

COSMETOLOGY NAIL TECHNICIAN

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Certificate of Proficiency

30114

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This program prepares you for an entry-level position as a nail technician. Emphasis is on basic nail care, manicuring, and hand and arm massage. Upon successful completion of the nail tech program, minimum of two (2) semesters to obtain the 600 hours of training necessary, students will be eligible to take the Arizona State Board of Cosmetology nail technician exam. The Nail Tech Program meets approximately eight (8) to eight and a half (8 1/2) hours a day, five days a week depending on the Academy being attended, with required Saturdays. This program is only offered when a minimum of two (2) full-time students are accepted and registered.

In addition to general tuition, a required course fee will be applied per credit hour for all Cosmetology/Nail Tech courses enrolled and depending on the Academy being attended course fees may vary. Contact EAC at (928) 428-8509 for more information.

Entry into the Cosmetology/Nail Technician program requires prior admission. Contact one of the following Cosmetology Academies for admission procedures:

- Eastern Arizona College Cosmetology Academy, (928) 428-8878 (Thatcher Campus)
- Gila Academy of Cosmetology, (928) 425-8849 (Gila Pueblo Campus-Globe)
- Rim Country Cosmetology Academy, (928) 468-9090 (Payson Campus)

Special Note: A high school program is also offered to qualified students through a career and technical education school district (CTED). The high school program meets four (4) hours a day, five (5) days a week, and eight (8) hours on each of the two required Saturdays a month during the regular school year. The high school program will take two (2) semesters to complete and is a Fall start only beginning their Junior or Senior year.

Curriculum Requirements

COS 121	Nail Care I	1 credit
COS 123	Nail Care II	1 credit
COS 125	Manicuring I	4 credits
COS 127	Manicuring II	4 credits
COS 150	Manicuring III	4 credits
COS 152	Manicuring IV	4 credits

Total Minimum Certificate Requirements - 18 credits

In order to obtain this certificate you must:

- Complete each required course above with a grade of "C" or better
- File a petition for certificate through your Gila Hank Online account.
- Remove any indebtedness to the College.
- Complete at least 9 certificate credits at Eastern Arizona College.