

Spring 2022 Program Advisory Committee Minutes

Program: Cosmetology Date: 4/7/22

Members Present: Cassia Gilroy, Linda Rickard, Katina Roberts, Kathy Champlain, Kim Russell, and Janice DePace.

Program Facilitator: Cassia Gilroy
Committee Chair: Kathy Champlain

<u>Subject</u> Program Updates (enrollment, competency attainment, curriculum, equipment & projects/field work, senior portfolio showcase, etc)

Discussion:

Group discussed

- 1. Enrollment numbers for this year, as well as previous years. We discussed changes and challenges.
- 2. Ms. Smiths roll here at ENSTAS. Members are familiar with her from her time at Lawrence Tech.
- 3. We discussed this year's Seniors. 2 have passed already, 7 have appointments. We also talked about the new regulations for the MA State Board. When are changes taking place? Not clear yet.
- 4. School regulations such as limits on cell phone use. Cell phone caddies.



- 5. Safety testing in CTE for Equipment.
- 6. Employment outlooks.
- 7. Senior Showcase Portfolios are May 9th.

Subject Cooperative Education Update

<u>Discussion</u> Cooperative Education is available after completion of 1000 hours and passing score on written and practical exams. Currently no seniors on Co-Op.

Subject Review CTE Program Assessment

Discussion

We discussed some recommendations for the program. Student recommendations. We talked about our client days and what we do here. Facials and Manicures as well as hair.

<u>Subject</u> Employment Outlook/Industry Trends

<u>Discussion</u> Employment Outlook is great. Lots of different avenues for students to embark on. Definitely a need for stylists in the MA area.

Subject Recommendations for Program



Discussion

Next year we discussed some ideas we have about getting students ready for Co-Op. Completing hours has changed since allowing students at age 15 to start getting hours instead of 16.

Subject New Business

Discussion We talked about obtaining new members. Suggestions were shared. Looking to find different industry individuals that can be a good fit and contribute a lot to the program. We also discussed the Textured Hair Course through the Department of Education. This course is for Vocational teachers, and was great to learn about multi textured hair and ways to style. Bringing back the knowledge to the classroom. Provided information to Kathy

The meeting adjourned at (time): 7:55 pm