



**Career and Technical Education Pathway
Business and Hospitality Education
Spa Technologies**

Manicuring and Nail Technology Certificate

The Manicuring/Nail Technology curriculum provides competency-based knowledge, scientific/artistic principles, and hands-on fundamentals associated with the nail technology industry. The curriculum provides a simulated salon environment which enables students to develop manipulative skills. Course work includes instruction in all phases of professional nail technology, business/computer principles, product knowledge, and other related topics. Graduates should be prepared to take the North Carolina Cosmetology Board Licensing Exam and upon passing be licensed and qualify for employment in beauty and nail salons, as a platform artist, and in related businesses. The Mountain Tech Spa, an on-campus spa facility, provides practical experience for Manicuring/Nail Technology students under the direction of College Faculty.

CORE COURSES			
Course Prefix/Num	Course Title		
<u>COS 121*</u>	Manicure/Nail Technology I	6	SHC
<u>COS 222</u>	Manicure/Nail Technology II	6	SHC
Total SHC for Core Courses:		12	SHC
OTHER MAJOR COURSES			
Course Prefix/Num	Course Title		
<u>BUS 139</u>	Entrepreneurship I	3	
<u>CIS 113</u>	Computer Basics	1	
Total SHC for Other Major Courses:		4	SHC
Total SHC for Program		16	

* Requires benchmark/placement testing

Estimated Costs:

Textbooks:	\$100
Uniforms:	\$160 plus shoes
Tools:	\$215
Consumable Supplies:	\$30 per lab course (excludes BUS and CIS courses)
Immunizations:	up to \$220
Professional Certification Exam:	\$148
Other:	Exam prep- up to \$50
Health Physical Exam:	\$220