



Esthetician Certificate [CE11]- 33 credit hours FALL START- Evening Classes Only

Program Description:

Embark on a transformative journey with our Cosmetic Esthetician program, designed to offer comprehensive esthetics training for entry-level students. Master the art of cosmetic applications, facial treatments, and massage techniques. Gain expertise in sanitation, safety, and customer service. Graduate prepared to sit for the Georgia State Board of Cosmetology's Esthetics licensure examination and unlock diverse career opportunities in beauty salons, spas, health clubs, cosmetics stores, and medical offices. Embrace a path that ignites your passion for skincare and sets you on a trajectory towards success in the thriving esthetics industry. Let your beauty skills shine!

This program has a state-mandated attendance policy. See below for further details

Evening Hours:

2:15pm- 8:15pm

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Website:

<https://www.westgatech.edu/program-explorer/professional-services/cosmetology-and-esthetician/>

Campus:

Coweta and Murphy campus

Set the Track, Start the Track, Stay on Track					
<i>Meet with an Advising Coach to Stay on Track. S = Semester; CR = Credit Hours; FA = Fall; SP = Spring; SU = Summer; ALL=any semester</i>					
Prerequisite must be passed with a "C" or higher to move forward in the program					
✓	Grade	Fall Semester 1	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		ESTH 1000 Introduction to Esthetics	FA	3	Program Admission
		ESTH 1010 Anatomy and Physiology of the Skin	FA	3	Prerequisite ESTH 1000
		COSM 1120 Salon Management	ALL	3	
				9	Program Semester Hours
✓	Grade	Spring Semester 2	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		ESTH 1020 Skin Care Procedures	SP	4	Corequisite ESTH 1000
		ESTH 1030 Electricity and Facial Treatments with Machines	SP	5	Corequisite ESTH 1000
		ESTH 1040 Advanced Skin Care	SP	3	Prerequisite ESTH 1000
				12	Program Semester Hours
✓	Grade	Summer Semester 3	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		ESTH 1050 Color Theory and Makeup	SU	4	Prerequisite ESTH 1000
				4	Program Semester Hours
✓	Grade	Fall Semester 4	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		ESTH 1060 Esthetics Practicum I	FA	4	Prerequisite ESTH 1000, 1010, 1020, 1030, 1040, and 1050
		ESTH 1070 Esthetics Practicum II	FA	4	Corequisite ESTH 1060
				8	Program Semester Hours
Always check online https://www.westgatech.edu/ and meet with your Advising or Faculty Coach to ensure you are viewing the latest and most accurate information.					

Employment Opportunities: <https://www.westgatech.edu/student-life/career-services/>

Financial Aid by Program: <https://www.westgatech.edu/financial-aid/types-of-aid/>

*Per the State Board of Cosmetology and Barbers, students are required to complete a minimum of 1500 hours of training and complete all the required lab skill competencies within the program.

Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. R. 240-15-.02

Authority: O.C.G.A. §§ 43-10-2, 43-10-6, 43-10-9, 43-10-12, 43-10-13

To meet the minimum required hours, the WGTC Cosmetology program attendance requirements are as follows: students are only allowed to be absent from each individual Cosmetology or Esthetics class for 1 full day [or the total hours of 1 class period]. Students arriving late for class or leaving early results in a tardy. Once a student has 3 tardies, that will equal 1 absence or if a student has missed the total of their class time in 2 tardies, that will be counted as an absence.

The State Board of Cosmetology and Esthetics has a cap of 4 years for students to gain their license once they complete our program. Due to the time limit that the state has set in place, we also have a 4-year limit for students to complete all the classes within their major or they will have to re-take the entire program. If a student has not completed the program within 2 years, they will be required to complete one (1) full Fall or Spring semester.

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