



Cosmetology

Grades 11 & 12

This is a two year program where students learn the latest techniques and apply them in our full service salon, which is open to the public. After students have successfully completed 1000 hours of cosmetology they are prepared to apply for licensing through New York State.

Objectives are:

1. To train students to meet the standards set forth by the State Education Department Cosmetology and Department of Licenses.
2. To train students for gainful employment in the field of Cosmetology.
3. To develop in each student the self-confidence and positive attitude regarding their skills as a professional cosmetologist.
4. To encourage a sense of professionalism and high ethical standards.

Units of Study

Sterilization and Sanitation, Skin Care and Cosmetics, Haircutting and Styling, Manicures and Pedicures, Scalp and Hair Treatments, Permanent Waving, Thermal Curling, Artificial Nails, Chemical Hair Reconstruction, Hair Color and Recolorization, Temporary Hair Removal, Salon Management and Ownership, Hair Extensions and Wigs.

Applied Academics

Students enrolled in the Cosmetology program can earn credits that will satisfy core academic requirements in English Language Arts, Math and Science. Through the integration of these core academics, achieving a Regents Diploma remains in reach.

College Agreements

In addition to gaining the skills needed to enter the workforce, this program provides an excellent foundation for students looking to enter a college program. Articulation agreements for college credit are in place with: Bryant and Stratton College (3 hours).

How to Enroll

Orleans/Niagara BOCES partners with local school districts to provide exciting hands-on career and technical training during normal school day. To learn more, speak with your high school counselor or you can contact Orleans/Niagara BOCES Orleans Career and Technical Education Center Principal Dr. Michael Weyrauch at mweyrauch@onboces.org.

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