FAQ:

STEM and Cosmetology Relation

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What is STEM?

STEM is the abbreviation for Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. back

What is Cosmetology?

Cosmetology is the study of hair, nails and skin. back

How is STEM related to the cosmetology field?

STEM is related to the cosmetology field for simple reasons. S, being science in the abbreviation, could easily be the relation to how the chemicals in the cosmetology field work. You have many different chemicals, such as hair dyes', and the chemicals used to clean the tools. T, or technology, or could having to scan someone for an item they wish to purchase, or the online appointments. M, or mathematics, could be used for the math when you need to add up when someone buys something. Or, when you need to measure the hair length to be cut off, or when you measure how much hair color to mix.

Who traditionally <u>hires</u> cosmetologists?

When wanting a job, you have to look in the right places. People look for certain things when it comes down to hiring someone new. You can go to any place that does the services you majored in. But, they want certain requirements. They want a cosmetologist who knows exactly what they are doing and able to follow directions. If you can't follow directions, you could easily end up with an unhappy costumer. That means less business. Less business, less money, which is a bad thing for the company you work for. back

What STEM companies might hire cosmetologists?

Pretty much any STEM company that deals with the cosmetology field would hire a cosmetologist. If the field has human interaction involved, or any life skills needed, a cosmetologist usually can go in that section.

What type of careers can you create or have out of the <u>Cosmetology field</u>?

You can have many different careers out of the Cosmetology field. Some of them include a hairstylist, Salon Manager, Makeup artist, Nail care specialist, and skin care specialist. back

What is the *importance* of the Cosmetology field?

Many people think that beauty is important for your looks. But, cosmetology is much more than that. In cosmetology, you can make people feel good about themselves. Also, you can help out someone's health, because their skin could easily be problematic. You could help someone fix their hair, and make them feel good.

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What are the <u>positives</u> have having a career in the <u>STEM</u> <u>field?</u>

A career with STEM is a good idea. There is a higher pay, more job availability, less competition to get a job, less of a gender gap, and better classes available. You get paid a higher wage than other careers. Also, there are much more jobs available for STEM careers. And, having knowledge from a STEM class, you can get a job much easier than other people. Less of a gender gap means that it is much easier to get a job, male or female. And, better classes means you can get a better education within STEM over other classes.

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What are the types of <u>schools</u> available to cosmetologists?

There are two main types of schools; private and community. You could also do a vocational or trade school.

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How much money a year does a cosmetologist make?

It is all depending on the actual career you choose. But, if you are a plain hairstylist, it can go from \$16,710-\$41,490 a year, including tips.

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