



Short hair looks

Short and sweet

Short hair can get an easy makeover with a funky quiff or slice of colour or two. Session stylist of the year, Jim Shaw at Essentials, shows you how to refresh your look in minutes!

BIG AND BOLD

WHY IT'S HOT: "The fastest way to give short hair va va voom", reckons Jim. "All it takes is a neat tong action and an hour to spare to turn a smooth straight 'do into something big and bold."

HOW IT'S DONE: Start by blowdrying hair with a diffuser to dry it without blasting out any existing curl. Then, use a tong to wind in barrel-style curls, securing with short pins. Leave to set for 30 minutes, then use fingers and a touch of styling cream to tease out individual curls. Finally, use a glossing spray to give lots of shine and help define the texture".

WHO'S WORKING IT: Hilary Duff, Lindsay Lohan, Cheryl Cole

THE MAKE-UP: "Curls can look cute or very grown-up, so work your make-up to suit", says make-up artist Sam. "Keep eyes soft and muted and play up the apples of the cheeks with masses of peachy colour, then add shine to lips by layering gloss over rich coral."

* Use fingers or a sponge to work over MeMeMe Radiant Minerals Foundation, £6.99.

* Next, use a wet brush to blend the deep gold shade from Famous by Sue Moxley Festival palette, £9 into socket line and up to brow.

* Add layers of lush mascara using L'Oreal Telescopic Mascara in Black, £9.99.

* Line lips first, then apply gold-flecked Make-Up Academy Lipgloss shade 3, £1.

THE KIT:

- 1 Osmo Shaper Maker, £6.79
- 2 TONI&GUY 36mm Jumbo Wave & Curl Tong, £24.99
- 3 label.m Curl Cream, £11.75
- 4 Paul Mitchell The Shine, £13.25

