

# Cosmetology Operator

Lee College Pathway: **APPLIED BUSINESS**

High School Endorsement: **BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY**

The Cosmetology program prepares students in all aspects of cosmetology. The program consists of 1600 hours training in theoretical foundations, manipulative skills, business knowledge, professional and ethical practices and prepares students to take the Texas State Board of Cosmetology examination for licensure.

An Associate of Applied Science (AAS) is a technical degree. Technical courses are less likely to transfer to a four-year school. Students planning to transfer to four-year schools should be aware that each college determines its own degree requirement and different colleges require different courses for the same degree. Therefore, students who plan to transfer to other institutions should use the degree plan requirements at the transfer institution to guide their choice at Lee College. The best source of information regarding degree plan requirements is the official catalog of the institution. Catalogs are available on the transfer institutions website.



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<b>Suggested Course Sequence</b>				
*Course availability varies by high school and district*				
<b>Course</b>	<b>Lee College Course Title</b>			
<b>Cosmetology Certificate of Completion</b>				
CSME 1505	Fundamentals of Cosmetology			
CSME 1254	Artistry of Hair Design 1			
CSME 1453	Chemical Reformation and Related Theory			
CSME 1410	Introduction to Haircutting and Related Theory			
CSME 2401	The Principles of Hair Coloring and Related Theory			
CSME 2337	Advanced Cosmetology Techniques			
CSME 2439	Advanced Hair Design			
CSME 2441	Preparation for the State Licensing Examination			
<b>Associate of Applied Science Cosmetology Operator</b>				
<b>Students need to complete the 10 additional courses list below to graduate with an AAS Cosmetology Operator.</b>				
ENGL 1301	SPCH 1321	Life & Physical Science or Math Core	Creative Arts or LPC Core	Social/Behavioral Science Core
ACNT 1301	BCIS 1305	POFT 1328	BUSI 1301	Business Elective: BUSI/BMGT/BUSG
<b>Texas Licensure Requirements: Students must have a high school diploma or equivalency to apply for a Texas cosmetology license. Students must also pass both a written exam and a practical exam to obtain a Texas cosmetology license.</b>				

**Current High School Students:**  
 Contact your high school counselor or  
 Lee College Dual Credit Office  
 281.425.6295 or dualenrollment@lee.edu

**Non-High School Students:**  
 Contact Lee College Advising/Counseling Center  
 281.425.6384