Cosmetology
Diploma Program
CO12

Curriculum

Basic Skills – Total of 8 Hours
- ENGL 1010 Fundamentals of English I (3)
- EMPL 1000 Interpersonal Relations (2)
- MATH 1012 Foundations of Mathematics (3)

Program-Specific Core – Total of 47 Hours
- COMP 1000 Introduction to Computers (3)
- COSM 1000 Intro to Cosmetology Theory (4)
- COSM 1010 Chemical Texture Services (3)
- COSM 1020 Hair Care & Treatment (3)
- COSM 1030 Haircutting (3)
- COSM 1040 Styling (3)
- COSM 1050 Hair Color (3)
- COSM 1060 Fundamentals of Skin Care (3)
- COSM 1070 Nail Care & Adv. Techniques (3)
- COSM 1080 Physical Hair Services Practicum (3)
- COSM 1090 Hair Services Practicum I (3)
- COSM 1100 Hair Services Practicum II (3)
- COSM 1110 Hair Services Practicum III (3)
- COSM 1115 Hair Services Practicum IV (2)
- COSM 1120 Salon Management (3)
- COSM 1125 Skin & Nail Care Practicum (2)

Total: 55 Hours
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**Program Description**
The Cosmetology program is a sequence of courses that prepares students for careers in the field of cosmetology. Learning opportunities develop academic and professional knowledge and skills required for job acquisition, retention, and advancement. The program emphasizes specialized training in safety, sanitation, state laws, rules and regulations, chemistry, anatomy and physiology, skin, hair, and nail diseases and disorders, hair treatments and manipulations, hair shaping, hair styling, artificial hair, braiding/intertwining hair, chemical reformation and application, skin and nail care, hair coloring, hair lightening, reception, sales, management, math, reading, writing, interpersonal relations development, computer skills, employability skills, and work ethics. The curriculum meets state licensing requirements of the State Board of Cosmetology. Program graduates receive a Cosmetology diploma and are employable as a cosmetology salesperson, cosmetologist, salon manager, or a salon owner.

**Program Specific Information**
Students are accepted every semester for basic skills courses based on course and space availability. Students must complete all Learning Support courses before admittance into occupational courses. Students must complete ALL COSM COURSES with a grade of C or higher in order to graduate. Students must be 17 years of age to sit for the State Board of Cosmetology licensing exam. **PLEASE NOTE:** Students must choose either the day or evening program. Day and evening classes cannot be combined.

**Program Length & Availability**
5 Semesters
Campus Availability: Oakwood, Dawson

**Admissions Requirements**
- Must be 16 years of age.
- High school diploma or GED is required prior to admission. *(Official transcripts or GED scores must be submitted from all colleges and/or high schools attended for credit.)*
- ACCUPLACER Testing, or submit SAT, ACT, CPE, COMPASS, or ASSET test scores.

**Financial Aid**
This program is eligible for the Pell Grant and may be eligible for Institutional and State Financial Aid. Contact a Financial Aid Counselor for eligibility requirements and application materials.

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