**![MCHM00293_0000[1]]()EVERYTHING YOU WANT TO KNOW ABOUT EYELASHES!**

1. Do I need to wear them?
* Your eyes are key to telling the story and eyelashes are the best tool to create dramatic and expressive eyes.
* It’s important to be a team player.
* They create unity, character, and the feeling of a performer and champion.

2) Find the right pair to meet your personal lash needs. Here’s what

you’re looking for…

* If your natural lashes are thin or light in color, you want a full false eyelash. However not too thick or bold or the result will be unnatural.
* If your natural lashes are thick and dark in color, you might only need singles in the outer corner for lift.
* If your natural lashes are average in density and color, you could consider half-lash style or use half lash application.

3) Eyelash Adhesive. Here’s what you’re looking for…

* Average-Use waterproof eyelash adhesive clear-white.
* Singles-Use individual eyelash adhesive, clear. This glue is designed to last longer

and has strong chemicals. Do not use it if sensitive or wearing contacts.

* Sensitive-Use surgical eyelash adhesive.
* Remember with all applications to lightly apply adhesive and to let the adhesive set before application to the eye.
1. Eyelash Styles and Application. Here are a few choices…
* Full Lash Application-Proper fit when wearing a full lash generally requires trimming. Gently remove eyelash from curved container and set on eye to measure. Eyelashes should be fit and applied starting from where your natural lash begins to just short of where it ends. Cut off any excess to fit the length of your eye always trimming the outer (long) end, never the inner (short) end. Use less adhesive on the base strip than you think you need, let it set before tapping down the ends and center as close to your natural eyelash line as possible.
* Single Lash Application-Lashes do not need to be trimmed and should be applied mostly toward the outer edge of your eye.
* Half Lash Application-Start with a full false eyelash.
1. Cut eyelash in half directly down the middle.
2. Throw away outer (long) half.
3. Glue inside (short) half to the outside of your eye.
* Magnetic eyeliner and eyelashes-Apply magnetic eyeliner as close to your natural eyelash line as possible. The magnetic eyelash will then attach to the magnetic eyeliner.
* Magnetic eyelashes-These eyelashes attach to each other. One above, and one below your natural eyelashes.
* Eyelash extensions-A professional applies these and they last about a month.

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