Paul Mitchell The School Phoenix

ESTHETICS COURSE INFORMATION

ESTHETICS COURSE DESCRIPTION

Esthetics: *SOC 39-5094.00, CIP Code 12.0409:*

The curriculum involves 600 hours to satisfy Arizona state requirements. The course includes extensive instruction and practical experience in skin, facials, hair removal, makeup application, customer service, personal appearance and hygiene, personal motivation and development, retail (Take Home) skills, guest record-keeping, business ethics, state laws and regulations, salon-type administration, and job interviewing.

**Graduates are prepared to be entry-level estheticians.*

This course is taught in English. Textbooks and course materials are only offered in the English Language.

ESTHETICS COURSE OVERVIEW

Course Hours: 600 clock hours

The course is divided into pre-clinical classroom instruction and clinic classroom learning experiences.

- **Pre-clinical Classroom Instruction:** The first 120 hours are devoted to pre-clinical classroom instruction where Future Professionals develop foundational knowledge and practical skills through classroom workshops, demonstrations, theory instruction, and guided practice. Instruction emphasizes design principles, technical procedures, safety and sanitation, professional conduct, and readiness for supervised services.
- **Clinic Classroom Learning Experience:** Future Professionals apply classroom learning through supervised practical instruction and guest services. With coaching and guidance from Learning Leaders, they refine technical skills, consultation and communication, guest experience, product recommendations, and professional work habits. Learning continues through mini-classes, feedback, and structured practice.

ESTHETICS COURSE OUTLINE

- **Core Curriculum:** The Core Curriculum introduces the foundational principles and skills of the program through theory instruction, demonstrations, and hands-on practice. Future Professionals build essential technical knowledge, safety and sanitation practices, client care, and professional habits. Learning Leaders monitor progress, and learning is evaluated through written, oral, and practical methods, as applicable. Completing Core successfully prepares students for the next phase of their education, including supervised clinic classroom experiences.
- **Clinic Classroom Learning Experience:** In the clinic classroom, Future Professionals provide services to guests under Learning Leader supervision. They keep learning and reinforce classroom instruction through coaching, mini-classes, practical worksheets, and progress evaluations. They practice consultations, service planning, technical proficiency, guest communication, sanitation and safety, and professional service habits.
- **Classroom Learning Experience:** Instruction combines theory, demonstrations, and practical application. Additional learning opportunities may address retailing and product knowledge, communication, professional development, motivation, and career readiness, facilitated by appropriate school team members or guest artists.

ESTHETICS COURSE SUBJECTS

The instructional program of Paul Mitchell The School Phoenix meets or exceeds these requirements:

Subject	Minimum Hours of Theory Instruction	Minimum Practical Applications	Total Hours
Facials and Skin Care	30	90	120
Facial Makeup	15	45	60
Hair Removal	22	68	90
Laws, Rules, and Regulations	8	22	30
Management, Ethics, Interpersonal Skills, and Salesmanship	30	90	120
Disinfection, Cleaning, and Safe Work Practices	45	135	180
TOTAL HOURS	**150**	**450**	**600**

The institution offers employment assistance to help graduates' efforts to secure education-related employment that incudes, but is not limited to training in professionalism, resume' development, job interview preparation and job search skills.

ESTHETICS COURSE TESTING AND GRADING PROCEDURE

The following exams and grading procedures are incorporated during the student's 600-hour course:

1. **Academic theory exams**: Student must receive a grade of 75% or higher on each assigned theory exam.
2. **Core written and practical skills evaluation test**: Students must receive a grade of 75% or higher on each written exam and each practical skill exam in order to complete the Core program. The exams are an overview of instruction taught during the Core schedule. All Core written and practical skill exams must be passed with a 75% in order to transition to the Clinic Classroom. If students are unable to pass each exam after two attempts, the student may be asked to withdraw from the program and re-enroll in the next available Core class start date.
3. **Final written and practical**: The written exam covers an overview of all theory instruction, Arizona state law, and other items covered on the state esthetics exam. Students must receive a grade of 75% or higher on all final exams. These exams must be completed within the school facility and cannot be taken through distance education.
4. **Clinic Practical Skill Assessments**: Future Professionals progress in practical skill assessments and theory hours will be digitally monitored on a weekly basis by the Future Professional Advisor using the Course Key app. All assigned practical skill assessments must be completed in order to complete the program.