we see most in the industry so you know how to avoid them and how to correct them. Fifteen styles of nail art, where brush control, layering and colour placement turn a service into a signature. And gel polish finished to a standard that gets clients rebooking without being asked.

We close on the business side — pricing your work profitably, and building a career rather than a job.

Prior nail experience required. We recommend Foundations of Nails first, or enrol with an existing certification or self-taught experience — proof of prior skills required.

Where this course can take you

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- → Move from competent tech to specialist
- → Charge more for e-file, acrylic and art services
- → Build a career rather than a job

YOUR NEXT STEP

Builder Gel	Intermediate · $1500
Gel X Extensions	Beginner · $999

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What's covered

- Acrylic Chemistry
- Nail Tip Application
- Nail Shapes
- Nail Prep & Tip Application
- Acrylic Bead Formation
- Acrylic Bead Sizing
- Acrylic Placement & Blending
- Acrylic Flow Method with Steps
- Acrylic Removal
- E-file Machines
- Drill Bits Manual
- Using an E-file to Nail Prep
- Using an E-file for Removals
- E-file Russian Manicures
- Troubleshooting
- Industry Errors
- 15 Nail Art Styles
- Gel Polish Application
- Gel Polish Troubleshooting
- Gel Polish Removal
- Pricing
- Intro to Beauty Business
- NZ Health Protection Licence Help

CERTIFICATES YOU'LL RECEIVE

- ✓ Acrylic Extensions
- ✓ Advanced Nail Art
- ✓ E-file
- ✓ Gel Polish

Ready to start?

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