

HUMAN SERVICES

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Instructor**

INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS

- ✂ Virginia State Board Cosmetology License
- ✂ Cosmetology
- ✂ Cosmetology (NOCTI)
- ✂ Cosmetology (SkillsUSA)
- ✂ Customer Service
- ✂ National Career Readiness
- ✂ Workplace Readiness Skills for the Commonwealth

POSSIBLE CAREER PATHWAYS

- ✂ Hairstylist
- ✂ Make-Up Artist
- ✂ Cosmetology Instructor
- ✂ Sales/Retail Representative
- ✂ Cosmetic Chemist
- ✂ Business Owner

COLLEGE AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Know How Virginia
www.knowhowvirginia.org/
- Tidewater Community College
www.tcc.edu/
- College Board
www.collegeboard.com/
- Virginia Career View
www.vaview.vt.edu/
- SkillsUSA www.skillsusa.org/
- Virginia Department of Professional and Occupational
<http://www.dpor.virginia.gov/Boards/BarberCosmo/>
- Bryant and Stratton College
www.bryantstratton.edu/

STARTING SALARY

\$11.17-\$17.40 per hour

Earning may vary by specialty

Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, *Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2016-17 Edition*, Barbers, Hairdressers, and Cosmetologists, on the Internet at <http://www.bls.gov/ooh/personal-care-and-service/barbers-hairdressers-and-cosmetologists.htm>

**The Cosmetology course participates in the SkillsUSA co-curricular club.



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Cosmetology is a two-year course designed to provide the skills and related theory necessary for students to meet the requirements for licensure as cosmetologists and employment in related occupations. Emphasis is placed on safety and sanitation procedures, bacteriology, ethics, and the basic skills associated with hairstyling techniques. Internships are available for second year students at various salon locations.

PROGRAM CONTENTS/SKILLS

- Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Personal Qualities and People Skills
- Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Professional Knowledge and Skills
- Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Technology Knowledge and Skills
- Examining All Aspects of an Industry
- Addressing Elements of Student Life
- Demonstrating Safety, Sanitation, and Disease Control
- Maintaining, Sanitizing, and Disinfecting Implements, Equipment, and Facilities
- Exhibiting Professionalism and Workplace Ethics
- Introducing Cosmetology
- Gathering Client's History
- Shampooing and Conditioning Hair
- Cutting Hair
- Styling Hair
- Introducing Chemical Texture Service Procedures
- Caring for Skin, Hands, and Feet
- Performing a Permanent Wave
- Performing Chemical Relaxing
- Performing Soft Curl Permanent
- Lightening and Coloring Hair
- Performing Artistry of Wigs and Hair Additions
- Caring for Skin, Hands, and Feet
- Managing the Salon