



ESTHETICS CERTIFICATE

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Also known as skin care, the Esthetics program at Central Carolina Community College combines theory with hands-on practice. Students will build their educational foundation with classroom work and then apply their acquired skills in a simulated salon environment. CCCC's certified instructors will teach students the fundamentals of skin care including facials, hair removal, exfoliation, microderm abrasion, hot wax treatments, and customized skin care programs. Esthetics students will also become well versed in equipment, product knowledge, safety requirements, and above all else, professionalism.



SCHEDULE OPTIONS

Students have the ability to shape their educational experience by choosing a program that accommodates their schedule.

Full-Time Days (one semester to complete)	8:00am - 4:30pm	Monday - Friday
Part-Time Mornings (two semesters to complete)	8:00am - 1:00pm	Monday - Thursday
	8:00am - 3:30pm	Monday - Thursday (<i>Summer Hours</i>)
Part-Time Evenings (three semesters to complete)	6:00pm - 10:00pm	Monday - Thursday
	5:30pm - 10:00pm	Monday - Thursday (<i>Summer Hours</i>)

Students may attend Esthetics classes at instructional salons in Sanford or Lillington. Schedule options may vary at each instructional salon. Classes must reach their minimum enrollment point to be offered as scheduled. The program can be started either in the Fall semester (August) or in the Spring semester (January). New students do not begin in the summer.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Complete and return an Application for Admission or complete the online application at www.cccc.edu.
- Submit an official high school transcript or official GED scores.
- Submit an official transcript from any college(s) attended.
- Submit additional information if it is requested.
- The placement test is not required for this program.
- To be admitted to this program, applicants must have a high school diploma or GED.
- Applicants who have previously applied to this program must complete a Change of Program form to change the semester of entry. Acceptance into this program is dependent upon having a current application.

PROGRAM COSTS

(COSTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE; BASED ON IN-STATE TUITION)

Esthetics Kit	\$243.00 (estimate)
Textbooks	\$286.00 (estimate)
16 Credit Hours	\$800.00
Malpractice Insurance	\$5.00 (Fall & Spring Only)
Student Fee	Varies
Technology Fee	Varies

Certificate Total **\$1334.00** (excluding fees)

Tuition =	\$50.00 per credit hour (in-state students)
Fees =	\$14.00 student fee (6 hours or less in Fall or Spring)
	\$28.00 student fee (7 hours or more in Fall or Spring)
	\$4.00 student fee (Summer session)
	\$8.00 technology fee (11 hours or less in any semester)
	\$16.00 technology fee (12 hours or more in any semester)

LENGTH OF PROGRAM

Part-time evening students may begin in the Fall semester (August) or in the Spring semester (January). Students beginning in the Fall will graduate the following August. Students beginning in the Spring will graduate the following December. These students will enroll for three semesters and take five credit hours for the first two semesters and six credit hours the last semester. (*First semester: COS 119 and COS 120A; Second semester: COS 125 and COS 120B; Third semester: COS 126*)

Part-time day students may begin in the Fall semester (August) or in the Spring semester (January). Students beginning in the Fall will graduate in May. Students beginning in the Spring will attend the Summer session and graduate in August. These students will enroll for two semesters and take eight credit hours each semester. (*First semester: COS 119 and COS 120; Second semester: COS 125 and COS 126*).

Full-time day students may begin in the Fall semester (August) or in the Spring semester (January). Students will enroll for 16 credit hours and complete the program in one semester. (*One semester: COS 119, COS 120, COS 125, and COS 126*).

NEED FURTHER INFORMATION?

Please contact Jamee Stiffler, Admissions Counselor, at jstiffler@cccc.edu, or call (919) 718-7526 or (800) 682-8353, ext. 7526. Further information on the Esthetics program is available.

Uniform, Esthetics Kit, & Textbooks

Esthetics students are required to wear khaki uniforms which are similar to the white uniforms a nurse would wear. Shoes may be white uniform shoes or white tennis shoes with no colors. Shoes must be worn with white socks or neutral hose. Students may wear dresses or pants. Khaki lab coats are optional. Uniforms and shoes may be purchased at uniform stores or at some department stores.

The Esthetics kit and textbooks are available at the Central Carolina Community College Bookstore. These items are usually not available until a few weeks before the semester starts.



FINANCIAL AID

Registration is scheduled prior to the start of the fall semester. Tuition is paid at the time of registration and is based on credit hours for that semester. If needed, students should apply for financial aid early or have a payment plan ready for registration. Students can apply for federal grants at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Also, students may apply for a personal educational loan through a provider of their choice. The college does not have an educational loan program.