

Cosmetology

Course Description:

The Cosmetology program is a two year program designed to prepare students to qualify and successfully complete all requirements for a South Carolina Cosmetology license. Students receive training that follows the guidelines and regulations established by the South Carolina Labor, Licensing, and Regulation Cosmetology Board. The course of study includes Sanitation and Safety, Professionalism and Salon Management, Sciences of Cosmetology, Professional Hair Care Skills, Professional Nail Care Skills, Professional Skin Care Skills, and Unassigned Specific Needs. Instruction in chemistry, bacteriology, anatomy, and physiology of the face, head, arms, and hands is incorporated by means of theory and practical application on both mannequins and live models.

Employment Opportunities:

Careers requiring specialized training:

Beauty business consultant, beauty care marketing, beauty product designer, hair stylist, make-up artist, manufacturer sales representative, salon coordinator, shampooer

Careers requiring specialized licensure:

Fashion show stylist, hair color specialist, hair care specialist, photo and movie stylist, registered cosmetologist, salon chain manager, skin care specialist, entrepreneur

Careers requiring training beyond/additional specialized licensure:

Beauty magazine writer or editor, cosmetology instructor, cosmetology school owner, director of education, platform artist and educator, research chemist, salon computer expert, trade show director