

ATLANTA TECHNICAL COLLEGE



Cosmetology Pathways

The Cosmetology program prepares students to sit for the State Board Examination. The program emphasizes specialized training in safety, sanitation, state laws, rules, regulations, chemistry, anatomy, physiology, skin, hair, hair disorders, nails, nail diseases, nail disorders, hair care treatment, hair shaping, hair styling, artificial hair, braiding/intertwining hair, chemical reformation, chemical application, skin care hair care, hair coloring, hair lightening, reception, sales, management, employability skills and work ethics. The curriculum meets state licensing requirements for the State Board of Cosmetology. Over the next 10 years, the number of jobs in this field is projected to grow by 13% nationally and 16% in Fulton and Clayton counties in Georgia.

Shampoo Technician Certificate

1 Semester

4 Classes

Careers: Shampoosers, Grooming Specialist

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$17,000/year



Hair Designer Certificate

2 Additional Semesters

9 Additional Classes

Receive Hair Designer License (Can provide hair services only, but not facials, manicures etc.)

Careers: Hair Stylist, Grooming Specialist

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$20,000/year



Cosmetology Diploma

1 Additional Semester

6 Additional Classes

Receive Master Cosmetology License (Can provide all cosmetology services)

Careers: Cosmetologist, Hair Stylist, Hairdresser, Grooming Specialist

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$40,000/year

Barbering for Cosmetologists Certificate (Optional)

2 Additional Semesters

6 Additional Classes

Receive Master Barber License (Can provide additional services to clients)

Careers: Cosmetologist, Grooming Specialist, Barber

Estimated Starting Salaries at \$41,000/year

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*All job growth projections and estimated salaries are based on data from Emsi (Economic Modeling Specialists Inc) and are updated annually.