

COSMETOLOGY
 CERTIFICATE
 Catalog 2008-2009

The Cosmetology program is designed to meet the standards established by the New Mexico State Board of Barbers and Cosmetologists. The program covers coursework in the theory and lab in sterilization, shampoo, rinses, hairstyling, pedicuring, salon business and retail sales, in addition to college general education courses. The program meets the minimum of 1,600 clock hours required by the State Board.

After successfully completing the program, students are qualified to take the New Mexico Board of Cosmetology licensure examination. Licensing and certification for immediate employment in the field are obtained by passing this examination.

Students entering this program are required to complete appropriate basic skills classes as determined by the scores on the College's entrance exam (ACCUPLACER). **This is a selective admission program that admits students in the fall and spring terms.**

| | | | | Credit Hours | Grade |
|---------------------|------|-----|--|-------------------------|--------------|
| 1st Semester | | | | | |
| ___ | COSM | 110 | Theory I | 3 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 130 | Shampoos, Rinses, and Scalp Treatments | 2 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 140 | Facials | 3 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 160 | Haircutting | 5 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 190 | Chemical Restructuring/Permanent Waves | 4 | _____ |
| | | | Total | 17 | |
| 2nd Semester | | | | | |
| ___ | COSM | 111 | Theory II | 3 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 120 | Sterilization and Sanitation | 2 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 151 | Manicuring/Pedicuring | 2 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 171 | Hairstyling | 3 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 181 | Haircoloring/Bleaching | 2 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 196 | Personal and Community Health | 3 | _____ |
| | | | Total | 15 | |
| 3rd Semester | | | | | |
| ___ | COSM | 195 | Salon Business and Retail Sales | 3 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 198 | Clinic Practice I | 6 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 199 | Clinic Practice II | 3 | _____ |
| ___ | COSM | 211 | Theory III | 3 | _____ |
| | | | Total | 15 | |

Total credit hours required for this certificate is 47