

◆ COSMETOLOGY COURSE (1250 HOURS) ◆

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The educational objective of the Cosmetology Course at the Sharon Hill and Aston Campuses is to provide a balanced program of instruction to those students interested in career preparation and personal development. The ever-changing demands of employers and the personal needs of the student body require Venus Beauty Academy to continue upgrading and adapting the programs of study. Successful completion of the 1250 hours Cosmetology Course will provide graduates with the basis for professional growth and employment in the many areas of the Cosmetology Field and a greater sense of community awareness and social responsibility.

CURRICULUM	SUBJECT HOURS	TOTAL HOURS
<i>Professional Practices</i>		18
Orientation	5	
Cosmetology: The History & Opportunities	3	
Life Skills	3	
Your Professional Image	3	
Communicating for Success	4	
<i>Sciences</i>		107
Infection Control: Principles & Practice	10	
Anatomy & Physiology	18	
Basics of Chemistry & Electricity	40	
Properties of the Hair & Scalp	39	
<i>Cosmetology Skills – Cognitive & Manipulative</i>		1125
Principles of Hair Design	8	
Shampooing, Rinsing, & Conditioning	49	
Haircutting	129	
Hairstyling	225	
Braiding & Braid Extensions	53	
Wigs & Hair Enhancements	40	
Chemical Texture Services	205	
Haircoloring	159	
History of the Skin	10	
Hair Removal	9	
Facials	57	
Facial Makeup	14	
Nail Structure & Growth	10	
Manicuring & Pedicuring	40	
Advanced Nail Techniques	30	
The Salon Business	26	
Seeking Employment	8	
On The Job	8	
Pennsylvania State Laws	45	
TOTAL HOURS		1250

Opportunities for Employment

Hairstylist, Colorist, Permanent Wave Specialist, Product Demonstrator, Platform Artist, Manufacturer Representative, Scalp and Hair Specialist, Esthetician, Hair Braider, Nail Technician, etc.

Teaching Methods Include

Lectures, Demonstration, Practical Work, Videos, Role-Playing, Games, and Timed Drills.

Each student receives a set of books, Pennsylvania State Laws, and course handouts. Instructors record the grade the students earn in each exercise, lesson drill, and subject exam. Students also take comprehensive exams at various intervals during their training. In addition to their workbook exercises, students are graded on other factors such as attendance, appearance, and attitude. Instructors periodically discuss the student's progress with them.