tips and tricks: How to create a smoky eye

1. Create a base by applying a light coat of foundation and powder on the eyelids.

2. Using a shadow brush, swipe a neutral shade from lashes up to brow bone.

3. Depending on your eye color, take a black, dark brown, or gray eye pencil and line the upper and lower lashes using small, even strokes. Smudge the liner using a smudger brush.

4. Next get a brown (for dark eye color) or gray (for light eye color) eye shadow and color the crease of the eye. Do not blend shadow above the crease. Tip: the smoky eye can come in color too. Here we've used a dark green shadow to bring out the model's brown eyes.

5. Curl lashes, apply mascara, and comb through.