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## **District 205 to Host the Grand Opening of Studio 205**

*Thornton Township High School District 205  
Unveils Studio 205 Barbering and Cosmetology Program*

South Holland, IL – April 23, 2024 – Thornton Township High School District 205 proudly announces the official launch of Studio 205, an innovative vocational program designed to empower students with skills and opportunities in the thriving beauty industry. The ribbon cutting ceremony for the barbering and cosmetology program will take place at 6 p.m. Thursday, May 9, 2024, at Thornridge High School, 15100 Cottage Grove Avenue, Dolton, IL.

Studio 205 Barbering and Cosmetology marks a significant milestone in District 205's commitment to providing students with comprehensive educational experiences that prepare them for successful futures. This state-of-the-art program offers hands-on training and an industry-relevant curriculum, positioning students for lucrative careers in barbering and cosmetology.

The ribbon cutting ceremony, a momentous occasion in the history of District 205, will commence at 6:00 p.m. in the PE Commons of Thornridge High School. This will be followed by a procession to Studio 205 and the barbering and cosmetology classrooms. Attendees can look forward to engaging remarks from district officials, educators, and esteemed industry professionals, and an exclusive tour of Studio 205's state-of-the-art facilities.

"We are thrilled to introduce Studio 205, a dynamic barbering and cosmetology program that reflects our commitment to equipping students with the skills and knowledge needed to excel in the beauty industry," said Dr. Nathaniel Cunningham, Jr., Superintendent of Thornton Township High School District 205. "Studio 205 represents a pivotal opportunity for our students to pursue rewarding careers and make meaningful contributions to the field of cosmetology."

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Join Thornton Township High School District 205 as we celebrate the launch of Studio 205 Barbering and Cosmetology, shaping our students' future and igniting their passion for success in the beauty industry.

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**About Thornton Township High School District 205:** Thornton Township High School District 205, located in South Holland, Illinois, is a leading educational institution dedicated to providing exceptional education and fostering a supportive student environment. District 205 schools, Thornridge, Thornton, and Thornwood, are committed to empowering minds, inspiring futures, and preparing students for college, career readiness, and lifelong learning. For more information about Thornton Township High School District 205, please visit [www.district205.net](http://www.district205.net).