

Cosmetic Brow Tattoo Information Sheet

Consultation 30mins, \$50

You must book in a consultation prior to your cosmetic brow tattoo appointment.

In this appointment Morgan will talk you through the tattoo process and answer any questions you may have. She will discuss with you what style and methods of tattoo may be best suitable for you and discuss shape and colour options.

It is a great idea to arrive at your consult with your brows coloured / shaped how you like them as this will guide Morgan on what you like and the look you may be after. Please bring any brow pencils / powders that you like the colour of. Do not worry if you don't put makeup on your brows or don't know how to do them, Morgan can guide you with what will be best.

A test patch should be performed behind your ear for precaution, in advance of the procedure. This is highly recommended particularly if you find you are allergic to medicines / makeup / creams / metals / topical anesthetics etc. The test patch should be performed a couple of weeks prior to your brow tattoo appointment. The Beauty Extract shall not be liable for any reaction you may have to products used in the procedure, particularly if you elect not to undertake a test patch; you release and indemnify The Beauty Extract in respect of such matters.

Time permitting, Morgan may measure up and draw a brow shape for you so you have a better idea of how the cosmetic tattoo may look.

Please take time to familiarise yourself on the [Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist](#).

Upon booking a tattoo consultation, you will be sent a text message with a link requiring you to fill out the online [Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist](#). This must be completed before your consultation appointment. If you have trouble filling it out, please arrive at least 5-10 minutes early to your consultation appointment so you can fill it out in salon and not compromise your appointment time. Please contact the salon if you require any further clarification or information ahead of your appointment.

Consultation appointments can be arranged as follows:

A consultation appointment can be booked at least 2 weeks in advance of your initial tattoo appointment but no more than 3 months in advance. This allows Morgan to review your [Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist](#) in detail and provide advice on any required changes you may need to make in advance of your tattoo appointment, which could include obtaining doctors permission on certain medications / conditions. This also allows time to monitor the test patch and make changes as needed.

A consultation appointment can also be booked immediately before your initial tattoo appointment, however should you choose this option, it is your responsibility to ensure that you have provided your completed [Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist](#) at least 1 week prior to your appointment, in addition to emailing photos of your brows to thebeautyextract@gmail.com. Performing the consultation immediately before your tattoo appointment does not allow a test patch to be performed and monitored. It is your responsibility if you chose to proceed. If for any reason Morgan is unable to proceed with your tattoo on the day, your deposit will be forfeited and your appointment will need to be rescheduled.

Consultations for those who have had a previous brow tattoo from another technician must be undertaken at least 2 weeks in advance of your initial tattoo appointment but no more than 3 months in advance. This is because some existing tattoos may be too pigmented to tattoo over, removal options can be discussed if required and expectations can be explained. Colour or shape corrections can be quite technical, so the procedure needs to be carefully planned in advance.

It is your responsibility to ensure we are aware of your medical history at least 48 hours prior to any tattoo appointment. If you are unable to be tattooed at your appointment your deposit will be forfeited.

Brow Tinting, \$23

Brow tinting will enhance your natural shape by temporarily colouring and darkening your blonde and lighter hairs to add the illusion of thicker and fuller brows and a more perfected shape.

This can be booked in a week or so before your tattoo, or it can be added into a Brow Tattoo Consultation appointment.

You can tint prior to your tattoo or for regular maintenance every 4-8 weeks so that your brows continue looking their best.

You cannot tint your brows within 48 hours prior to any brow tattoo or for at least 2 weeks after being tattooed.

Brow Shaping / Waxing, \$25

If you are considering a brow tattoo in the near future, it is best to leave your brows and not have them tweezed or waxed by anyone, unless it's Morgan. She will know what areas need to be removed or remain ahead of the tattoo, so you get the best shape. For top results, the brow needs to grow out so Morgan can see the natural shape and get maximum hair growth in certain areas.

Morgan will be tweezing / waxing unnecessary hair at each tattoo appointment.

Regular brow shaping is recommended to ensure your shape is maintained. This can be booked in every 3-8 weeks so your brows are always on point.

Brow Feathering Tattoo, \$595

1 ½ - 2 ½ hours

This technique is perfect for people who already have quite good hair coverage and for those who want to fill in gaps in their eyebrows where hair is missing. This is because the strokes can be made to mimic the natural hair in colour, thickness and angle of growth. This technique can also work very well to create a complete brow where little to no hair exists.

Feathering is created by using a small disposable sterile hand tool, where pigment is lightly scratched manually into the skin.

This technique may not suit all skin types as hair strokes can blur and the strokes may not stay as crisp, particularly on oily skin types or skin with open pores.

This service involves brow mapping, pre-drawing, Q & A's and colour selection.

All aftercare advice and take-home care is provided.

Mist / Ombre / Powder Brow Tattoo, \$595

2 - 2 ½ hours

The mist, ombre and powder techniques involve the application of thousands of tiny little dots of pigment dusted into the skin with a digital tattoo machine gradually building up the desired colour and shape.

The 'mist' speaks for itself; it is very light dusting, adding a soft shadow like effect under the brow.

The term 'ombre' refers to the brows being softer and lighter through the fronts of the brow while being fuller and defined through the tails.

The powder technique is full coverage with a more concentrated colour, allowing a bolder brow.

Brows tattooed with a machine are better suited, but not limited, to oilier skin types.

If you love the way your brows look after tinting/henna or with a little bit of brow powder, this is for you!

This service involves brow mapping, pre-drawing, Q & A's and colour selection.

All aftercare advice and take-home care is provided.

Combination Brow Tattoo, \$620

2 ½ - 3 hours

This style of brow is a combination of both machine and feathering methods. It aims to add fullness, texture and dimension to the brows.

One option is getting a lighter full mist colour in your first session, then placing the hair strokes in a darker colour to add texture and realism over the top at the adjustment session.

A second option is to use both methods in the same session, by placing hair strokes and defining other areas with ombre to create more dimension and enhance the shape.

This is great for those who want the best of both worlds!

This service involves brow mapping, pre-drawing, Q & A's and colour selection.

All aftercare advice and take-home care is provided.

4-6 Week Adjustment Session, \$95

1 - 1 ½ hours

It is completely normal for colour to have lifted or faded during the 4 to 6 week healing period so the adjustment session is used to tweak and perfect the tattoo as well as make small adjustments to shape and symmetry as required following the first session.

The adjustment session must be performed no longer than 6 weeks after your initial tattoo, otherwise it will be priced as a maintenance session.

Additional Sessions, \$75

Additional adjustment sessions may be necessary depending on how your skin holds the pigment. These are performed 4-6 weeks after your adjustment or maintenance session.

Maintenance Sessions

Everyone's skin holds tattoo pigment differently and because of this many people need maintenance sessions at different stages.

There can be many factors as to why your brow tattoo may fade over time and may need re-touching. It may be due to your skin type, your age, metabolism, how your body disperses the pigment, what products you have used (peels, strong facial products, products containing acids / vitamins), how you have looked after them, exposure to UV light, etc.

A maintenance session can be performed any time after your initial tattoo and can be used to tweak the colour or shape, or to freshen up your brows.

1 – 6 months – \$140

6 – 12 months – \$195

1 – 1.5 years – \$350

1.5 – 2 years – \$450

Durations above are based on what you had your last tattoo appointment.

For durations beyond 2 years, the price is charged as an initial appointment.

To book in for a maintenance session you must know the date of your last tattoo treatment to ensure the correct time frame is selected. Please call the salon on 0432 106 110 if you need clarification on time elapsed since your last session.

Maintenance sessions are only offered to previous cosmetic tattoo clients of The Beauty Extract.

Your Skin

- Thicker pores can cause blurred hair stroke lines and migration of the pigment. This is out of Morgan's control due to the oil flow in your skin.
- Healed results will vary with each individual.
- Delicate, mature skin is more prone to bleeding. This may impact on the absorption and evenness of the pigment once it has healed.
- With time the pigment can and will fade or change colour due to metabolism, skin type, medications, health, age, smoking, alcohol, sun exposure, Retin-A and Glycolic peels etc.
- This is considered a "semi-permeant" procedure, which means it will fade over time and may change in colour but it may never completely fade out.
- You cannot tattoo over any blemishes, sores or moles in or on the border of the brow tattoo area. These areas will have to be avoided. Please note, existing sores may result in the inability to be tattooed on the day of your appointment. Please let The Beauty Extract know as soon as possible if your skin health or surrounding skin isn't 100% ahead of your appointment, as it may need to be rescheduled until after that area has healed.
- The skin cannot be tattooed if the area is sun or wind burnt.
- Your brows will be mathematically measured and drawn based on your bone structure and face shape. You will be guided through the entire mapping stage and various options will be discussed. Your brow shape will be created just for you! You are responsible for the final approval of the design of your brows as they appear drawn immediately prior to the procedure commencing. Please make sure that you are happy with the design of your brows prior to the procedure commencing as The Beauty Extract shall not be liable in the event that you change your mind.
- Muscles have involuntary movements which can create asymmetry with your eyebrows. Morgan will endeavour to make your eyebrows as similar as possible.
- Once you have approved the mapped brow, Morgan will continue to show and guide you throughout the tattoo process to make sure your brows are transforming exactly how you would like them.

Important information below. Please read carefully

Non-refundable Booking Fee Deposit

A \$200 deposit is required to secure your initial tattoo appointment. All other tattoo bookings require a deposit of 50% of the service fee at the time of booking. These deposits are non-refundable if you cancel or reschedule within 48 hours of your appointment time.

Your booking is not confirmed until you have paid your booking deposit.

You can book online by visiting our website www.thebeautyextract.com or by calling the salon on 0432 106 110. Please have your card details ready so your booking deposit can be paid, and your appointment confirmed.

Please take time to familiarise yourself with the [Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist](#). It is your responsibility to check the information provided if you have not booked a consultation appointment. If you arrive for your initial tattoo appointment and you are not eligible, your deposit will be forfeited and your appointment will need to be rescheduled. You must advise The Beauty Extract at least 48 hours prior to any tattoo appointment if your medical history has changed in any way since your last appointment. If a change in medical history means you are no longer able to proceed with your tattoo, your deposit will be forfeited if notification is not received prior to the 48 hours before your appointment time.

Topical Anaesthetic

It is recommended to arrive with a numbing cream applied for your cosmetic brow tattoo procedures.

- There are different strengths of anaesthetic creams available. Whether you use an anaesthetic cream is your choice, it is not mandatory. It is highly recommended that you do. The Beauty Extract are not qualified medical practitioners and make no representations in relation to the suitability of any anaesthetic product for your body or for the procedure.

- Anaesthetic can be ordered from **Elixir Compounding Pharmacy, 26A/1880 Ferntree Gully Road, Ferntree Gully, 9758 8375**. The pharmacist will determine your suitability for topical anaesthetics and decide which one will suit you best, based on consulting with you. Usually, this pharmacist will recommend a mix similar to **10% mix of - 4% Tetracaine, 6% Lignocaine, in sorbolene 10g tube. This should be approximately \$35**. Be sure to order as soon as possible as this is a compounded mix and may take a day or two to be made. Please ensure the expiry of the product will still be valid at time of your appointment.
- It is advised to talk to your doctor and pharmacist about the different strengths of anaesthetic, if you have any concerns or contraindications to anaesthetic, and to determine which one may be best for you.
- Please follow the directions and required timing for the numbing agent before your appointment.

For example, 30mins before your appointment you should apply anaesthetic cream to your brows, then cover with glad wrap. Follow the instructions carefully. The glad wrap stops the cream from drying out. Arrive at your appointment with the glad wrap on. If the numbing cream is not applied correctly it will not work.

Please also bring the numbing cream with you to your appointment.

This is applicable for every appointment. Please ensure the anaesthetic date has not expired before any adjustment or maintenance session, or you will need to purchase more.

Important information for pregnant clients and new mothers

- The Beauty Extract advises against being tattooed while pregnant.
- If you are breastfeeding you will need to pump and dump at least twice before you can resume breastfeeding your baby following your tattoo procedure. You should confirm this with the pharmacist who provides you with the anesthetic cream.

Aftercare

- Medicone Gel (\$25), is a silicone self-drying gel that forms a protective cover over wounds / the tattooed area. It is amazing in speeding up the healing process and it doesn't suffocate or make the wound soggy. This allows faster healing, better retention of pigment, crisper hairstrokes and a more even overall colour.
- The Beauty Extract advises only using the recommended ointment above, as others may impact the retention of your tattoo.
- You will receive a complementary aftercare ointment at your initial tattoo appointment.
- Please refer to the *Cosmetic Brow Tattoo Aftercare Sheet* for the full aftercare information.

Drugs / Medications

Please refer to the *Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist* page.

- If you are using ROACCUTANE or RETINA medicine, you must cease these drugs for at least 6 months prior to being tattooed.
- Please inform us of any medications you are taking, as some may be a contraindication to cosmetic tattooing. Please check with your doctor regarding medications or medical conditions, as in some cases we will require a letter of approval from your doctor to proceed with the procedure.
- You must notify The Beauty Extract if any of your medications, medical history or health changes at least 48 hours prior to any treatment given.

Facials / Botox

- Cease using any peels, vitamin A, glycolic, AHAs, Laser or strong exfoliation on the brow area at least 2 weeks before your tattoo appointment. Your skin may still be healing / shedding from these treatments/products and as a tattoo is treated like a wound, too much stimulation / trauma to the skin at once could result in a reaction and rejection of the pigment.
- After your tattoo, you must wait a minimum of 3 weeks until undergoing a facial / peel / laser or using any strong products. Please make sure your therapist is aware that you CAN NOT use any strong peels / treatments / laser / IPL near the tattooed area as it could impact on the tattoo colour and longevity. This applies for general maintenance of the tattoo also.
- Botox or fillers should be done at least 4 weeks prior to or can be performed 4 weeks after your tattoo appointment.

Alcohol / Caffeine

- Do not consume any alcohol within the 48 hours before your procedure.
- Do not consume any caffeine within the 5 hours before your procedure.
- Having alcohol or caffeine in your system can thin your blood and increase bleeding, which can blur hairstrokes and reduce absorption of the pigment.

- You must not have any illicit drugs for at least 72 hours before procedure.

Nurofen / Blood Thinners / Aspirin

- Please avoid Nurofen and similar types of blood thinning medicines for at least 48 hours prior to getting your tattoo. If your doctor has advised you to take these medications DO NOT stop taking them, but we will require a letter of approval from your doctor to enable the procedure to go ahead. These blood thinning medications make you more prone to bleeding which can impact on the retention of the pigment and overall healing. If necessary, Panadol may be taken.

Anxiety

- If you suffer from any anxiety disorders, please consider carefully if this treatment is suitable for you. The entire process can take at least 12 weeks for full completion. The Beauty Extract will not be liable for any matters resulting from you choosing to stop the procedure prior to completion.

Tanning / Sunburn

- It is recommended that you avoid applying fake tan to your face at least 48 hours before your tattoo appointment. The activators and certain ingredients of the tan can disturb the tattoo pigment and risk colour change. After your tattoo, avoid tanning for at least 2 weeks on the face / brow area.
- You cannot get tattooed if your skin is sunburnt, including even a slight pinkness from sun exposure.

Have you ticked off the following?

- Read over the [Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist](#), Information Sheet, and the Aftercare Sheet.
- Informed us if any of the contraindications or medical history from the [Cosmetic Tattoo Eligibility Checklist](#) are or may be relevant to you prior to any cosmetic tattoo appointment.
- Paid your deposit to secure your booking.
- Checked with your doctor about anaesthetics and strengths and have approval letters depending on your medical history or medications you are taking.
- Purchased your anesthetic cream.