

COSMETOLOGY

Strom Thurmond Career & Technology Center

The Cosmetology Industry

Cosmetology is simply a blanket term for the study of any and all aesthetic and beauty fields. Cosmetology careers specialize in areas such as hair, nails, makeup or skincare. Some of these fields can be combined or further specialized. Essentially, cosmetology refers to the study of beauty and appearance

Minnesota School of Cosmetology

Program Details

Participating in the Cosmetology Program at the Career Center is a three year commitment beginning in the 10th grade.

Students will take 5 courses totaling 9 units.

Intro to Cosmetology

Level 1 = Cosmetology 1 & 2

Level 2 = Cosmetology 3 & 4



Cosmetology Level 1 is a unique and innovative course, teaching the latest technology in trichology, salon business, infection control, and intro to nails. The course includes both classroom and salon instruction in all phases of beauty culture. Students will learn to cut and style hair, perform a chemical texture service, color hair to meet the client's expectations, and add in hair additives.

Level 2 builds on the previous year's courses. It includes both classroom and salon instruction in all phases of the beauty industry. Students will learn anatomy, dermatology, facial treatments, and nail enhancement. Students will provide services to handicapped individuals, retirement home residents and clients in the community. At the end of Level 2, students will take the SC Board of Cosmetology Exam.



CAREERS IN COSMETOLOGY

- Hairstylist
- Nail technician
- Salon or spa manager
- Wedding and event stylist
- Barber
- Beautician
- Makeup artist
- Esthetician

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ALL 50 STATES
REQUIRE A
LICENSE TO
PRACTICE
COSMETOLOGY



13%

GROWTH IN
PROJECTED
JOBS IN THE
NEXT 10 YEARS



\$382B

ESTIMATED
ANNUAL WORTH
OF THE
COSMETOLOGY
INDUSTRY



\$18

AVERAGE
HOURLY
PAY



SC Board of Cosmetology Exam

Individuals interested in becoming a Cosmetologist or cosmetology-related professional by examination are required to take and pass a two-part examination for licensure in South Carolina (theory and practical).

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
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