

# Cosmetology

## Post-Secondary Opportunities Information

### POST-SECONDARY OPPORTUNITIES

- Prior Learning Assessment (PLA) credits provide a seamless pathway to an Associate Applied Science (AAS) in Beauty and Wellness at Mesa or Gateway Community College and a Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies (BIS) in Strategic Leadership at NAU  
<https://nau.edu/statewide-campuses/90-30-degree-completion-programs/>
- ASU Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) Degree options

### COURSES AND CREDITS

#### Cosmetology is available at Northwest Campus and at GateWay Community College @ Deer Valley Campus

- Completion of the West-MEC Cosmetology program and the Cosmetology certification, will grant 30 college credits (at no cost), upon acceptance and enrollment into the following degree program:
  - <https://www.maricopa.edu/degrees-certificates/business-entrepreneurialism-management/beauty-wellness-3209-aas>
  - Contact: [dariyea.hollins@gatewaycc.edu](mailto:dariyea.hollins@gatewaycc.edu)

### COST REQUIREMENTS

- No cost for this PLA opportunity

### ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

- High School students are advised to research this post-secondary option, discuss it with their counselor(s), and consider taking Dual Enrollment academic courses as published in the degree map.
- In a post-secondary setting, students are responsible for learning the policies of the institution to ensure that credits transfer to fulfill specific degree requirements. Visit [www.aztransfer.com](http://www.aztransfer.com) for Arizona colleges and universities.

