



GlamLab vocabulary and facts



Vocabulary: Make up

El maquillaje	make-up
Rostro	face (complexion)
Preparadores	primers
Bases de Maquillaje	foundation
Corrector	concealer
Iluminador	highlighter
Polvos compactos	pressed powder
Polvos	powder
Mejillas	cheeks
Colorete	blush
Colorete en crema	creme blush
Ojos	eyes
Sombras	eye shadow
Delineadores	eyeliners
Máscara de pestañas	mascara
Lápiz de cejas	eyebrow pencil
Fijador de cejas	brow set
Cepillo para las cejas	eyebrow brush
Labios	lips
Barra de labios	lipstick
Brillo de labios	lip gloss
Lápiz de labios	lipliner
Herramientas	tools
Brocha	Brush
Pinzas	tweezers
Borla	powder puff
Espejo	Mirror
esponja de latex	Latex sponge





The Word cosmetics comes from the Greek word kosmos, which means “of this world, worldly”

Egyptians were the first people to use make-up. Egyptian women painted their eyes by applying dark color under the eyelid and blackening their eyelashes.

The number one selling make-up product in the U.S. is Great Lash Mascara by Maybelline. The company estimates 1 tube is sold every 1.6 seconds.

The best selling fragrances in the world are Armani for Men and Chanel No. 5 for women.

The top 7 best selling make-up products are from Olay, Avon, L’Oréal, Neutrogena, Nivea, Dove, and Estee Lauder.

L’Oréal is the world’s largest cosmetic company with a product range of over 500 products including make-up, cosmetics, hair care, body care, and a men’s line.

Nail polish originated in 3000 BC in China. The Chinese created nail lacquer from egg whites, beeswax, gum, and colored powder.

The number of personal care and cosmetic products an average woman uses daily is 12 and for a man is 6.

Correct makeup application can make you look younger as well as make areas of your face more defined, thus giving a more radiant appearance.

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