

BLACK BEAUTY *edit*

Hot beauty buys, news and trends for the modern black women.



The look

GLAM GRUNGE

Punk, grunge, Goth – whatever the fashion experts are calling it, this season's beauty looks are reflecting this trend with deconstructed smokey eyes and sticky red lips. Just make sure you don't apply it too perfectly – the grittier the better!

Get the look:



Laura Mercier Crème Eyeliner in Noir £18.50



Kiko Eyeshadow in Infinity £5.90

M.A.C Pro Longwear Lipglass in Driven by Love (£17.50)



Bobbi Brown Long-Wear Eye Pencil in Jet (£18)



Trend et e
Three of the best big brow looks



Mandy Coon



Missoni



Balmain



Illamasqua Eyebrow Cake £15.50

The buys



Sleek MakeUp Brow Kit £8.50

BEAUTY REVIEW



Andrea Lawrence CHARTERHOUSE CLINIC ★★★★★



When your facialist claims to be turning 50 on her next birthday and looks 20 years younger, you can be sure you're in good hands, which was exactly how I felt when I had a made-to-measure facial at Charterhouse Clinic with Andrea Lawrence. My skin was first assessed by a skin scanner where she pointed out my problem areas that included pigmentation across my nose and dark circles around my eyes. A Glo Therapeutics enzyme peel was applied which used fruit acid to lift the dulling

surface without being abrasive making it ideal for black skins, followed by a Hydraderm facial which pushes active botanical ingredients into the first

five layers of the epidermis. Natural products from her range Toulou Organic Skincare, including the Rose Water and Organic Daily Cleanser, were also used to beautify my skin. I was encouraged

to increase hydration to my eyes, exfoliate at least every fortnight and to try using natural skincare to nourish the skin. I have never been happier with my skin and I can honestly say it was one of the best facials I have ever had.

Prices start from £55. Andrea Lawrence at Charterhouse Clinic, 98 Crawford Street, London, W1H 2HL. Tel: 020 7723 7084. charterhouseclinic.com.



Toulou Organic Skincare ranges from £10- £36, toulouorganics.com