## Do you have the hair you WANT??

Why settle for mediocre hair when long luscious locks could be merely minutes away? Whether you're looking to add length and volume to short or thinning hair, change your <u>colour</u> or add highlights, **Hair Extensions** are the answer.

Hair extensions are produced in a selection of lengths, colours and styles to suit you, from ultra-straight locks to sun-kissed waves to tight curls made from human or synthetic hair.

When well matched in color, texture and professionally applied by a competent Stylist Hair extensions mix in and move naturally with your own hair, making it difficult to tell you are wearing them. They can provide volume, add length to hair, and add highlights or lowlights without the harshness of coloring your own hair. Some extensions can be worn continuously for up to 3 months before requiring maintenance.

## Here is a quick look at the different methods of applying hair extensions and some tips:

**Braids, Cornrows, Twists, Locks** - Integrates extensions in a visible way that the braided attachment is seen but blends into the hairstyle. It depends on your life style how long theses will last.

**Weaves** - Tiny braids like cornrows hold the hair extensions against the scalp with the use of thread, except these are hidden. With care it can last up to six weeks.

**Bonding** - The extensions used for this method are glued to your own scalp for short term use. Because this method is fast it's also inexpensive. However, to remove extensions, oil must be used to dissolve the bonding agent. If not removed with care the latex can pull your own hair out, so it is recommended to be done by a professional stylist. With care it can last up to two weeks.

**Micro links** - Uses a metal tube clamped over the real hair to attach extension hair. Experts don't recommend this method for fine hair. These can last up to 5 months with care.

**Fusion** -There are two types of fusion. The first method is done with the aid of a heating device; the glue is heated to a temperature that is warm enough for your hair to withstand it without damage and then added to the extension. The extensions are added in very small sections of the hair with the aid of this melted glue. The other method is done with the use of a keratin glued tip already attached on the extensions. With the aid also of a heating device the glue is melted and firmly attached to the hair while using your fingers to roll and hold the glue in place on to your hair. Fusion is easy to maintain and does not damage your natural hair. This method can withstand both heat and chemical treatments. With care it can last up to five months.

**Tape-in Hair Extension-** Tape-in extensions are comfortable because the panels are micro thin, flat and soft against the head, not hard round and bulky. Tape in extensions are the most natural because the micro thin wefted panels housing the 100% human hair closely assimilates the scalp hair pattern and growth; unlike small clusters of hair attached in clumps. Tape-in hair extensions are safe because they distribute the extension weight over a greater area displacing the weight evenly.

Note that as your own hair grows out the extensions need to be redone. For best results, the Stylist should be a licensed Cosmetologist.

## So how do you know whether tape in hair extensions are right for you?

Do your research and uncover what it is that fits your needs and budget. Ask for a consultation! This is the time to get as much information as possible and discuss all your concerns. During the consultation the stylist will examine your hair and test its strength and recommend the best type of extensions for you.

For more information on <u>Hair Extensions</u> please call us at 9451188 now to schedule <u>Your Free Consultation</u> and find out how you can get the hair you have always wanted!!