

Attitude – Respect – Responsibility

Cosmetology

Syllabus

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Welcome

Auburn Career Center's Mission

Our mission is to guarantee that all students empower themselves, excel in the emerging workplace, and enrich their community.

Auburn Career Center's Core Values

We believe that:

- People are personally responsible for their choices and actions
- Treating people with dignity and respect will enhance learning
- Attitude and goals drive achievement
- All people can learn
- All people can make positive contributions
- Change is exciting and essential for growth

Course Details

Credits

Students can receive three credits for the cosmetology program both junior and senior year for a total of six credits.

Kent State has partnered up with the Cosmetology program to offer **30** free credit hours to any student that completes the Cosmetology program, gets their Cosmetology license, and enrolls at Kent to pursue a business degree. A representative from Kent will come in to talk to students and provide more information about this amazing opportunity.

Course Materials

Cosmetology smock/uniform:	\$55 - \$61.00			
Junior Cosmetology Kit: required to purchase (includes 2 mannequins)	\$281.86			
Senior Cosmetology Kit: optional purchase	\$438.22			
(includes everything needed to take the State Board exam and begin your career in the salon)				
Class Fee each year\$25.00)			

All fees are due by October 31, 2024. Fees will be waived for students who qualify for free meals Accounts will be adjusted after the approval of free/reduced meal applications. However, kit items will need to be returned at the end of the program.

The Cosmetology program is a 1500 hour State mandated course overseen by the Ohio State Board of Cosmetology. All students must meet the 1500 hour requirement before they can apply to take their State Board exam at the end of their second year. Therefore, attendance is crucial to be successful in this program. Any student who does not meet the 1500 hour requirement by the end of their second year will not be eligible to take their State Board exam and would have to attend a private school to make up hours. Absences are limited to 15 days for the two years before hours need to be made up. Any first year students with excessive absences may be asked to return to their associate schools and not return to the Cosmetology program for their second year.

Course Requirements

To participate and meet all requirements for the Cosmetology program the students must take a math, English and science **while enrolled** in the Cosmetology program. The science course must be from one of the following:

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Chemistry

Biology

For students to be eligible to participate in the summer internship program, they need to receive 3 credits from any combination of the required math, English or science classes by the end of their junior year.

Internship

Students are required to complete a 150 hour unpaid internship at a salon of their choice while enrolled in the Cosmetology program. The internship will be done in the summer between their first and second year in the program. To be eligible to do the internship during the summer, students must take their required science class in their first year in the program. Anyone that takes their science during the second year of the program will have to wait until school starts up in the fall to begin their internship.

Social Security Number

The Ohio State Board of Cosmetology requires that everyone <u>MUST</u> have a social security number in order to take their State Board Exam.

Program Scope

Auburn's Cosmetology program is designed to prepare students to enter the Cosmetology profession after taking and passing the Ohio State Board of Cosmetology licensing exam and receiving their Cosmetology license. During the next two years students will embark on an exciting educational experience that will lead them to a very rewarding career in the Cosmetology industry.

Each day the students are expected to come to school prepared with their textbook, workbook, binders and something to write with. We will begin the day with a 45 minute related class where we will study the technical/written part of the program. After the related portion of instruction, students will move into the lab where we will do demonstrations and hands on work. Students will work on mannequins until they have mastered a technique. Once mastered, they may work on each other under the supervision of the instructor.

All students are required to participate in partner work in the lab. We will be doing shampooing, hairstyling, manicures, pedicures, facials and other various procedures on partners. Students are not required to receive permanent procedures such as perming, relaxing or haircoloring unless permission is given from a parent/guardian.

First Year Sequence

These will be presented and learned the junior year but may not be presented in this order:

- Auburn Hand Book worksheets
- Cosmetology Syllabus review and test
- Lab safety, dispensary operations and electrical safety (must pass with a 100%)
- Salon sanitation
- French Braiding (reverse braid, 2 strand braid)
- Client/mannequin draping
- Scalp massage/brushing the hair
- Shampooing and conditioning
- Blow dry styling
- Thermal styling (curling iron, straighteners)
- Hand and arm massage
- Manicures

- Nail art
- Paraffin dip
- Pedicures
- Facial movements
- Roller bases and styling
- Up-do's
- 0 degree haircut
- Perm wrapping
- Pin curls
- Fingerwaves
- Hair styling project (performed on mannequin)
- 45 degree haircut
- SkillsUSA Competitions

- Cap highlighting
- Semi-permanent/demi- permanent/permanent hair color
- 90 degree haircut
- Virgin/retouch color applications
- Waxing procedures

Second Year Sequence

- Senior year we will build on the knowledge gained junior year by adding advanced techniques in cutting, chemical texturizing and hair color procedures
- Running a salon: salon client work (salon opens early September and runs through May)
- State Board procedures
- "Makeover" project (hairstyle, makeup)
- Skills USA Competitions

- Chemical hair relaxing procedures
- Foil highlighting (weaving, slicing and chunking)
- Men's haircutting
- Clipper cutting
- Acrylic nail application
- Internship (summer after junior year or during senior year)
- Facial packs and masks
- Face shapes and makeup techniques
- Create a Career Portfolio
- Mock State Board testing
- Prepare for State Board Exam
- Employability/preparing for life after school

Instructional Philosophy

The highest degree of quality is always expected in all areas of the Cosmetology curriculum's competencies. Students are expected to have pride in their work and accomplishments. Students will practice and pass each hands-on skill with no less than a 75% score before working on clients. The Cosmetology curriculum is cumulative and requires students to use previous knowledge and apply it to other parts of the curriculum or build on the previous lesson(s). If students do not learn, study, and/or understand a lesson, the following lesson(s) will become more difficult. Also, if students are absent and do not receive the necessary instruction they will fall behind rather quickly.

There are over 400 competencies the students must learn and master, as well as the related portion of the curriculum. Therefore, because of the large curriculum and the time constraints, we strongly encourage students to form study groups, have a study partner, and/or make flash cards so others may help them study. Daily attendance is critical to your success in the program.

Assessment Plan

<u>Performance standards are determined by industry and the Ohio State Board of Cosmetology, and instructors. Grading for this course reflects these standards.</u>

To pass the Ohio State Board of Cosmetology Exam students must score **75% or higher** on all competencies. The Ohio State Board of Cosmetology wants the cosmetology program grading scale to reflect exactly how a student would perform at the licensing testing. The failing grade at the state exam is 74%, therefore all grades need to be 75% and higher or the student may not pass the licensing exam.

Grading Policies

Although 74% is considered a failing grade at State Board, grades will be entered into our grade books using the standard Auburn grading scale. If a student scores less than a 75% on a test or competency they must redo that test or

competency until achieving a 75% or higher but <u>the initial grade received on the test or competency will be the one entered into the grade book.</u>

Course Assignments, Labs, and Projects

FIRST YEAR

- 1. A Theory binder is assembled throughout the year with notes, worksheets, and study guides for all chapters in our textbook.
- 2. A lab binder is assembled with procedure sheets, diagrams, and directions for all hands-on procedures
- 3. A lab hair styling project
- 4. Other various projects

SECOND YEAR

- 1. Students will continue to add to the existing binders that they began junior year
- 2. Internship binder with journal sheets documenting each hour of internship instruction and participation
- 3. A themed mannequin project where students will cut, color, style and create makeup on their mannequin to a theme of their choice; this project will be displayed at our open house
- 4. A cost of living project
- 5. Other various projects

Course Policies

Attendance

Auburn Career Center partners with over 11 different school districts. Each district's school calendar may not coincide with Auburn's school calendar. Because of the strict 1500 hour requirement, attendance is crucial. *If your associate* school does not have school but Auburn does, you are still required to be here to receive your hours.

Grades

Grades are due at the end of each nine-week grading period. The grading scale is as follows:

90 – 100	Α
80 – 89	В
70 – 79	С
60 – 69	D
59 and below	F

Final grades will be automatically calculated by Infinite Campus based on the students' percentage each grading period. **Each Quarter is worth 25% of a student's final grade.**

For example, compare the percentages for **STUDENT 1** & **STUDENT 2** and **STUDENT 3** & **STUDENT 4** (below) to see how the percentage, rather than the letter grade, impact the FINAL grade. Notice that the letter grades each quarter are identical but their percentages are not. The FINAL grade now rewards students who try their best to maximize their percentage earned each quarter.

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FINAL
STUDENT 1	90% (A)	87% (B)	82% (B)	91% (A)	<mark>87.5% (B)</mark>
STUDENT 2	94% (A)	88% (B)	87% (B)	92% (A)	90.25% (A)
STUDENT 3	60% (D)	70% (C)	80% (B)	90% (A)	<mark>75% (C)</mark>

STUDENT 4 65% (D) 75% (C) 85% (B) 95% (A) 80% (B)

EXCEPTIONS

One EXCEPTION TO THIS RULE is if a student receives THREE passing grades and ONE failing grade over the course of the school year, their grade can ONLY fall a maximum of ONE letter grade from their lowest passing grade of the quarter and cannot be below a D for the year. In these cases, you will need to OVERRIDE their precalculated grade in IC. Another EXCEPTION is if a student fails TWO quarters in the same school year. Per Auburn policy, that student fails for the year and will not be allowed to return to Auburn (as outlined in the Failure Policy Section below).

Below are two examples of the first rule exception. Notice that the **lowest NON-FAILING** grade for STUDENT 1 is a B (meaning their FINAL grade can't be lower than a C) & the **lowest NON-FAILING** grade for STUDENT 2 is a C (meaning their FINAL grade can't be lower than a D):

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FINAL
STUDENT 1	86% (B)	92% (A)	80% (B)	12% (F)	67.25% (D) = C
STUDENT 2	20% (F)	72% (C)	75% (C)	70% (C)	59.25% (F) = D

Weighted Gradebook

ACC 1st-Year Gradebook (including AM SR-Only):

- Assessments (Performance-Based & Traditional) 50%
- Employability (Standards-Based) 20%*
- HW/Classwork- 20%
- ACE Time 10%

ACC 2nd-Year Gradebook (including PM SR-Only):

- Assessments (Performance-Based & Traditional) 60%
- Employability (Standards-Based) 20%*
- HW/Classwork 20%

*See <u>APPENDIX A</u> for Employability Rubric (Standards-Based)

Standards-Based to Letter Grade - Conversion Chart

Employability - Standard-Based Conversion to Letter Grade / Percentage				
Level of Mastery	Reported Score	Letter Grade / Percentage		
Expert	4	A / 100%		
Proficient	3	B / 85%		
Developing	2	C / 70%		
Below Expectations	1	F / 55%		

^{*}Employability will be scored using a "Decaying Average" formula. The "Decaying Average" formula considers scores over time and recognizes that a recent score is more representative of the student's current mastery level and thus puts more weight on that score.

ACE Time - Achieving Career Excellence

- A.C.E. Time encompasses program-specific content, as well as, skills that apply to all career fields
- A.C.E. Time will provide first-year students (and AM Senior Only Students) the opportunity to add additional
 value and Industry-Recognized Credentials to their time at Auburn that will enhance a student's overall
 experience at Auburn.
- ACE Time activities will support and expand upon what student are learning in their program. Additionally, ACE
 Time will allow students to spend more of their classroom/lab time doing the work of their profession!

- We believe that ACE Time is an opportunity for all students to have high levels of engagement, gain needed employability skills, and, ultimately, have better learning outcomes to thrive in their pathway, program, and, eventually, their careers.
- Finally, A.C.E. Time will expose students to work-based learning experiences, credentialing opportunities, resume writing, e-portfolio building, leadership development, safety training, club activities, and more.

Incompletes

An incomplete may be given for those students who have excused absences. The student will have two (2) days for each day of excused absence to make up missed work, up to ten (10) days. There may be an alternative assignment in lieu of lab work. An incomplete grade issued on a report card may be changed to a letter grade if work is made up within ten (10) days. After ten (10) days, any work not made up receives zero (0) or partial credit if some work is turned in.

Failure Policy

- If a student fails quarters one and two of their first or second year, they cannot return to Auburn for the second semester.
- If a student fails two quarters in their first year, they cannot return for their second year.
- If a student fails the first and third quarter OR second and third quarter an intervention meeting will be held to determine option for the fourth quarter:
 - o Student can return back to his/her Associate High School.
 - Student can remain at Auburn for the fourth quarter with the opportunity to earn partial credit for the school year (must pass fourth quarter) but must be approved by the Associate High School.

Making Up Missed Work Due to Absence/Suspension

Students who have an excused or unexcused absence can make-up the work they missed for that absence. Students will have a minimum of 2 days to make-up work, for full credit, for each day they missed. It is the student's responsibility to check with each teacher the day the student returns from an absence to arrange to get course content or any missed assignments or tests and to establish due dates for missed assignments. Should a student miss the make-up deadline, it is up to the discretion of the teacher to determine the amount of credit awarded.

Students who have been suspended from school or referred to PBIS will have the opportunity to make-up academic/written work for full credit at Auburn Career Center. Students who are expelled from school may not make-up any work for credit during the time of the expulsion.

Due to the nature of authentic learning experiences and work created for a lab environment in career and technical education, it may not always be possible to recreate missed assignments for make-up when a student is absent (excused or unexcused) or suspended. The teacher will provide the lab assignment or an alternative assignment will be provided to subsidize for work missed during an absence or suspension at equal credit.

Visitor Regulations

All visitors must report to the receptionist upon arrival at Auburn and secure a visitor's pass. Students should continue their regular classroom and laboratory activities as visitors walk through the building unless instructed otherwise. Pride in appearance of the building and grounds should be a common concern of both students and teachers. Students from associate schools who wish to visit the school for a day, or a particular class will make their visiting arrangements for a personal visit through the Enrollment Specialists in the Career Development Department only. No student visitors are allowed in unless prior arrangements have been made.

- No staff or students should ever open doors for visitors or other students unless otherwise directed by the administration.
- All visitors must enter through the front doors only and check in for safety reasons.

Student Information:

Free & Reduced Lunch Form

Families can apply online for free or reduced-price meals by logging into your parent portal on Infinite Campus. After logging in, they should click on the "Application/Forms" link on the left side under "Family." Click here for a translated Free and Reduced Meals application.

Injuries

NON-EMERGENCY

The Receptionist should be contacted if someone is injured in your classroom; the office will contact Mr. Blauch/Mrs. Boehnlein to make arrangements for necessary care.

Emergency Response Procedures:

If there is an emergency in the lab or classroom, students should immediately inform the instructor. If the emergency involves the instructor, students should contact the Receptionist by using the telephone in the instructor's office and dial **8112**. If there is no answer, please continue to dial the following numbers: 8298 (Carol Szoka) or 8113 (Diane Buchs). Remain calm!

If there is no immediate answer send someone to the nearest classroom or office and notify an adult of the incident and request additional help by calling 911.

If the victim is conscious, it is best to have them lie still with feet elevated until qualified emergency response personnel arrive on the scene. Do not move a victim unless there is risk of additional immediate danger to them and you. You can cause additional severe injury by unnecessarily moving a victim.

There is the possibility of the victim going into a state of physiological shock – a condition of insufficient blood circulation different from electrical shock – and so they should be kept as warm and as comfortable as possible.

Request to Dispense Medication Form

Students should complete the <u>Request to Dispense Medications Form</u> (as needed). Only the medications identified through this form can be dispensed during school hours.

Student Emergency Medical Form (EMF)

Student Emergency Medical Forms are in Infinite Campus. Parents can log into the Parent Portal to complete the form. All parents were sent a link to the parent portal so they can review the information and update any necessary items at the beginning of August. STUDENTS MAY NOT GO INTO LAB WITHOUT AN EMF ON FILE!!!

Student Photography & Video Release Form

The information about Student Photography and Video Release is contained in the student handbook. However, parents must sign off in Infinite Campus through the Parent Portal. All parents were sent a reminder to complete this task at the beginning of August.

Student Technology Agreement

This information is part of the Student Handbook and Code of Conduct. Parents will sign into the Parent Portal in Infinite Campus and sign off on the agreement. Students should NOT be using Auburn Technology if the form is not signed.

Hall Pass

When a student is given permission to leave the classroom, they must use their ID to check in/out of class electronically via Hall Pass. We will be checking the electronic system to ensure they have checked in or out. There is no need for a buddy system. Leaving the classroom is a privilege that will be taken away if abused. You are missing valuable instructional time when you are out of the room.

Business Partnerships

Participation in a Business Partnership Internship includes the following requirements:

- Participate in Auburn's mock interviews
- Attend and complete CTE testing or National Certification testing
- Complete weekly logs and turn in every Thursday to the Business Partnership Office

Internships

The Director of Business Partnerships handles all internship plans and the process to get a student out on an internship. Students wishing to go out on an internship should be referred to the Director of Business Partnerships. Program Internships are an educational opportunity that prepares a student for workforce employment and transition to post-secondary education. An internship is a privilege and not for all students. During the internship, students will apply academic, employability, and technical skills in the workplace. Internship sites must be related to the students' career training program. Internships will be scheduled in coordination with the students' academic schedule and coursework. They will take place up to three days a week during the student's time at Auburn. All paperwork must be completed and signed prior to any student starting an internship!

Recommended Requirements:

Auburn students will meet the following criteria to be eligible:

- ✔ Passing their Auburn program
- ✓ On track for Graduation
- ✓ Teacher recommendation

✓ Teacher, Director(s) of High School and Business Partnerships and student develop Individualized Training Plan

Industry Credentials

We encourage students to prepare and take Industry Recognized Credential Assessments; however, it is the responsibility of the teacher to ensure they are prepared to take those industry credential exams. Therefore, instructors must have students take and pass with an 80% a pre-test for the industry credential prior to scheduling the exam. The district will pay for the first attempt for each student to earn a 12-point industry credential(s). i.e.: if you have four 3-point exams, the district pays for one attempt at each of the four tests. If you have more than one 12-point exam the district pays for one attempt at each exam.

Career Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs)

SkillsUSA

SkillsUSA is a partnership of students, teachers and industry working together to ensure America has a skilled workforce. We help each student excel. A nonprofit national education association, SkillsUSA serves middle-school, high-school and college/postsecondary students preparing for careers in trade, technical and skilled service occupations. **Please use the link for more information.**

Mission

SkillsUSA empowers its members to become world-class workers, leaders and responsible American
citizens. We improve the quality of our nation's future skilled workforce through the development of
Framework skills that include personal, workplace and technical skills grounded in academics. Our vision is to
produce the most highly skilled workforce in the world, providing every member the opportunity for career
success.

Events

^{***}Students may be removed from internships due to academic, disciplinary or attendance issues.

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher conferences are held in October of each school year. The option for parents to attend conferences in person or virtually will continue to be offered.

Information Night

Information night provides students and their families with a wealth of information about Auburn, our programs, and connections to their future within their career pathway (i.e. job opportunities, CTAGs, Articulated Agreements, etc.). This evening typically occurs near the end of January and is a learning opportunity for students and parents alike.

Parent Visit Day

Parent visit day is generally held in the Second Semester of each year. This is an opportunity for students to showcase their work to their parents.

Completion Ceremony

Completion Ceremony is an award ceremony for Auburn students who have successfully completed a two-year Career and Technical Education program. This is held during the school day. In order to participate, students need to turn in a permission form, complete their portfolio, have all fees paid in full and attend the rehearsal on the day before the Completion Ceremony. There is a strict dress code to be able to walk across the stage. More information regarding the Completion Ceremony will be provided in the Spring of your second year.

APPENDIX A:

Employability Rubric - Standards-Based

ACC Employability Skills Rubric

The following skills have been identified as some of the most important skills students can demonstrate to potential employers as proof of their employability. Students who display these skills put themselves in a better position to be hired.

Attendance* (un-graded)	Days Prese	ent Days Absent _	Days Tardy	
	Below Expectations (1 point)	Developing (2 points)	Proficient (3 points)	Expert (4 points)
Criteria	Requires Further Development Students may require further development or need direct supervision		Meets Expectation Students who meet expectations do so with limited supervision	Exceeds Expectation Students who exceed expectations do so without supervision
Attitude	 Demonstrates a consistently negative attitude Lacks motivation and enthusiasm for learning; is uncooperative 	 Displays a mixed attitude, sometimes positive but inconsistent Shows occasional cooperation and interest in learning but may need improvement in maintaining a positive attitude 	 Maintains a positive attitude most of the time Demonstrates interest and enthusiasm in learning and is cooperative 	 Consistently maintains a positive and proactive attitude Demonstrates exceptional enthusiasm for learning; encourages and supports others
	Resists feedback and suggestions for improvement	 Accepts feedback and suggestions inconsistently; doesn't show a willingness to improve 	 Accepts feedback and implements suggestions for improvement willingly 	 Embraces feedback and suggestions for improvement eagerly and actively seeks challenges to grow

	•Shows little respect for safety regulations, personal space, and others' opinions	•Shows some respect for safety regulations, personal space, and others' opinions, but occasional lapses in behavior	 Demonstrates respect for safety regulations, personal space, and others' opinions 	 Consistently shows deep respect for safety regulations, personal space, and diverse opinions
Respect	 Frequently interrupts others and displays rude behavior Does not exhibit cultural 	•May interrupt occasionally and need reminders about respectful conduct	 Listens well, follows basic etiquette, and treats others with courtesy and consideration 	 Actively listens, values diverse perspectives, fosters an inclusive and supportive environment
	sensitivity	• Demonstrates limited cultural sensitivity	consistently	Exhibits cultural sensitivity without exception
	Does not manage time effectively &/or fails to meet deadlines	Manages time inconsistently A/or occasionally meets deadlines	 Manages time effectively and meets deadlines consistently 	 Always manages time effectively and meets all deadlines without exception
Responsibility	 Lacks determination, accuracy, organizational skills, &/or accountability 	•Exhibits determination and accuracy inconsistently; requires reminders to stay on track with organizational skills and accountability	 Exhibits determination and accuracy; demonstrates good organizational skills and accountability 	 Exhibits exceptional determination and accuracy; demonstrates outstanding organizational skills and accountability
	Does not take responsibility for own actions - does not arrive on-time, lacks proper supplies, &/or fails to wear job specific apparel	•Takes responsibility inconsistently - inconsistent with arriving on-time, having proper supplies, &/or wearing job specific apparel	 Takes responsibility for own actions - generally arrives on- time, with proper supplies, and wearing job specific apparel 	 Takes responsibility and initiative and goes above and beyond - always arrives on- time, with proper supplies, and wearing job specific apparel

APPENDIX B:



Syllabus Agreement

After reviewing this syllabus, please sign and return this agreement page to your instructor.

I have read and understand all of the information included in this syllabus.

Program:		
Student Name:	(Please print)	
Student Signature:		
Date:		
Parent/Guardian Name:	(Please print)	
Parent/Guardian Signature:		
Date:		

This Syllabus Agreement <u>MUST</u> be returned by Friday, Aug 30, 2024