



Cosmetology

The Cosmetology program provides the student with basic theory and clinical knowledge of the beauty industry through the use of approved textbooks, classroom instruction, and practical application with mannequins and live models.

Program/Location	Length	Days	Time
Day Program/ Knoxville Main Campus	16 Months	Monday-Friday	8:00am—2:30 pm
Night Program/Knoxville Main Campus	16 Months	Monday-Friday	3:30 pm—10:00 pm

Curriculum/Courses

COS 0001	Worker Characteristic	COS 0003	Worker Characteristic
COS 1010	Orientation	COS 3010	Sterilization Bacteriology III
COS 1020	Sterilization, Bacteriology	COS 3020	Anatomy and Physiology III
COS 1030	Anatomy and Physiology	COS 3030	Shop Ethics & Salesmanship III
COS 1040	Shop Ethics and Salesmanship	COS 3040	Hair Shaping III
COS 1050	State Law	COS 3050	Hairstyling III
COS 1060	Tech Foundations	COS 3060	Facials and Eyebrows II
COS 1070	Shampooing and Rinsing	COS 3070	Permanent Waves III
COS 1080	Hair and Scalp Care	COS 3080	Hair Relaxers II
COS 1090	Hair Shaping	COS 3090	Hair color and Lightening III
COS 1100	Hairstyling	COS 3100	Sculptured Nails
COS 1110	Facials	COS 0004	Worker Characteristic
COS 1120	Manicuring and Pedicuring	COS 4010	Sterilization, Bacteriology IV
COS 1130	Permanent Waving	COS 4020	Shop Ethics & Salesmanship IV
COS 1140	Hair Structure and Chemistry	COS 4030	State Law II
COS 0002	Worker Characteristic	COS 4040	Hair Shaping IV
COS 2010	Sterilization, Bacteriology II	COS 4050	Hairstyling IV
COS 2020	Anatomy and Physiology II	COS 4060	Permanent Waving IV
COS 2030	Shop Ethics & Salesmanship II	COS 4070	Hair Relaxers III
COS 2040	Shampooing and Rinsing II	COS 4080	Hair Color and Lightening IV
COS 2050	Hair and Scalp Care II		
COS 2060	Hair Shaping II		
COS 2070	Hairstyling II		
COS 2080	Facials and Eyebrows		
COS 2090	Manicuring and Pedicuring II		
COS 2100	Permanent Waves II		
COS 2110	Hair Relaxers		
COS 2120	Hair Color and Lightening		
COS 2130	Hair Structure & Chemistry II		

Typical Job Opportunities

Hair Stylist
Hair Designer
Color Specialist
Make-up Artist

	Completion Award	Required Hours
Total Placement Rate 2017 = 84%	Cosmetologist	Diploma 1500

How to Apply to the Cosmetology Programs at TCAT Knoxville

1. Complete the **Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** online – the website is www.fafsa.ed.gov and our school code is 004025.
2. Complete **TCAT Knoxville Application for Enrollment** online at www.tcatknoxville.edu and select APPLY NOW.
3. Provide **official sealed educational transcripts** of one of the following:
 - A high school transcript with proof of completion of at least the 10th grade with 12 high school credits.
A High School Equivalency (HSE) diploma transcript with a score of at least 450 with no score less than 410 in any area
IMPORTANT: *If you have foreign transcripts you will need to provide an English translated version of your transcript and have your education evaluated through the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services. Please visit their website at www.naces.org for more information.*
 - If you are transferring hours from High School or another cosmetology program, you **MUST** turn in an OFFICIAL COPY of your **RECORD OF COMPLETION** from the Department of Commerce & Insurance to your instructor the first day of class.

**Before starting let instructor know if you are right or left handed for your electicals and sharps kit*

**Note If you have ever been convicted of a felony or any misdemeanor, or forfeited bond, you may not be able to test to become a licensed Cosmetologist or Manicurist in the State of Tennessee.*

PLEASE SEE A COUNSELOR for more information.