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## Rio Drops By: A Beauty Breakdown With Makeup Artist Katie Jane Hughes

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If clean, glowy skin and a statement eye is your thing, you've likely already heard of makeup artist [Katie Jane Hughes](#). If you haven't, sprint, full speed, to her [Instagram](#) page. She manages to consistently strike a balance between natural and daring — her feed is full of looks that juxtapose [barely there makeup](#) with a noticeable-from-a-mile-away pop of [color](#) on the eyes or lips. Her photos on Instagram (her preferred platform to share her work) are impeccably curated, and she often takes to her Stories to dispense beauty advice, and break down how she achieved her most popular and well-liked looks. When I met her at her house in Brooklyn on a recent Tuesday afternoon, she caught me staring at the bottles and tubes of NARS and Charlotte Tilbury stacked on her desk and asked if she could do my makeup, to which I answered, "Absolutely fucking yes." While she worked on my face, we gabbed about some of her [all-star products](#) — all of which I'm beyond excited to share with you guys.

**Another random question I have for you, I saw on your Instagram Story that you got a facial at Daphne. How was it? Dying to go.**

You should go. The Biologique Recherche facials are also incredible

**Biologique is, sadly for my bank account, just what works so well for my skin. I use P50 and also Masque Vivant.**

I don't even know what that is.



**Biologique Recherche Lotion P50**

\$22 at Rescue Spa

**It's the mask that's brown, smells like trash, looks like actual feces. Actually, could you take me through your morning skin-care routine?**  
It's so simple. I can't do that many things, otherwise my makeup pills and I hate that. I do Bioderma micellar water if I haven't washed my face before I go to bed.