COSMETOLOGY

instructor biography

Linda Heverly-Ferenchick

Linda Heverly-Ferenchick has been teaching at The Central Pennsylvania Institute of Science and Technology (CPI) for more than a decade. She enrolled at the Empire Beauty School where she received her Cosmetology and Teacher’s License from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in 1982. After graduation, she began her career in Cosmetology teaching students at Empire. Shortly thereafter, she received the Teacher of the Year award from the school. She was then approached by the management at Regis Hair Salon to manage a State College salon and train upcoming stylists in the field. It was then that she realized her passion was teaching. She was offered the teaching position at CPI in 1998 and accepted the position.

Under Mrs. Ferenchick’s tutelage, hundreds of students have graduated and have gone on to be successful in the field as stylists, managers, regional and district managers, and salon owners. She keeps in contact with many of her past students to offer advice when asked or to assist them in problem-solving. Mrs. Ferenchick’s passion is teaching young adults.

A Quote from Mrs. Ferenchick

“I believe students need encouraged to make sound life choices, think long-term; today’s crisis is a lesson that should be remembered for future.”

FUN FACTS ABOUT MRS. FERENCHICK

Loves to travel by car, plane or boat.
Has been to all 50 states
Cooking is a passion; eating is fun
I have owned my own Salon
I have managed Main Event Hair Design and Regis Hair Salon
I have 7 children and 8 grandchildren and love spending time with them.
I love doing hair and making people feel good.
Available Certifications:

**Cosmetology – 1250 hours**
Cosmetology is the art and science of hair, skin and nail care, and deals with hair cutting and styling, permanent waving, hair coloring, and chemical relaxing for men and women.
Student Cost: $149.00 (students fund-raise to cover cost)

**Esthetician Certification – 300 hours**
An Esthetician is professionally trained to give beauty treatments such as facials, manicures, and pedicures. With the increasing awareness of client’s needs for healthy, youthful skin and the popularity of day spas; Estheticians are in demand.
Student Cost: $149.00 (students fund-raise to cover cost)

**Nail Technician – 200 hours**
This 200 hour course will help prepare students for the fast growing, high paying profession of nail technicians.
Student Cost: $149.00 (students fund-raise to cover cost)

**Teacher Training Program – 500 hours**
This course is designed to prepare students to be licensed instructors in the state of Pennsylvania.
Student Cost: $149.00 (students fund-raise to cover cost)
Outside Classroom Work:
Time may be dedicated to receiving extra hours by:
• After-school activities
• Activities within our community
• Plays (make-up, and Hair do’s)
• Manicures (to the home bound)

Things you’ll need:
• Cosmetology Kit
• Uniform