Cosmetology

The Cosmetology curriculum is designed to provide competency-based knowledge, scientific/artistic principles, and hands-on fundamentals associated with the cosmetology industry. The curriculum provides a simulated salon environment which enables students to develop their skills.

Course work includes instruction in all phases of professional imaging, hair design, chemical processes, skin care, nail care, multi-cultural practices, business/computer principles, product knowledge, and other selected topics.

Graduates should qualify to sit for the State Board of Cosmetic Arts examination. Upon successfully passing the State Board exam, graduates will be issued a license. Employment is available in beauty salons and related businesses.

Graduation requires the listed courses, Haywood Community College Cosmetic Art Competencies, North Carolina State Board of Cosmetic Arts requirements, 1500 clinical hours and have a 2.0 GPA or higher before making application to take the licensing exam.

Associate in Applied Science Degree (AAS) Cosmetology (A55140)

Fall Semester 1		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
ACA-115	Success and Study Skills	0	2	0	1
COS-111	Cosmetology Concepts I	4	0	0	4
COS-112	Salon I	0	24	0	8
COS-260	Design Applications	1	3	0	2
				Total:	15

Spring Semester 1		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
COS-113	Cosmetology Concepts II	4	0	0	4
COS-114	Salon II	0	24	0	8
COS-223	Contemp Hair Coloring	1	3	0	2
ENG 110	Freshman Composition	3	0	0	3
				Total:	17

Summer Semester 1		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
BIO-111	General Biology I	3	3	0	4
or BIO-160	Introduction to Life Science	2	2	0	3
	Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	0	0	3
				Total:	6-7

Fall Semester 2		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
BUS-230	Small Business Management	3	0	0	3
COS-115	Cosmetology Concepts III	4	0	0	4
COS-116	Salon III	0	12	0	4
COS-240	Contemporary Design	1	3	0	2
				Total:	13

Spring Semester 2		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
COM-120	Intro to Interpersonal Communication	3	0	0	3
or COM-231	Public Speaking	3	0	0	3
COS-117	Cosmetology Concepts IV	2	0	0	2
COS-118	Salon IV	0	21	0	7
	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	0	0	3
				Total:	15

Total Credit Hours: 66-67

Diploma in Cosmetology (D55140)

Fall Semester 1		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
COS-111	Cosmetology Concepts I	4	0	0	4
COS-112	Salon I	0	24	0	8
				Total:	12

Spring Semester 1		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
COS-113	Cosmetology Concepts II	4	0	0	4
COS-114	Salon II	0	24	0	8
				Total:	12

Fall Semester 2		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
COS-115	Cosmetology Concepts III	4	0	0	4
COS-116	Salon III	0	12	0	4
	Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	0	0	3
				Total:	11

Spring Semester 2		Lec	Lab	Clinic	Credit
COM-120	Intro to Interpersonal Communication	3	0	0	3
or COM-231	Public Speaking	3	0	0	3
or ENG 110	Freshman Composition	3	0	0	3
COS-117	Cosmetology Concepts IV	2	0	0	2
COS-118	Salon IV	0	21	0	7
				Total:	12

Total Credit Hours: 47