Paul Mitchell The School Temecula

STATE LICENSING DISCLAIMER AND REQUIREMENTS

The state may refuse to grant a license if a student has been convicted of a crime; committed any act involving dishonesty, fraud, or deceit; or committed any act that, if committed by a licentiate of the business or profession in question, would be grounds for the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology to deny licensure. The Board of Barbering and Cosmetology denies licensure on the grounds that the applicant knowingly made a false statement of fact required to be revealed in the application for such license. Students who are not U.S. citizens or who do not have documented authority to work in the United States will not be eligible to apply to take the state licensure examination. Paul Mitchell The School Temecula is not responsible for students denied licensure.

STATE LICENSING REQUIREMENTS

COSMETOLOGY

The board shall admit to examination for a license as a cosmetologist to practice cosmetology any person who has made application to the board in proper form, paid the fee required by this chapter, and is qualified as follows:

A. Is not less than 17 years of age.
B. Has completed the 10th grade in the public schools of this state or its equivalent.
C. Is not subject to denial pursuant to Section 480.
D. Has done any of the following:
    - Completed a course in cosmetology from a school approved by the board.
    - Practiced cosmetology as defined in this chapter outside of this state for a period of time equivalent to the study and training of a qualified person who has completed a course in cosmetology from a school the curriculum of which complied with requirements adopted by the board. Each three months of practice shall be deemed the equivalent of 100 hours of training for qualification under paragraph (1) of this subdivision.
    - Holds a license as a barber in this state and has completed a cosmetology crossover course in a school approved by the board.
    - Completed a barbering course in a school approved by the board and has completed a cosmetology crossover course in a school approved by the board.
    - Completed the apprenticeship program in cosmetology specified in Article 4 (commencing with Section 7332).

BARBERING

The board shall admit to examination for a license as a barber to practice barbering, any person who has made application to the board in proper form, paid the fee required by this chapter, and is qualified as follows:

A. Is not less than 17 years of age.
B. Has completed the 10th grade in the public schools of this state or its equivalent.
C. Is not subject to denial pursuant to Section 480.
D. Has done any of the following:
    - Completed a course in barbering from a school approved by the board.

- Completed an apprenticeship program in barbering approved by the board as conducted under the provisions of the Shelley-Maloney Apprentice Labor Standards Act of 1939, Chapter 4 (commencing with Section 3070) of Division 3 of the Labor Code.
- Practiced barbering as defined in this chapter outside of this state for a period of time equivalent to the study and training of a qualified person who has completed a course in barbering from a school the curriculum of which complied with requirements adopted by the board. Each three months of practice shall be deemed the equivalent of 100 hours of training for qualification under paragraph (1).
- Holds a license as a cosmetologist in this state and has completed a barber crossover course in a school approved by the board.
- Completed a cosmetology course in a school approved by the board and has completed a barber crossover course in a school approved by the board.
- Completed comparable military training as documented by submission of Verification of Military Experience and Training (V-MET) records.

ESTHETICS

The board shall admit to examination for a license as an esthetician to practice skin care, any person who has made application to the board in proper form, paid the fee required by this chapter, and is qualified as follows:

A. Is not less than 17 years of age.
B. Has completed the 10th grade in the public schools of this state or its equivalent.
C. Is not subject to denial pursuant to Section 480.
D. Has done any of the following:
    - Completed a course in skin care from a school approved by the board.
    - Practiced skin care, as defined in this chapter, outside of this state for a period of time equivalent to the study and training of a qualified person who has completed a course in skin care from a school the curriculum of which complied with requirements adopted by the board. Each three months of practice shall be deemed the equivalent of 100 hours of training for qualification under paragraph (1).
    - Completed the apprenticeship program in skin care specified in Article 4 (commencing with Section 7332).

NAIL CARE

The board shall admit to examination for a license as a manicurist to practice nail care, any person who has made application to the board in proper form, paid the fee required by this chapter, and is qualified as follows:

A. Is not less than 17 years of age.
B. Has completed the 10th grade in the public schools of this state or its equivalent.
C. Is not subject to denial pursuant to Section 480.
D. Has done any of the following:
    - Completed a course in nail care from a school approved by the board.
    - Practiced nail care, as defined in this chapter, outside of this state for a period of time equivalent to the study and training of a qualified person who has completed a course in nail care from a school the curriculum of which complied with requirements adopted by the board. Each three months of practice shall be deemed the equivalent of 100 hours of training for qualification under paragraph (1).
    - Completed the apprenticeship program in nail care specified in Article 4 (commencing with Section 7332).

STATE BOARD EXAMINATION FEE RESPONSIBILITY - EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2027

Students are solely responsible for all costs and fees associated with applying for and taking the California Board of Barbering and Cosmetology licensing examinations upon graduation.

Current Board Application Fees:

- **Cosmetology/Barbering Exam:** $125
- **Esthetician Exam:** $115
- **Manicurist Exam:** $110

Note: All examination and initial licensing fees are set by and paid directly to the California Board of Barbering and Cosmetology and are subject to change without notice. Additionally, the State Board may apply processing fees or surcharges when payments are made using a credit card.