**Carroll High School Career Center**

**Instructor: Mrs. Shawn/ Mrs. Campbell**

**Cosmetology Department**

**State Board Practicum- Syllabus**

**PROGRAM GOAL:**

* Guide students on the path to passing the Alabama State Board of Cosmetology written and practical exam,
* To prepare students for a successful career in cosmetology.
* Cultivate a culture of professionalism.
* Prepare students for all areas of today’s workforce.
* To make all aspects of Cosmetology relevant to each student.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

This is a one-credit course culminating course that provides students with a comprehensive study of State Board procedures and practical applications in cosmetology and nail care. The course consists of Pathway A-Cosmetology, content standards 1-19, and Pathway B- Nail Care Services, content standards 1-13 and 20-22. Upon successful completion of this course, students are able to demonstrate practical skills necessary for meeting state licensure requirements and for successful employment. The prerequisites for this course depend upon the licensure the student is pursuing.

**COURSE GOALS:**

This course also encourages students to attend post-secondary or private accredited cosmetology school and finish their training so they can be able to take the Alabama State Board of Cosmetology Exam and become a licensed cosmetologist.

**TEXTBOOK AND WORKBOOK:**

Milady’s Standard Textbook and Theory and Practical Workbooks.

**FINANCIAL OBLIGATION:**

$50.00 - This includes the kit cost of $34 (which can be used in following classes) and also the Skills USA membership fee of $16.

**LENGTH:**

One Term (One Semester – 18 Weeks)

**PRE-REQUISITE:**

The prerequisites for this course depend upon the licensure the student is pursuing.

**INSTRUCTIONAL PHILOSOPHY:**

It is our belief that all students can learn from the courses available in the cosmetology department. It is proven that students learn more when they are challenged; therefore, we strive to create a rigorous learning environment. While all students may not go on to achieve a cosmetology license, all lessons in the course will be relevant and useful to each and every student. We feel that relationships are one of the most essential aspects of being a successful cosmetologist. Students are encouraged to work as teams as often as possible to help mold interpersonal relationships and to fine-tune social skills that are essential in any career.

**ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES:**

Students will be graded as follows:

Daily grades will be from warm-ups, sanitation assignments, lab procedures, and homework assignments.

**\*\*Daily assignments will count as 10% of the 9 weeks average.**

**\*\*Minor grades will count as 30% of the 9 weeks average.**

**\*\*Major grades will count as 60% of the 9 weeks average.**

**\*\*Nine weeks exam will count as 20% of the 9 weeks average.**

**GRADING SCALE:**

**A} 100-90**

**B} 89-80**

**C} 79-70**

**D} 69-60**

**F} 59 AND BELOW**

**CTSO/SKILLS USA:**

Skills USA is a partnership of students, teachers, and industry working together to ensure America has a skilled workforce. Skills USA will help each student excel in industry areas that interest them most. Skills USA allows students to focus on their talents and compete against other students in the state and the nation. Skills USA serves more than 300,000 students and instructors annually. The organization has 13,000 school chapters in 54 state and territorial associations.

**ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS:**

What academic, decision-making, teamwork and 21st Century technology skills are necessary to be a professional cosmetologist?

**STUDENT INDUSTRY CREDENTIAL:**

State Board of Cosmetology License (written and practical exam)

**CULMINATING PROJECT:**

Throughout the course, students use foundational knowledge and skills to master content standards.

\*\*If you need to contact an instructor, you can reach them by calling the Carroll High School Career Center at 334-774-4949\*\*