

Cosmetology



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Admission Requirements

Progression: To meet graduation requirements for this program, students must successfully complete the specified courses listed below with a "C" average (GPA of 2.00) or better. A grade of "C" or higher is required in each COV course to progress in the program.

Minimum admission requirements (in addition to general admission requirements):

Attain an ACT composite score of 14 and a math subscore of 14;

Or

Score a 51 or higher on the ACCUPLACER Reading Section and a 35 or above on the Arithmetic Section;

Or

Earn a grade of "C" in English Composition I (ENG 1113);

Or

Complete 15 semester hours of general education courses with a "C" average (CGPA of 2.0) or above at an accredited college or university. Developmental coursework does not satisfy this requirement;

And

Have either a high school diploma or GED;

And

Attend a Cosmetology Informational Session.

Students in MCC's Cosmetology Program must attend MCC full-time (12 or more semester credit hours).

Ability to benefit does not apply to the Cosmetology Program; the student must have either a high school diploma or GED upon enrollment.

NOTE: In order for a student to progress in MCC's Cosmetology Program, the student must earn a grade of "C" or better on each COV course. A minimum passing grade of 79 percent is required in each Cosmetology Program course to graduate.

Course of Study

FALL SEMESTER		Hours
COV 1122	Cosmetology Orientation	2
COV 1245	Cosmetology Sciences I	5
COV 1426	Hair Care I	6
COV 1622	Skin Care I	2
COV 1522	Nail Care I	2
Semester Hours		17
Spring Semester		
COV 1255	Cosmetology Sciences II	5
COV 1436	Hair Care II	6
COV 1632	Skin Care II	2
COV 1532	Nail Care II	2
COV 1722	Salon Business I	2
Semester Hours		17
Summer Semester		
COV 1263	Cosmetology Sciences III	3
COV 1443	Hair Care III	3
COV 1642	Skin Care III	2
COV 1542	Nail Care III	2
COV 1732	Salon Business II	2
Semester Hours		12
Total Semester Hours		46

Admission Requirements

Teacher Training

Progression: To meet graduation requirements for this program, students must successfully complete the specified courses listed below with a "C" average (GPA of 2.00) or better. A grade of "C" or higher is required in each COV course to progress in the program.

Minimum admission requirements (in addition to general admission requirements):

Attain an ACT composite score of 14 and a math subscore of 14;

Or

Score a 51 or above on the ACCUPLACER Reading Section and 35 or above on the Arithmetic Section;

And

Complete 6 semester hours of general education courses with a "C" average (CGPA of 2.0) or above at an accredited college or university. This coursework must be preapproved by the Program Coordinator.

Developmental coursework does not satisfy this requirement;

And

Students must have either a high school diploma or GED;

And

A current Cosmetology license;

And

The student must be at least 20 years old;

And

Attend a Cosmetology Teacher Training Informational Session with the MCC Cosmetology Program Director.

Ability to benefit does not apply to the Cosmetology Student Instructor program; the student must have either a high school diploma or GED.

NOTE: In order for a student to progress in MCC's Cosmetology Student Instructor program, the student must earn a grade of "C" or better on each COV course. A minimum passing grade of 79 percent is required in each Cosmetology Program course.

Course of Study

Teacher Training

COV 2816	Cosmetology Teacher Training I	6
COV 2826	Cosmetology Teacher Training II	6
COV 2836	Cosmetology Teacher Training III	6
COV 2846	Cosmetology Teacher Training IV	6
	Semester Hours	24

Admission Requirements

Nail Technician

This instructional program prepares students to care for nails with emphasis on hygiene, sanitation, customer relations, and salon management.

The curriculum is designed to comply with the standards on the Mississippi State Board of Cosmetology. Each student is required to complete a total of 350 clock hours in classroom theory and supervised skill preparation and clinic work. Upon successful completion of the program, the student will receive a certificate and will be eligible to take the State Board of Cosmetology Manicure/Nail Technician certification exam.

Minimum admission requirements (in addition to general admission requirements):

Attain an ACT composite score of 14 and a math subscore of 14;

Or

Score a 51 or above on the ACCUPLACER Reading Section and a 35 or above on the Arithmetic Section;

Or

Earn a grade of "C" in English Composition I (ENG 1113);

Or

Complete 15 semester hours of general education courses with a "C" average (GPA of 2.0) or above at an accredited college or university. Developmental coursework does not satisfy this requirement;

And

Have either a high school diploma or GED;

And

Attend a Cosmetology Informational Session.

The ability to benefit does not apply to the Nail Technician Program; the student must have either a high school diploma or GED upon enrollment.

Course of Study

Nail Technician

COV 1122	Cosmetology Orientation	2
COV 1245	Cosmetology Sciences I	5
COV 1622	Skin Care I	2
COV 1522	Nail Care I	2
COV 1722	Salon Business	2
	Semester Hours	13