



**COS 114            CHEMICAL METHODOLOGY            3 HOURS**  
**LAB**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS113 and/or as required by program.

In this course, students are provided the practical experience of permanent waving, chemical relaxing, and hair analysis. Topics include permanent waving, chemical relaxing, soft curl, and scalp and hair analysis. Upon completion, the student should be able to analyze the scalp and hair and perform these chemical services using safety and sanitary precautions. NDC, CORE

**COS 121            COLORIMETRY            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS122 and/or as required by program.

In this course, students learn the techniques of hair coloring and hair lightening. Emphasis is placed on color application, laws, levels and classifications of color and problem solving. Upon completion, the student should be able to identify all phases of hair coloring and the effects of the hair. NDC, CORE

**COS 122            COLORIMETRY APPLICATIONS            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS121 and/or as required by program.

In this course, students apply hair coloring and hair lightening techniques. Topics include consultation, hair analysis, skin test and procedures and applications of all phases of hair coloring and lightening. Upon completion, the student should be able to perform procedures for hair coloring and hair lightening. NDC, CORE

**COS 124            SALON MANAGEMENT            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

This course is designed to develop job-seeking and entry-level management skills for the beauty industry. Topics include job seeking, leader and entrepreneurship development, business principles, business laws, insurance, marketing, and technology issues in the workplace. Upon completion, the student should be able to list job-seeking and management skills and the technology that is available for use in the salon. NDC

**COS 131            ASTHETICS            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS 132 and/or as required by program.

This course is the study of cosmetic products, massage, skin care, and hair removal, as well as identifying the structure and function of various systems of the body. Topics include massage skin analysis, skin structure, disease and disorder, light therapy, facials, facial cosmetics, anatomy, and hair removal. Upon completion, the student should be able to state procedures for analysis, light therapy, facials, hair removal, and identify the structures, functions, and disorders of the skin. NDC, CORE

**COS 132            AESTHETICS APPLICATIONS            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS 131 and/or as required by program.

This course provides practical applications related to the care of the skin and related structure. Emphasis is placed on facial treatments, product application, skin analysis, massage techniques, facial make-up, and hair removal. Upon completion, the student should be able to prepare clients, assemble sanitized materials, follow procedures for product application, recognize skin disorders, demonstrate facial massage movement, cosmetic application, and hair removal using safety and sanitary precautions. NDC, CORE

**COS 143            HAIR DESIGNS            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

This course focuses on the theory and practice of hair designing. Topics include creating styles using basic and advanced techniques of back combing, up sweeps and braiding. Upon completion, the student should be able to demonstrate the techniques and procedures for hair designing. NDC

**COS 144            HAIR SHAPING LAB            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

In this course, students learn the art and techniques of hair shaping. Topics include hair sectioning, correct use of hair shaping implements, and elevations used to create design lines. Upon completion, the student should be able to demonstrate the techniques and procedures for creating hair designs. NDC

**COS 151            NAIL CARE            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS 152 and/or as required by program.

This course focuses on all aspects of nail care. Topics include salon conduct, professional ethics, sanitation, nail structure, manicuring, pedicuring, nail disorders, and anatomy and physiology of the arm and hand. Upon completion, the student should be able to demonstrate professional conduct, recognize nail disorders and diseases, and identify the procedures for sanitation and nail care services. NDC

**COS 152            NAIL CARE APPLICATIONS            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS 151 and/or as required by program.

This course provides practice in all aspects of nail care. Topics include salon conduct, professional ethics, bacteriology, sanitation and safety, manicuring and pedicuring. Upon completion, the student should be able to perform nail care procedures. NDC

**COS 153            NAIL ART            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS 154 and/or as required by program.

This course focuses on advanced nail techniques. Topics include acrylic, gel, fiberglass nails, and nail art. Upon completion, the student should be able to identify the different types of sculptured nails and recognize the different techniques of nail art. NDC

**COS 154            NAIL ART APPLICATIONS            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

**COREQUISITE:** COS 153 and/or as required by program.

This course provides practice in advanced nail techniques. Topics include acrylic, gel, fiberglass nails, and nail art. Upon completion, the student should be able to perform the procedures for nail sculpturing and nail art. NDC

**COS 156            CAREER AND PERSONAL            3 HOURS**  
**DEVELOPMENT**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

This course is designed to focus on personal development and career building. Emphasis is placed on building and retaining clientele, communication skills, customer service, continuing education, and setting goals. Upon completion, the student should be able to list types of communication skills, state personal goals, and develop a continuing education plan. NDC

**COS 167            STATE BOARD REVIEW            3 HOURS**

*Prerequisite: As required by program.*

