BARBER TECHNOLOGIST

Technical Diploma
Program Code: 30-502-5
Total Credits: 25

The Barber Technologist program at Mid-State is a part-time program that gives students hands-on training in the techniques they need to thrive in barbering. Through a combination of online and face-to-face classes, as well as hours in Mid-State's on-campus salon, you'll learn both traditional and modern cutting and styling, safe use of common barber shop chemicals, and professional shaving techniques.

Mid-State's Barber Technologist program prepares students to obtain the required licensure to be employed/practice in the state of Wisconsin. The College does not guarantee its curriculum matches the requirements for preparation, examination, or licensure for other states.

Estimated tuition and fees: mstc.edu/programcosts

ACADEMIC ADVISOR
To schedule an appointment with an academic advisor, call 715.422.5300. Academic advisors will travel to other campuses as necessary to accommodate student needs. For more information about advising, visit **mstc.edu/advising**.

CHECKLIST:
This section will be completed when meeting with your academic advisor.

❑ FAFSA (www.fafsa.gov)

❑ Financial Aid Form(s)

　Form(s): _____

❑ Follow-Up Appointment:

　Where: _____

　When:_____

　With:_____

❑ Official Transcripts
　Mid-State Technical College
　Student Services Assistant
　1001 Centerpoint Drive
　Stevens Point, WI 54481

❑ Other:_____

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MID-STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE

ADAMS CAMPUS
401 North Main
Adams, WI 53910

MARSHFIELD CAMPUS
2600 West 5th Street
Marshfield, WI 54449

STEVENS POINT CAMPUS
1001 Centerpoint Drive
Stevens Point, WI 54481

WISCONSIN RAPIDS CAMPUS
500 32nd Street North
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT

COLLEGE TRANSFER

RETURNING ADULT

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- Certifications and Licenses
- High School Credit
- Military Experience
- National/Standardized Exams
- Transfer Credit
- Work and Life Experience

Learn about Credit for Prior Learning at **mstc.edu/cpl**.

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Start Your Career
- Barber
- Barber Sales (Retail/Wholesale)
- Barbershop Owner

BACHELOR'S DEGREE

BACHELOR'S DEGREE OPTIONS
For more information and additional opportunities, visit **mstc.edu/transfer**.

OTHER OPTIONS

RELATED PROGRAMS
- Cosmetology
- Nail Technician

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

Employers will expect you, as a Barber Technologist graduate, to be able to:

- Apply safety and infection control procedures.
- Identify hair and scalp disorders.
- Perform haircutting services.
- Demonstrate shaving and other facial hair removal techniques.
- Perform male facial procedures.
- Perform texture services.
- Perform hair color services.
- Demonstrate hairstyling and finishing techniques.
- Adhere to the current Wisconsin administrative codes and statutes for barbers.
- Demonstrate interpersonal skills for success.

TECHNICAL SKILLS ATTAINMENT

The Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS) has implemented a requirement that all technical colleges measure program outcomes attained by students. This requirement is called Technical Skills Attainment (TSA). The main objective of TSA is to ensure graduates have the technical skills needed by employers. Students will take a mock board exam to fulfill the TSA requirement.

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Program begins every January and runs through December.

This program meets the Wisconsin state barbering requirement of 1,000 hours of training and is regulated by the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services. Federal regulations require programs for licensure to use clock hours in all areas of administering Title IV federal financial aid. Financial aid and scholarships are available to those who qualify.

Students must purchase a kit comprised of required tools and supplies. The cost of the kit is approximately $1,100.

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TECHNICAL STANDARDS

Students must have good fine motor skills, especially finger dexterity, as well as good hand/eye coordination and 20/40 vision in best eye with 70 degrees to each side for peripheral vision, as determined by the Department of Transportation.

PROGRAM PROGRESSION

In order to progress in and successfully complete the program, students must repeat core courses (courses numbered 30-502-xxx) not completed with a grade of "C" or better prior to progressing in core courses or other courses with co- or prerequistes.

Please note that the ability to repeat courses is dependent upon availability of courses. Students may be required to apply for program re-entry in order to repeat courses.

STUDENT HANDBOOK

Visit **mstc.edu/studenthandbook** to view Mid-State's student handbook, which contains information about admissions, enrollment, appeals processes, services for people with disabilities, financial aid, graduation, privacy, Mid-State's Student Code of Conduct, and technology.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT

The GPS for Student Success course is required for all Mid-State program students and is recommended to be completed before obtaining 12 credits. (Not counted in the total credit value for this program.) Some students are exempt from this requirement. Please see your program advisor for more information.

GPS for Student Success ✎
10890102 ....1 credit
Integrate necessary skills for student success by developing an academic plan, identifying interpersonal attributes for success, adopting efficient and effective learning strategies, and utilizing Mid-State resources, policies, and processes. This course is recommended to be completed prior to obtaining 12 credits and is a graduation requirement unless you receive an exemption from your program advisor.

ADDITIONAL COURSES AS NEEDED

The following courses may be recommended or required if the student does not achieve minimum Accuplacer scores.

College Reading and Writing 1
10831104 ....3 credits
Provides learners with opportunities to develop and expand reading and writing skills to prepare for college-level academic work. Students will employ critical reading strategies to improve comprehension, analysis, and retention of texts. Students will apply the writing process to produce well-developed, coherent, and unified written work.

Pre-Algebra
10834109 ....3 credits
Provides an introduction to algebra. Includes operations on real numbers, solving linear equations, percent and proportion, and an introduction to polynomials and statistics. Prepares students for elementary algebra and subsequent algebra-related courses.
Prerequisite: Accuplacer Math score of 65, Accuplacer Algebra score of 30, ABE Math Prep V 76854785 and ABE Math Prep VI 76854786 with a grade of "S." (Note: ABE Math Prep V and VI courses cannot be used to satisfy program completion requirements at Mid-State.)

SAMPLE PART-TIME CURRICULUM OPTION

Term		12 credits
30502340	Haircutting Techniques for Barbers	3
30502341	Facial Hair and Skin Care Techniques for Barbers	4
30502342	Barbershop Operations	1
30502703	Introduction to the Barber Profession	2
30502706	Hairstyling for Barbers	2

Term		3 credits
30502343	Barbershop Service Skills	1
30502344	Basic Barber Client Services	2

Term		10 credits
30502345	Advanced Barber Client Services	2
30502346	Barber Capstone Experience	2
30502704	Haircoloring for Barbers	2
30502705	Chemical Texturing for Barbers	2
30502734	Master Barber Client Services	2

Total credits 25

☑ This course has options available to receive credit for prior learning (CPL) or work experience. Visit the website at **mstc.edu/cpl** or contact your advisor for details.

Please Note:
- The Barber Technologist program is a part-time hybrid program.
- This curriculum sequence is only for student planning. Actual student schedules will vary depending on course availability.
- Program completion time may vary based on student scheduling and course availability. For details, go to **mstc.edu/schedule**.

NOTES:

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Advanced Barber Client Services
30502345 ....2 credits
Students continue to refine barbering techniques with an emphasis on haircoloring and chemical texturing services. Students will apply knowledge and skills to provide all barber services on customers in the on-campus barbershop.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025
Corequisites: Haircoloring for Barbers 30502704 and Chemical Texturing for Barbers 30502705

Barber Capstone Experience
30502346 ....2 credits
Students prepare for the state board exam and for securing a job. Students complete a mock assessment of all state board practical and written concepts, including state law. Students also prepare for their job search and for working with the business side of the barbering industry.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025; Corequisite: Master Barber Client Services 30502734

Barbershop Operations
30502342 ....1 credit
Focuses on developing front desk and client relation skills including managing bookings and applying sanitation standards to dispensary practices. Emphasizes daily operations of a barbershop and the professional attitudes needed to be successful in the industry.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025; Corequisite: Introduction to the Barber Profession 30502703

Barbershop Service Skills
30502343 ....1 credit
Taking knowledge learned from the first semester courses, students practice consultations and draping, haircutting, hairstyling, shaving and facial massages in the on-campus barbershop.
Prerequisites: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025,Haircutting Techniques for Barbers 30502340, Facial Hair and Skin Care Techniques for Barbers 30502341, Hairstyling for Barbers 30502706

Basic Barber Client Services
30502344 ....2 credits
Students continue to enhance their barbering techniques by working on actual clients in the on-campus barbershop setting. Emphasis is placed on interacting with clients and performing services at a faster rate with more precision.
Prerequisites: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025, Haircutting Techniques for Barbers 30502340, Facial Hair and Skin Care Techniques for Barbers 30502341, Hairstyling for Barbers 30502706

Chemical Texturing for Barbers
30502705 ....2 credits
This course provides an overview of various wrap techniques, hair relaxing applications, reformation curls, and chemical blow-out services.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025

Facial Hair and Skin Care Techniques for Barbers
30502341.. 4 credits
Shaving and facial massages are two services central to the barbering profession. Students will learn about the techniques, tools, equipment, and products used in performing facial massages and facial hair services.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025

Haircoloring for Barbers
30502704 ....2 credits
This course includes the theory and chemistry of color mixing as well as procedures including lightening, cap, foiling, and corrective color.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025

Haircutting Techniques for Barbers
30502340... 3 credits
Introduces haircutting theory and terminology and provides students with practice using the basic tools of the barbering profession. Students will learn how to perform a cut from consultation to finishing techniques.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025

Hairstyling for Barbers
30502706 ....2 credits
This course emphasizes wet and dry hairstyling and includes hair analysis, shampooing, conditioning, reconditioning, scalp and hair treatments, blow drying, fingerwaves, pincurls, roller setting, thermal styling, and hair replacement techniques.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist Program 305025

Introduction to the Barber Profession
30502703 ....2 credits
Provides an overview of the barbering profession, safety and decontamination in the barbershop, properties and disorders of the skin and scalp, and related science theory.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist program 305025

Master Barber Client Services
30502734 ....2 credits
Students provide all barber services on customers in the client lab and prepare for the Wisconsin State Barber licensing exam. Emphasis is on providing services with speed and accuracy, including hair and scalp analysis, shampooing, haircutting, shaving, facial services, and chemical services.
Prerequisite: Admission to Barber Technologist program 305025; Corequisites: Haircoloring for Barbers 30502704, Chemical Texturing for Barbers 30502705