



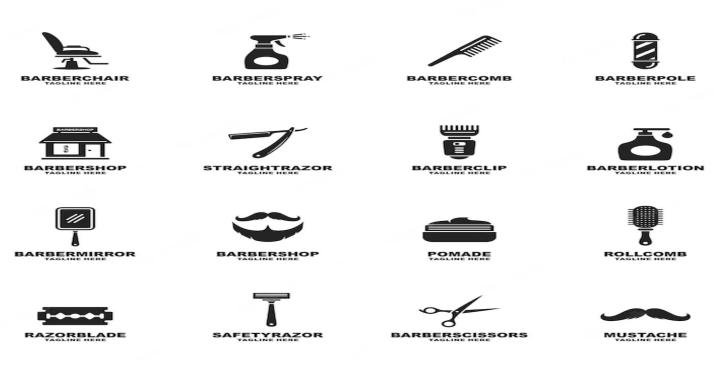
Barbering

Human Services

JOB OUTLOOK

Overall employment of barbers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists is projected to grow 11 percent from 2021 to 2031, much faster than the average for all occupations.

About 93,800 openings for barbers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists are projected each year, on average, over the decade. Many of those openings are expected to result from the need to replace workers who transfer to different occupations or exit the labor force, such as to retire.



OCCUPATION PROFILE

Barbers shampoo, cut, and style hair, mostly for male clients. They also may fit hairpieces, provide facials, trim beards and mustaches, and offer facial and head shaving. Depending on the state in which they work, some barbers are licensed to bleach, color, and highlight hair and to offer permanent-wave services.



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ROAD MAP TO SUCCESS

PROGRAM OF STUDY PROFILE

Barbering focuses on the skills and knowledge needed for individuals interested in careers within the barbering industry. Course content provides students with the opportunity to acquire fundamental skills in barbering theory while applying technical skills related to safety, principles of hair, nail structure, and scalp care. Students may acquire hours transferable to a postsecondary institution for completion of hourly requirements needed to sit for the Tennessee Cosmetology and Barber Examiners examination.



MSCS PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS: Kingsbury CTC, Melrose HS, Sheffield CTC, Southwest CTC, Trezevant CTC, Whitehaven HS

LOCAL EMPLOYERS: Gould's Salon, Master Cutz, and Salon Owner

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