

Advanced Clipper Cutting Quiz (Key)

Answer the definitions with the correct terms using the word bank.

Classic barbering comb

Clipper over-comb

Clippers

Correct body positioning

Cross-check

Guard attachments

Haircutting shears

Horseshoe parting

Moving guideline

Taper

Thinning shears

Trimmers

Wide tooth comb

1. An even blended haircut from very short at the hairline to longer lengths as you move up the head. **Taper**
2. Cutting technique, where the clippers move sideways across the comb rather than bottom to top. **Clipper over-comb**
3. A parting that starts about two inches below the apex of the head, beginning and ending at the front hairline. **Horseshoe parting**
4. Guideline that moves as the haircutting progresses, used often when creating layers or graduation. **Moving guideline**
5. Taking a panel of hair opposite the original cutting angle and checking for consistency. **Cross-check**
6. Rolling your shoulder back and standing directly (parallel) in front of the section on which you are working. **Correct body positioning**
7. Electrical device that cuts the hair using two moving blades held in place by a metal plate with teeth. **Clippers**
8. A smaller sized clipper, usually cordless, used to clean necklines and around ears.
Trimmers
9. When attached to clippers, these allow you to cut the hair evenly to the exact length.
Guard attachments
10. Used mainly for removing length and detailing the haircut. **Haircutting shears**

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11. These tools are great for removing excess bulk and for blending one area with another. **Thinning shears**
12. Finer-spaced teeth used for detailing, shears over-comb, and clipper over-comb techniques. **Classic barbering comb**
13. Tool used when cutting thicker and longer lengths, where detailing is not required. **Wide tooth comb**