

**PHAGANS' COLLEGES**  
**COURSE OUTLINE FOR NAIL TECHNOLOGY**

**Course title:** Nail Technology

**Course length:** 350 hours

**Description of the course:** Nail Technology is the study of nails and their associated structures, disorders and diseases, as well as Manicuring, Pedicuring, Reflexology, Nail art, and Artificial nail applications i.e.: wraps, silk, linen, gels, acrylic and fiberglass.

**Course Goals and Objectives:**

*Upon successful completion of this course, the graduate will be able to:*

1. Qualify to take the Board of Cosmetology written exam on Nail technology, pedicuring, manicuring, and artificial nails.
2. Identify nail diseases and disorders.
3. Perform the tasks of Nail Technology in a proficient manner that will provide employment.
4. Have an awareness of personal self worth, pride and professionalism.

**Contents of Units of Instruction:** (See back page)

**Course Format:** Phagans' Educators present the material to the student by demonstrations, lectures, and student participation. The educator is supported by the use of textbooks, audio visual aids, videos, flip charts, games, white boards, DVD's, and guest speakers. Nail Technology is divided into four (4) units. The units are Pre-clinic/Freshman extension, Sophomore, Junior, and Senior. Each unit consists of academic, lab class and student salon/clinic.

**Grading Procedures:**

*Grades will be given for:*

**Attendance grade**= number hours scheduled divided by the number of hours attended.

**Academic grade** = Average of academic, lab class and student salon/clinic grades.

100-95	A Excellent
94-89	B Very good
88-82	C Good
82-75	D Passing
74-and below	F Fail

A grade of **75%** must be met in Academic and Attendance to maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress.

**Course evaluations:**

Written and practical evaluations are given at the end of each Unit. A total of twenty and one-half (20½) hours have been designated for the Nail Technology Course evaluations. The senior unit contains *Phagans' Cosmetology Colleges* Final Practical and Written Evaluations.

**Textbooks:**

Pivot Point: Cosmetology Fundamentals Text, Study Guide, Exam Prep.

Phagans' Cosmetology Colleges *The Edge Manual*

**Student Copy** I acknowledge that I have received my copy of this course outline by signing the Orientation check-off list.

<b>Academic lab</b>	<b>Hours</b>
I. Manicuring	20
A. Supplies and Materials	
B. Equipment	
C. Procedures	
II. Reflexology/Massage	4
A. Benefits	
B. Techniques	
III. Pedicuring	14
A. Supplies and Materials	
B. Equipment	
C. Procedures	
D. Spa Pedicure	2.5
1. Aromatherapy	
E. Paraffin Dip	2.5
IV. Enhancements Nails	70.5
A. Supplies and Materials	
B. Equipment	
C. Procedures	
1. Acrylic	
A. Tips	
B. Forms	
2. Wraps	3.5
A. Fiberglass	
B. Silk/Linen	
3. Gel	5
4. Fills	2.5
V. Nail Art	6
Flat and 3-D nail art	
1. Equipment and Supplies	
2. Procedures	

<b>Academic</b>	<b>Hours</b>
Ungiology	8.5
Anatomy	2
Electricity	2
Chemistry	4
State Board Review	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>20.5</b>

<b>Clinic operations</b>	<b>Minimum</b>
Manicures	60
Pedicures	60
Artificial Nails	
Forms	10
Tips	10
Wraps	10
Gels	5
Fills (Sets)	10
Repairs per nail	5
Nail removal	3

Academic	20.5
Academic/lab	132.0
Clinic/lab	177.0
Evaluations	20.5
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>350.0</b>