

LOOK YOUR MOST BEAUTIFUL

BEAUTY TIPS THAT REALLY WORK

Our experts answer your most pressing questions so every day can be gorgeous



Meryl Streep

After applying liner, dab concealer right below your eyes to intensify the color, à la Meryl.

Q My eyes look so drab under my glasses. What can I do?

A Since makeup can get hidden or muted under glasses, you should use bolder colors to make your eyes pop! "Keep the focus on a colored eyeliner (I like navy or deep purple liners for all eye colors) and then go more heavy-handed with your mascara!" says Athens, Ga.-based makeup artist and CEO of JennySue Makeup Jennifer Duvall. The colored liner and a third coat of mascara will really make your eyes stand out underneath your frames!

Expert Tip:

Dust shimmery white shadow into the inner corners of eyes to make them look bigger and brighter!

Sephora Collection Full Action Extreme Effect Mascara, \$12, sephora.com



Sephora Collection Retractable Waterproof Eyeliner, \$13, sephora.com

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Q My skin tone is so uneven! Is there anything I can use to help me get a silky, smooth complexion?

A There is! Add blur cream to your makeup arsenal. The high-tech ingredients reflect light and visually "blur" your complexion, disguising fine lines, enlarged pores and imperfections instantly. Consider it like a filter for your face. Generously apply blur cream onto clean skin, then let it sit for at least five minutes. Wear it alone or apply makeup over it as you normally would. Use daily to keep skin radiant!



Garnier 5sec Perfect Blur Smoothing Perfecting Primer, \$17, drugstores

Q I love the staying power of matte lipstick, but it makes my lips look dry and flaky. Help!

A Matte lipstick can only make your lips look dry and flaky if they are dry and flaky! "It's all about taking care of your lips beforehand," says Duvall. "Exfoliate with a coffee scrub to keep your smile smooth!" Make a scrub by mixing a half cup of ground coffee with 1 tablespoon of olive oil. Coffee will slough away dead skin, while olive oil adds moisture so your pout looks perfect, even when wearing matte lipstick!



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