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### Core Courses 54 Credits

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*(Each course is worth 3 credits unless noted)*

- COS 107 Business Skill 1
- COS 108 Business Skill 2
- COS 142 Introduction to Hair Care (6 credits)
- COS 143 Introduction to Basic Skin Care (2 credits)
- COS 144 Introduction to Basic Nail Care (2 credits)
- COS 145 Law & Ethics of a Beauty Professional
- COS 146 Scientific Concepts 1
- COS 147 Scientific Concepts 2
- COS 231 Advanced Hair Care 1
- COS 232 Advanced Hair Care II
- COS 233 Advanced Hair Care III
- COS 234 Advanced Skin Care I
- COS 235 Advanced Skin Care II
- COS 236 Advanced Skin Care III
- COS 237 Advanced Nail Care I
- COS 238 Advanced Nail Care II
- COS 239 Advanced Nail Care III
- COS 240 Prepare for Licensure (2 Credits)

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### Important Dates to Remember:

- **Fall 2018 Semester:**
  - April 9: Schedule available online..
  - April 16: Veterans Priority Registration Day.
  - April 23: Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.
  - August 20: Fall semester begins.
  - August 31: Last day to withdraw without a “W” on transcript.
  - September 3: Labor Day College Closed
  - October 2: Graduation Application deadline.

- **Spring 2019 Semester:**
  - November 13: Schedule available online.
  - November 19: Veterans Priority Registration Day.
  - November 26: Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.
  - January 14: Spring semester begins...
  - February 20: Spring Graduation Application deadline.
  - March 11-14: Spring Break
  - May 11: Graduation

- **Summer 2019 Semester:**
  - March 11: Schedule available online
  - March 18: Veteran’s Priority Deadline
  - March 23: Summer Registration begins at 7:30 a.m
  - June 3: Summer session begins.
  - June 4: Last day to withdraw without a “W” on transcript.

### Helpful Definitions and Websites

- **See the cost savings in just tuition by completing the first two years of your bachelor’s degree at NPC at www.npc.edu/transfer**
- **Find out more about NPC transfer agreements with other colleges and universities at www.npc.edu/transfer-agreements**
- **Learn all about Arizona’s guaranteed transfer degrees to ASU, NAU and UoA at www.aztransfer.com**
- **NPC’s college catalog is available online at www.npc.edu/college-catalog or from any campus or center adviser.**
- **Articulation:** the process of determining the transfer and applicability of courses from one institution of higher education to another.
- **Course Equivalencies:** shows how community college courses transfer to the three state universities. It also has many equivalencies among the three state universities. It does NOT indicate how a course transfers to a specific degree program. Course equivalencies are “year specific” meaning that in order to see if course work will transfer, you must review the Course Equivalency Guide for the year in which you took the course.
- **Course Prefix:** generally three or four characters identifying a department or division in which a course is taught *(example: SOC is commonly used for Sociology courses)*
- **Prerequisites:** a course that must be completed prior to taking a subsequent course.
- **SUN#: the Shared Unique Number (SUN) System identifies some of the transferable lower-division courses commonly offered at the three Arizona public universities and at least two Arizona community colleges. The system ensures that a SUN course at a participating institution will be accepted as a direct equivalent to the comparable SUN course at the other participating institution.**