

News about a College Tech Prep Program from the Six District Educational Compact



From left, Emily Ulbricht, Cuyahoga Falls, and McKenna Gessford, Hudson, practice manicures.

# **About the Cosmetology program at Cuyahoga Falls**

Cosmetology is a two-year program that encompasses a focus on science, art and professional grooming services for patrons in our community. Students and instructors are kept up to date in this rapidly changing profession and benefit from hosting guest artists and attending hair shows.

Students are positive self-starters, creative and resourceful. They are able to accept constructive criticism and solve problems in order to achieve their goals. Upon completion of the program and passing the Ohio State Cosmetology and Barber Board, student will qualify for immediate employment.



Instructor Michelle Ramirez helps first and second graders at Silver Lake Elementary.

## **Attending Cleveland Fashion Focus Hair Show 2018**



### Cosmetology students attend the Cleveland Fashion Focus Hair Show at the Cleveland Convention Center in October.

Students in the Cuyahoga Falls Cosmetology program started their year by attending the 2018 Cleveland Fashion Focus Hair Show. Students and instructors attended classes throughout the day, learning the latest industry trends. Students were immersed in advanced haircutting, hair coloring and barbering techniques.

"It was amazing!" says **Bailey Mosley**, Stow-Munroe Falls. "I learned a lot of different techniques on how to do things, like blow outs, clipper cuts and haircuts."

According to **Natalie Rockwell**, Stow-Munroe Falls, "It was fun and a great experience. This will help us in the long run."

"I thought it was a great learning experience to have, especially to see other cosmetologists doing something they love and seeing the models smiling happily after the service," explains **Cheyenne Budd**, Cuyahoga Falls.

#### **Career Days at Silver Lake, Lincoln Elementary Schools**

Students in Cosmetology at Cuyahoga Falls recently participated in Career Days at Silver Lake and Lincoln Elementary Schools and showcased what students learn in the Six District Educational Compact College Tech Prep program.

Guided by Student Ambassadors **Emily Ulbrecht**, Cuyahoga Falls, and Hannah Carlton, **Cuyahoga Falls**, first and second graders at Silver Lake Elementary were treated to hands-on demonstrations.

Fourth and fifth graders at Lincoln Elementary saw a video of the cosmetology program and had the opportunity to handle some of the tools of the trade. The elementary students were excited and engaged in the activities.



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Cosmetology students embarked on a global journey this fall and were joined by other students from Cuyahoga Falls High School. The club is advised by **Ellen Allerton**.

The Culture Club helps bring awareness of all the many cultures represented in the Cuyahoga Falls City Schools. Cosmetology students are researching 30 different countries and regions and showcasing art and traditional style and then interpreting their findings with hairstyles on practice heads.

The display in the Cuyahoga Falls High School library during the month of January features a brief synopsis of student's findings and cultural differences. The Community Cultural Fair in January will feature food, song and dance from various members of the community.

# **Students create '20s hairstyles for** *Radium Girls*

Cosmetology students celebrated their fifth year of assisting with the fall play at Cuyahoga Falls High School. The play, Radium Girls, is set in the 1920's and features female factory workers who contracted radiation poisoning from painting watch dials with self-luminous paint.

Cosmetology students were challenged to recreate authentic 1920's hairstyles. The team was led by **Dauteile Hayes,** Cuyahoga



Falls, and included both Level I and II. According to instructor **Michelle Ramirez**, "Not only did the students succeed in recreating authentic hairstyles, they were also met with rave reviews on social media by people in the community who had attended the play."

Those who worked on the play included Jesse Roberts, Cuyahoga Falls; Hannah Carlton, Cuyahoga Falls; Emily Ulbricht, Cuyahoga Falls; Lauren Caldwell, Cuyahoga Falls; Alyssa Bekeleski, Cuyahoga Falls; Kayla Beaune, Stow-Munroe Falls; Raygan Corrigall, Cuyahoga Falls; Chloie Harriman, Stow-Munroe Falls; Cheyenne Budd, Cuyahoga Falls; Dauteille Hayes, Cuyahoga Falls; Mikayla Cohen, Hudson; Bailey Mosley, Stow-Munroe Falls; Emma Decker, Stow-Munroe Falls; Mariah Sanders, Stow-Munroe Falls; Kayleigh Page, Stow-Munroe Falls; Grace Ohler, Cuyahoga Falls; Katie Howard, Cuyahoga Falls; Charlie Johns, Stow-Munroe Falls; Natalie Rockwell, Stow-Munroe Falls; and Thomas Bruening, Hudson.

## **New advertising promotions for Tiger Salon**

Tiger Salon, part of the Cosmetology program at Cuyahoga Falls High School, is the focus of a new studentled project to gain more visibility and clients in the school and community.

Cosmetology students, along with students from CFHS Tiger Time News, instructed by science teacher **Ashlynn Schindler**, are collaborating on all of the video announcements for the year. They have created new commercials and biweekly beauty blogs, as well as promoting free haircuts and manicures for the entire student body through the daily announcements.

A new website helps create more visibility and business in the community. Visit https://cframirezm.wixsite.com/mysite-1 The site features information about services and hours, as well as testimonials from satisfied clients. Check Instagram under Tiger\_Salon\_ for updates.

According to instructor **Michelle Ramirez**, "We are happy to see an increased amount of foot traffic in our salon, which gives the students more opportunity to perfect their craft."

Tiger Salon is open on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Call 330-926-3808, extension 502274 for appointments and information.

