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TOP TIP

Want Blake's glow? Apply L'Oréal Paris Lumi Magique Pure Light Primer (£9.99, available nationwide) before make-up to give dull skin a brightening boost

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The ACTRESS and style icon on the secret to soft hair, DIY facials and watching TV in bed

"My beauty routine is simple: take care of your skin, and pick one product – maybe a great mascara or a beautiful lip colour – that makes you feel confident. Growing up in California, I was out in the sun a lot, but I'm more careful now. I wear SPF25 and use a bronzer or a shimmery body lotion to fake a glow.

"I feel most comfortable with natural, wavy hair, but I love experimenting, as long as it still looks effortless. At the *Green Lantern* premiere I had lots of little braids woven into one bigger braid. It was complicated but there was something undone about it that I loved. Over-coiffed hair doesn't suit me.

"I like having massages but don't have time to get treatments that often. I do my own manis because I love playing with nails. I'm very seasonal – I'd have Christmas trees on my nails all through December if I could. And I'll give myself horrible at-home facials that end in lots of concealer. But I find the best way to unwind is a bath, as much sleep as possible and watching cookery shows in bed."



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