

Barber or Cosmetology Apprenticeship Instructor Certification Course



This course is for individuals seeking a barbering, nail technician, aesthetician or cosmetology instructor certification. Participants will be provided with the hours, competencies and observation opportunities to meet Wisconsin state requirements qualifying them to take their instructor exam.

In order to participate in the training you must have a Barber or Cosmetology license and have at least one year of full-time experience **or** hold a manager's license.

Participants explore the skills required to teach barbering, cosmetology, nails or aesthetics to new

students entering the field. Emphasis is placed on the development and presentation of state board learning plans with successful examination results. Observation time outside the classroom is required.

The course is set up in two separate components to meet the 150 hour state requirement and is two semesters in length. The course will cover the following topics listed in the table below.

Semester 1 (Course #502-420)

- The career education instructor
- Teaching plan and learning environment
- Teaching study and testing skills
- Basic learning styles and principles
- Methods of teaching and learning
- Communicating confidently
- Effective presentation
- Classroom management and supervision
- Achieving learner results
- Program development and lesson planning

Semester 2 (Course #502-421)

- Educational aids
- Assessing progress and advising students
- How to establish an institution team
- Career and employment preparation
- Retaining students
- Educator communication and relationships
- Learning is a laughing matter
- Teaching success strategies
- Teams at work

Upon successful completion of this course, participants must enroll and successfully complete Supervised Teaching to meet the 150 hour state requirement for certification in order to take the state board exam.

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