

# Put some sparkle in your look this holiday season

If the season's twinkling lights have you wishing you could turn up the wattage on your look, you are not alone. We spoke to a few of our favorite beauty gurus to find out what's sizzling this season. From lips to highlights, it's all about color. We'll help put the holiday cheer back into your beauty routine.



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## Not just red and green

This holiday, color is key, so opt for makeup in the deep, rich shades of the season. Think shimmering metallic, deep purples and smoky charcoals. We checked in with Sabrina Watts, a Clarins beauty expert, and got her take on this season's festive, feminine face. The cornerstone of the season's look is, "glossy lips and shimmery light eyes," Watts says. Think russet and deep burgundies on lips and cheeks. Rather than going matte, opt for a lipstick shade with some shine, or apply a sheer sparking gold or silver gloss on top of richly colored lips.

We adore Clarins Lip Sparkle Palettes (\$21), super shiny sheers that offer up a hint of sparkle with a touch of color. Lips that make a statement are best when paired with a light shimmering shadow. One to try is Clarins Soft Shimmer Eye Colour in Vanilla Pearl (\$18), perfect all over lids as well as

brushed just under the brow bone for eyes that really "pop."

Since actions speak louder than words, we took a peek into Sabrina's makeup bag. We found one of Sabrina's favorite beauty secrets and her "cure for one too many martinis," Clarins Eye Revive Beauty Flash (\$42.50). This soothing cream instantly banishes puffiness, dark circles and fatigue in a wink. We'll drink to that!

Pick up the season's must-have Clarins products at Nordstrom.com and receive a complimentary deluxe sample of bright plus hydrating lotion, while supplies last. Some restrictions may apply.

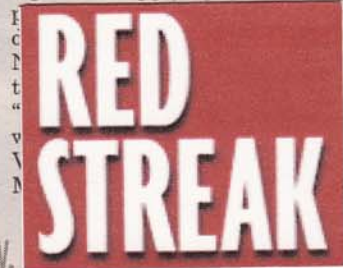
## Hair hues

For great holiday hair, color complements the glamorous de-

signer runways in a fusion of ultra-modern and vintage-inspired looks. We talked with top stylists at a favorite River North spa and salon, Tirra, and got this style scoop: "Hollywood glamour meets clean lines, with a slightly undone feel. No harsh edges here, just free-flowing styles. The look is ultrafeminine. The hippest hues for hair are sandy, caramel blondes and deep, cool browns. Highlights are fine and hidden: bronzes, golds and coppers, natural, earthy autumn shades."

## Windows to the season

Dramatic lashes are all the rage and are the ideal complement to the shimmering shadows that frame eyes this season. While pale shadows naturally enhance the appearance of lashes, for extra impact, opt for eyelash extensions. A word to the wise: False eyelashes can be difficult to apply. To avoid an embarrassing faux pas, we suggest letting a professional create this look for you. Rashida of Brows, Etc. in Sole Nail Lounge is a genius at applying extensions,



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