

Cosmetology



Program Description:

Cosmetology AAS degree seeking students will receive cosmetology training providing skills and knowledge for entry level employment as a Cosmetologist. Courses include Orientation, Fundamentals, Artistry of Hair, Hair Color Theory and Chemistry, Chemical Reformation, Nail Technology, Skin/Facial Theory, Barber Styling, and Preparation for State Licensing Examination.

What will I learn?

Students will receive an overview of the skills and knowledge necessary for the field of Cosmetology. Basic fundamentals of cosmetology include safety and sanitation, service preparation, nail care, skin care, chemical services, shampoo, haircut, wet styling, and comb out.

Students will be introduced to the basic theory and chemistry of hair color, including law of color, terminology, and chemical composition of hair color products. Students will be introduced to principles of nail technology, including anatomy and physiology, theory, and skills related to nail technology.

Students will be able to apply critical thinking skills to a variety of situations and problems while working independently and in teams in a highly skilled and challenging profession. Using empirical and quantitative skills, students will meet challenges in the rapidly growing high-tech sector of the profession. This exciting profession offers career pathways in all the areas of Cosmetology and prepares students for entry into this lucrative field. The diversity of job opportunities allows students to adapt their intrinsic social and personal responsibility ideals into a profession with unlimited advancement potential.

Students will develop skills to pass the State Board Exam. Students will develop knowledge of the Cosmetology Industry and be encouraged to critically think about the global impact of the Cosmetology industry. Students will engage in projects to develop their communication and quantitative thinking as applied to industry, standard practices, and procedures. Students will review and discuss social responsibility of the industry as it pertains to the environment, employees, safety, sanitation practice, and personal responsibility.

Student training will include:

- Professional Ethics
- Goal Setting
- Salon Operations
- Record-Keeping
- Identification of fundamental concepts related to skills required by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulations (TDLR)
- Demonstration of required skills as per TDLR Standards

How long will it take?

Graduates from the program will receive a Level I Certificate of Achievement upon satisfactory completion of all courses and a mock exam (in the classroom practice exam) with a grade of 70 or higher. Capstone will be administered upon completion of 1,275 clock hours as required by TDLR. The Cosmetology Level I Certificate includes 38 credit hours, Barber Level I Certificate includes 20 credit hours, Esthetician Level I Certificate includes 21 credit hours, Manicurist Level I includes credit 17 hours, and 60 credit hours for the AAS Degree.

Upon successful completion of the entire program, with instructor recommendation, students will qualify to take the State Exam given by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation/PSI Services. Students are required to pass the written and practical examination to receive a state license to practice. Coastal Bend College capstone is the TDLR written exam and the practical exam must be passed with a 70 or above for the student to exit the program.

How much will it cost?

In addition to tuition and fees, students may pay a lab fee for courses requiring labs. This fee is based on materials, consumables, and supplies required for the particular lab. Lab fees may vary due to an individual's ability and materials required by the course labs. Lab fees for particular courses are listed in core syllabi and based on the average student completing the course. Contact program faculty for more information on lab fees.

What is the job market?

For recent job information such as median salary ranges, job growth/outlook, and job/career opportunities in this field, visit the Workforce Solutions of the Coastal Bend Center at the Beeville, Alice, and Kingsville locations or the Workforce Solutions Alamo Center at the Pleasanton site.

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Student ID _____

Catalog Year _____

Associate of Applied Science in Cosmetology Degree Plan

Freshman Year

First Semester				Second Semester			
COURSES	CR	GR	YR	COURSES	CR	GR	YR
*EDUC 1300 Learning Framework (My Cougar Course)	3			CSME 1445 Principles of Facial and Skin Care Technology II	4		
CSME 1551 Artistry of Hair, Theory and Practice	5			CSME 1453 Chemical Reformation and Related Theory	4		
CSME 1401 Orientation to Cosmetology	4			CSME 1447 Principles of Skin Care/Facials and Related Theory	4		
CSME 1405 Fundamentals of Cosmetology	4			CSME 1330 Orientation to Nail Technology	3		
CSME 2204 Introduction to the Theory and Chemistry of Hair Color	2						
Total hours	18			Total hours	15		

First Summer Session

COURSES	CR	GR	YR
BARB 1402 Barber Styling I	4		
CSME 2441 Preparation for the State Licensing Examination	4		
Total hours	8		

Sophomore Year

First Semester				Second Semester			
COURSES	CR	GR	YR	COURSES	CR	GR	YR
BIOL 1106 Biology for Science Majors I {lab}	1			Elective	3		
ENGL 1301 Composition I	3			Humanities and Fine Arts	3		
BIOL 1306 Biology for Science Majors I {lecture}	3						
**BCIS 1305 Business Computer Applications	3						
Social and Behavioral Science	3						
Total hours	13			Total hours	6		

Degree plan valid for 5 years from the semester that student signs dedicated schedule and enrolls in courses.

*EDUC 1300 is required for all first-time in College Students attending Coastal Bend College.

**BCIS is required for all college students, a test out option of 70% in computer literacy is available.

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Cosmetology Level I Certificate

Freshman Year

First Semester

Second Semester

COURSES	CR	GR	YR	COURSES	CR	GR	YR
CSME 1551 Artistry of Hair, Theory and Practice	5			CSME 1453 Chemical Reformation and Related Theory	4		
CSME 2204 Introduction to the Theory and Chemistry of Hair Color	2			CSME 1330 Orientation to Nail Technology	3		
CSME 1401 Orientation to Cosmetology	4			CSME 1447 Principles of Skin Care/Facials and Related Theory	4		
CSME 1405 Fundamentals of Cosmetology	4			CSME 2430 Nail Enhancement	4		
CSME 1445 Principles of Facial & Skin Care II	4						
Total hours	19			Total hours	15		

First Summer Session

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CSME 2441 Preparation for the State Licensing Examination	4		
Total hours	4		

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Cosmetology Barber Level I Certificate

Freshman Year

Prerequisite Semester

COURSES	CR	GR	YR
CSME 2441 Preparation for the State Licensing Examination	4		
Total hours	4		

First Summer Session

Second Summer Session

COURSES	CR	GR	YR	COURSES	CR	GR	YR
BARB 1402 Barber Styling I	4			BARB 2402 Barber Styling III	4		
BARB 1442 Barber Styling II	4			CSME 2410 Advanced Haircutting and Related Theory	4		
Total hours	8			Total hours	8		

Degree plan valid for 5 years from the semester that student signs dedicated schedule and enrolls in courses.

Must successfully pass state written and practical exams to receive credit for CSME 2441.

Must hold current state operator license to enroll in CSME 2410, BARB 1402, BARB 1442, and BARB 2402.

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Esthetician Level I Certificate

Freshman Year

First Semester

Second Semester

COURSES	CR	GR	YR	COURSES	CR	GR	YR
CSME 1420 Orientation to Facial Specialist	4			CSME 1445 Principles of Facial and Skin Care Technology II	4		
CSME 1447 Principles of Skin Care/Facials and Related Theory	4			CSME 2431 Principles of Facial and Skin Care Technology III	4		
CSME 1521 Principles and Skin Care Technology I	5						
Total hours	13			Total hours	8		

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Manicurist Level I Certificate

Freshman Year

First Semester				Second Semester			
COURSES	CR	GR	YR	COURSES	CR	GR	YR
CSME 1330 Orientation to Nail Technology	3			CSME 1541 Principles of Nail Technology II	5		
CSME 1531 Principles of Nail Technology I	5			CSME 2430 Nail Enhancement	4		
Total hours	8			Total hours	9		

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