

OVERVIEW

Cosmetology is a two year program for sophomores and juniors, it is designed to qualify the students for licensing through the Indiana State Board of Cosmetology. The instructional program includes classroom training and clinical experience in a salon setting. Along with the skills training, the program emphasizes hygiene, sanitation, and sterilization.



YOU WILL LEARN

- Professionalism
- Science
- Hair Care, Skin Care & Nail Care

A TYPICAL STUDENT

The typical student is creative and enjoys hands-on projects. Students who enroll in cosmetology are comfortable working with people and they enjoy serving others. Students are comfortable working independently on projects, working as a team, and working to help each other. They also love working with hair, nails, skin and making money!

GET YOURSELF READY

To be prepared, focus on art, English, Science and Communication. Develop your communication skills, and do well in all academic classes. The following courses will help prepare students for the Cosmetology program, college, and a career in the cosmetology industry:

- Art
- Science
- Speech
- English





POTENTIAL CAREERS

Cosmetologist
\$28,000

Manicurist
\$20,000

Permanent Makeup Artist
\$50,000

Nail Tech
\$20,000

Teacher
\$50,000

All career and salary information is cited from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.



YEAR ONE

Cosmetology I and II is where you learn the basics of hair design and the history of the cosmetology industry. Daily attendance is necessary to complete the required 540 hours to qualify for the second year in the cosmetology program.

Vincennes University College Dual Credits		
COSM 100	Cosmetology I	3 credits
COSM 150	Cosmetology II	3 credits



YEAR TWO

Second-year students have the opportunity to work on more advanced techniques and focus on our local clients.

Industry Certifications
State Cosmetology License

Vincennes University College Dual Credits		
COSM 200		3 credits
COSM 250		3 credits



WHEN YOU FINISH

Students go on to gain employment in the cosmetology industry, with your license you will be able to make professional money right out of high school and work the hours you choose! This Career could pay \$100.00 or up to \$1000.00 weekly, depending on your skills. This program can take you to college, the military, or owning your own business in the cosmetology industry! This is not just a job, it is a CAREER! Your future will be secure with the education you received here at the Gary Area Career Center.



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