



Cosmetology: Hair Color Course Syllabus

COURSE OUTLINE:

Course Description:

Introduction is a one-credit course that provides students with experience in hair coloring and lightening. Emphasis is placed on color application, laws, levels and classifications of color, and problem-solving. Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to identify all phases of hair coloring and its effects upon the hair and perform procedures for hair coloring and lightening. Problem-solving and critical thinking are essential, and many opportunities are provided for student growth in level competence. **The prerequisite for this course is Intro to Cosmetology.**

Essential Questions:

- What colors opposite of each other on the color wheel is called complimentary colors?
- What are primary colors?
- What are secondary colors?
- What is the Law of Color?
- What is a patch test?



**Monday--Theory
Tuesday--Lab
Wednesday--Theory
Thursday--Lab
Friday--Theory/Lab**

- **Coloring**
 - Laws of Color Theory; Characteristics; Harmony; Imaging; Classifications
- **Lightening**
 - Classifications; Procedures; Techniques of Application
- **Problem Solving**
 - Hair loss; Green tint; Breakage; Over-Processing

Cosmetology Classroom Policies

- Be in your seat and ready to work when the tardy bell rings.
- No personal grooming in class.
- No drinking or eating in the classroom.
- No cell phones, headphones, iPods, etc. are to be used in class unless part of class work.
- Daily jobs/clean-up tasks **MUST** be completed before leaving class.
- Show respect to everyone and everything.
- Follow all rules in the Code of Conduct and Student Handbook for the ACTC.
- Sign in and out **DAILY** for daily Cosmetology Work Credit
- If you are absent, it is **YOUR** responsibility to ask for make-up assignments.

GRADING SCALE:

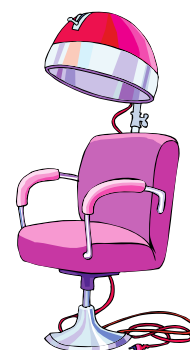
90-100	A
80-89	B
70-79	C
60-69	D
Below 60	F

QUARTERLY GRADE PROCEDURES:

Major Grades---65%
Minor Grade---30%
Homework Grades- 5%

“Man’s mind stretched to a new idea never goes back to its original dimensions.”

Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr



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Course Goals

- Identify primary, secondary, and tertiary hues on a wheel.
- Interpret the laws of color theory with regard to basic colors, level, and tone.
- Distinguish the factors that influence color selections. Ex. color harmony; skin tone; complexion; computer imaging.
- Apply safety rules and regulations related to cosmetology, including fire equipment, tools, Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS), and Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) procedures.
- Describe reactions to various hair color.
- Compare characteristics and quality of hair color developers.
- Identify classifications and quality of hair color developers.
- Identify classification and quality of hair color.
- Analyze skin tones to determine compatibility to hair color.
- Demonstrate safety procedures used prior to hair coloring.
- Differentiate among temporary, demi-permanent, semi-permanent, and permanent hair coloring techniques.
- Describe techniques for performing hair lightening, special effects, and corrective hair coloring.
- Differentiate among types of products used for various classifications of hair coloring.
- Analyze hair and scalp to determine types of hair color applications.



Students are expected to act in a professional manner by meeting deadlines, solving problems, cooperating with classmates, and generally contributing in a positive way to the class. Working in your field of study often means searching for solutions in a group context. Teamwork, listening, empathy, enthusiasm, emotional maturity, and consideration of other people's concerns are all essential to success. Please bring these qualities and values with you to class. It is as important to 'practice' these interpersonal skills as it is to learn new intellectual content. Students will be evaluated on their professional demeanor in class.

***The ACTC does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups.**

COURSE & SUPPLY FEE

The required course & supply fee for Cosmetology is \$125.

This is used to purchase supplies necessary for the operation of the cosmetology lab. Please make checks payable to ACTC.



Skills USA is a club organization that is so rewarding in many ways. Students are encouraged to become participating members of this organization that enhances classroom instruction, helps develop leadership skills, and provides opportunities for professional growth and service.

Check out www.skillsusa.org for more info!

Skills USA dues are \$25

I/We have read the syllabus for Cosmetology and have an understanding of what the course covers. I/We agree to provide the necessary fee and supplies.

Parent/Guardian

Student