



MISSION STATEMENT

The Tennessee Colleges of Applied Technology serve as premier suppliers of workforce development throughout Tennessee. The colleges fulfill their mission by:

- Providing competency-based training through superior quality, traditional and distance learning instruction methods that qualify completers for employment and job advancement;
- Contributing to the economic and community development of the communities served by training and retraining employed workers;
- Ensuring that programs and services are economical and accessible to all residents of Tennessee; and
- Building relationships of trust with community, business, and industry leaders to supply highly skilled workers in areas of need.



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CLASS SCHEDULES

Full-time classes are offered Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:45 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Part-time class schedules may vary according to local needs.

This program is offered at the main campus and at the Livingston campus.

STUDENT COST

Cost can be found on our website:
www.tcatuppercumberland.edu/programs.

FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid is available to those students who are eligible. Students can be assessed for eligibility for Federal Pell Grants, Federal SEOG, TN Student Assistance Award, Wilder-Naifeh Technical Skills Grant, TN Promise, TN Reconnect and Federal Work Study. The school also coordinates efforts with the Department of Veteran's Affairs, Voc. Rehabilitation, WIOA, TRA and TOPS.

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL ARTICULATION

TCAT Upper Cumberland has articulation agreements with local high schools in the school's service area. These agreements establish guidelines by which high school students may receive advanced placement in programs for skills acquired in high school. For more information on how to receive advanced placement, contact your high school guidance counselor or the Student Services Office at TCAT Upper Cumberland.

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COSMETOLOGY

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Discover how to launch a professional career in the beauty industry with practical skills and creative techniques. In the Cosmetology program, you will build the technical and creative skills needed for success in the beauty industry. Training combines classroom instruction with hands-on practice to help you build confidence in both salon services and client care.

You will learn how to:

- Cut, color and style hair using current cosmetology techniques
- Perform manicures, pedicures, facials, hand and arm massages and other beauty services
- Apply chemical treatments, shampooing and specialized hair services
- Follow sanitation, safety and hygiene standards in a salon setting
- Deliver strong customer service and build professional client relationships
- Understand basic shop management and workplace expectations
- Prepare for the Tennessee State Board of Cosmetology Licensing Exam



ADMISSION POLICY

A. Applicants Not Enrolled in High School

Applicants not enrolled in high school are eligible for admission provided that:

1. They are at least 18 years of age or have a high school diploma or equivalent.
2. They declare an occupational objective or demonstrate through testing or counseling reasonable potential for achieving that objective.

B. Applicants Enrolled in High School

Applicants enrolled in high school are eligible for admission provided that:

1. An agreement authorizing such admission concluding between the local Board of Education and the Tennessee College of Applied Technology. Such agreements are subject to the approval of the chancellor or his designee.
2. Admission of Foreign Non-Immigrants. Foreign non-immigrant applicants are eligible for admission if they meet the same conditions required for other applicants.

ADMISSION PROCEDURES

STEPS FOR ENROLLMENT



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COURSES

First Trimester

Worker Characteristic
Orientation
Sterilization, Bacteriology
Anatomy & Physiology
Shop Ethics & Salesmanship
State Law
Tech Foundations
Shampooing & Rinsing
Hair & Scalp Care
Hair Shaping
Hairstyling
Facials
Manicuring & Pedicuring
Permanent Waving
Hair Structure & Chemistry

Second Trimester

Worker Characteristic
Sterilization, Bacteriology II
Anatomy & Physiology II
Shop Ethics & Salesmanship II
Shampooing & Rinsing II
Hair & Scalp Care II
Hair Shaping II
Hairstyling II
Facials & Eyebrows
Manicuring & Pedicuring II
Permanent Waves II
Hair Relaxers
Hair Color & Lightening
Hair Structure & Chemistry II

Third Trimester

Worker Characteristic
Sterilization Bacteriology III
Anatomy & Physiology III
Shop Ethics & Salesmanship III
Hair Shaping II
Hairstyling III
Facials & Eyebrows II
Permanent Waves III
Hair Relaxers II
Hair color & Lightening III
Sculptured Nails

Fourth Trimester

Worker Characteristic
Sterilization, Bacteriology IV
Shop Ethics & Salesmanship IV
State Law II
Hair Shaping IV
Hairstyling IV
Permanent Waving IV
Hair Relaxers III
Hair Color & Lightening IV

CERTIFICATES & DIPLOMAS

Certificate

Hair Braider	44 hours
Shampooist	432 hours

Diploma

Cosmetologist	1500 hours
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