





La' James
International
College

Nail Technology



Our Nail program is one of the first in the nation to go beyond the basics of manicuring and pedicuring, adding spa treatment training that puts our graduates in demand with luxury salons and spas. Our training goes beyond just state board preparation, teaching current trends in nail technology using the latest products and tools.

Iowa Nail Technology is 350 clock hours and can be completed in about 3 to 4 months

- What you will learn; Fundamental concepts of manicures, pedicures, polishing, shellac, and various techniques involved, Fundamental concepts of advanced nail services such as gel and acrylic nails, the LJIC Seven Standards of Customer Service, Product Knowledge to help understanding product features, benefits, and ingredients.
- Practice on clients in a true salon and spa environment in our clinics and spas with Professional quality kits that also include a custom LJIC logo covered Laptop that includes a warranty and Microsoft windows, as well as Pivot Point Lab and eBook materials.
- At LJIC we believe that Savvy business skills are a must for long term success in the beauty industry, that is why we use the Prosper U business and financial literacy program to train our students. They will learn benchmarks that will give them the knowledge they need to build and retain a successful clientele and higher income potential.
- LJIC offers Career preparation with resume building, job interviewing and state board preparation to help stand out in as a salon and spa professional.
- We support our students even after graduation! LJIC also offers job placement assistance and FREE lifetime LJIC Sponsored Continuing Education classes so you can keep your state licensure current and up to date.

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Class Schedules

2025

NAIL TECHNOLOGY

Tuesday 9 am - 5 pm

Wednesday 9 am - 5 pm

Thursday 9 am - 5 pm

ONE HOUR LUNCH BREAK PER DAY

MANDATORY CLASS ORIENTATION

Your Administrator, Career Planner and Instructor will be there to greet you at orientation. Orientation takes place on Monday, the week prior to your class start date. Orientation begins at 9:00 A.M. and ends by 5:00 P.M. Orientation is mandatory to start classes at LJIC.

KIT CHECK-IN

Kits are received and checked in during the first week of class with your Administrator or Instructor.

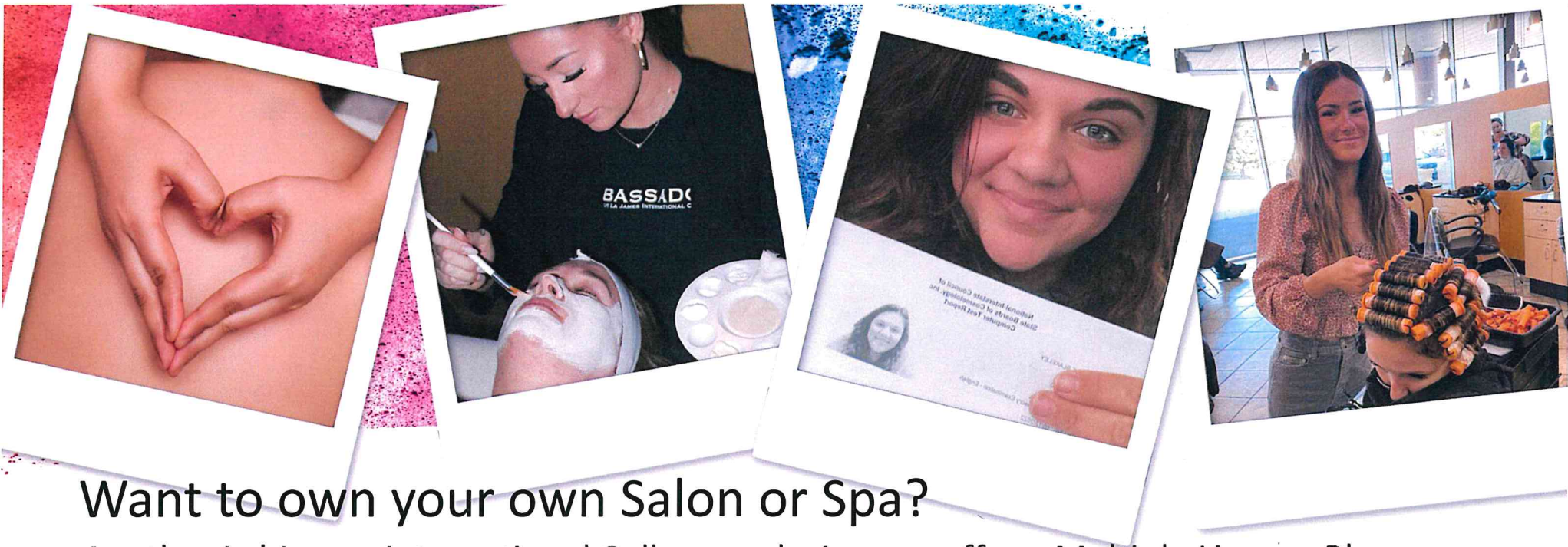
At kit check-in, not only do you receive your kit but you will also learn about how to properly use and care for your kit items.

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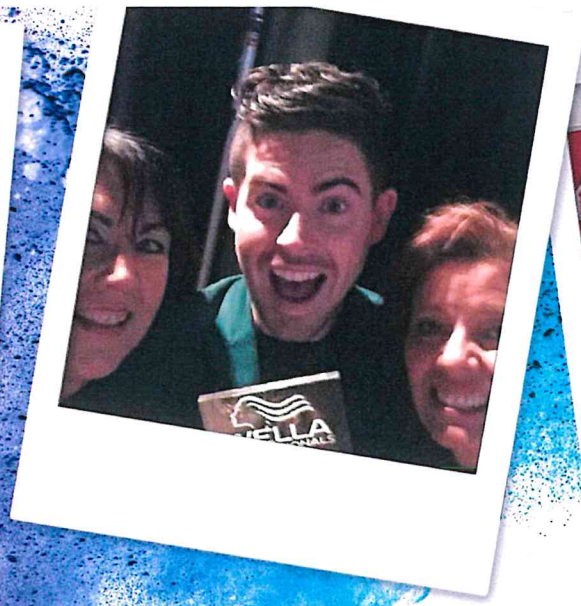
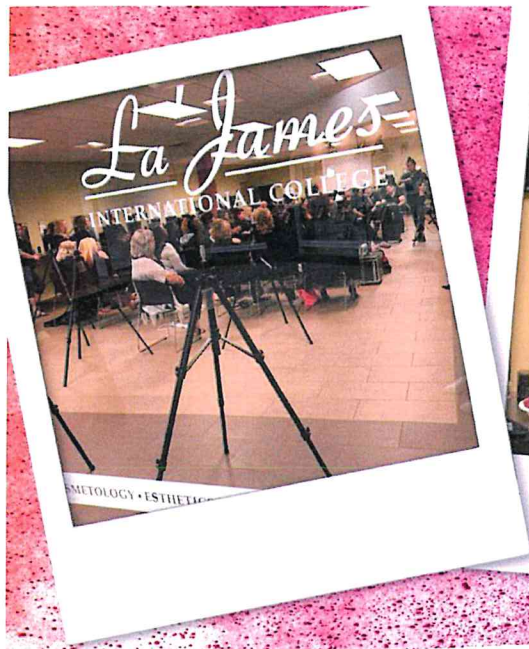
Want to own your own Salon or Spa?

Another La' James International College exclusive, we offer a Multiple License Plan.

Obtaining dual licensure is very popular within the beauty industry, however, not a lot of beauty schools encourage their students to receive multiple licenses. At LJIC, we want our students to pursue any beauty journey they're passionate about.

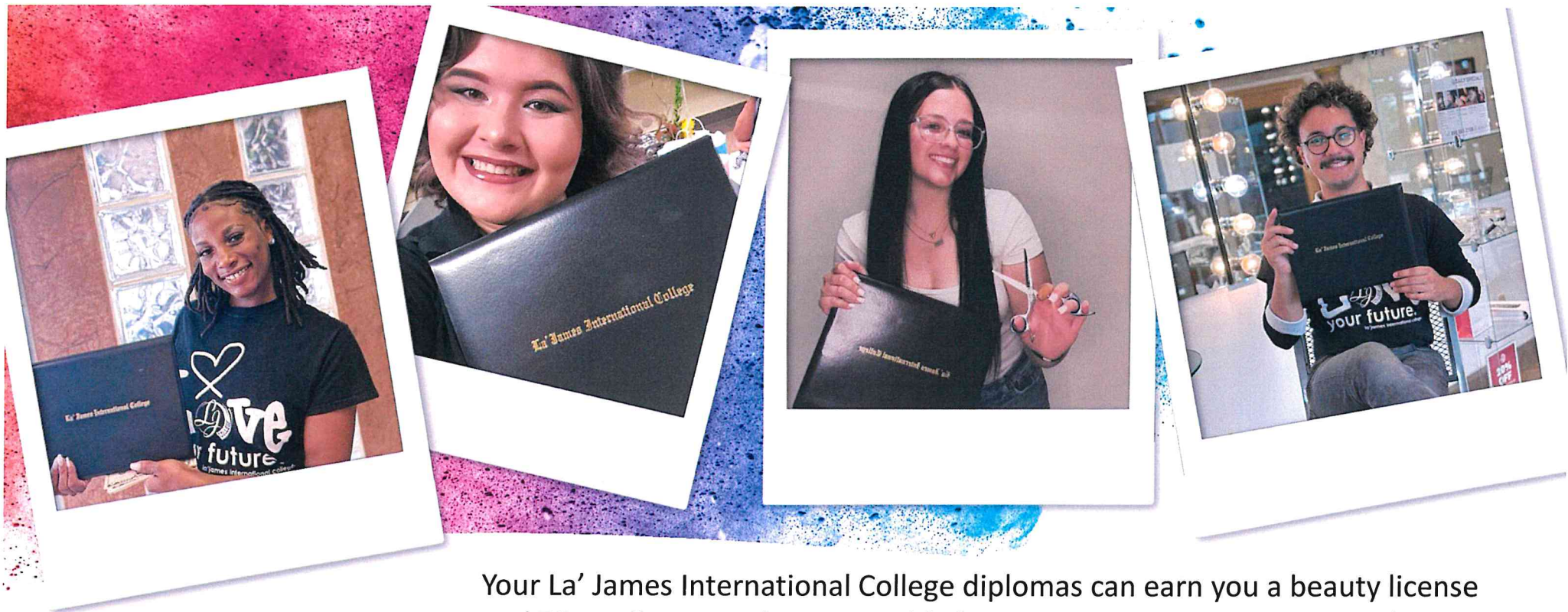
Some benefits of getting dual licensure with LJIC include:

- Credits transfer between programs, meaning you can complete programs quickly
- Offer more beauty services
- Graduate with a well-rounded beauty resume
- Stand out from the competition
- Saves time and tuition to do multiple programs!
- PLUS, LJIC offers a \$500 Scholarship when you enroll in the next consecutive programs start date.



LJIC helps
prepare you for
your future
Health & Beauty
Career
Before & After
you Graduate!

- Tools such as Prosper U to help provide Marketing and Social Media skills for Salon and Spa Professionals that help develop your portfolio and client development skills.
- Career preparation with resume building, job interviewing and state board preparation to help stand out in as a salon and spa professional.
- Multiple Industry Partners and Local Salon and Spas through out Iowa to help show our students all the possibilities available in the Health and Beauty Industry.
- Mentorship opportunities with Cosmetology and Esthetics.
- Job placement assistance and FREE lifetime LJIC Sponsored Continuing Education classes so you can keep your state licensure current and up to date.



Only at LJIC Can you earn a 2-year A.A.S Degree in Health and Beauty Management

Your La' James International College diplomas can earn you a beauty license and 52 credits towards your Health & Beauty Management Degree. The combination of your LJIC diplomas and the state license for Cosmetology or the combination of Massage and Esthetics gives you the bulk of credits you need for your A.A.S. Cosmetology degree. This leaves you with just 18 credits to complete online through Iowa Central Community College.

ICCC COURSES REQUIRED TO COMPLETE YOUR A.A.S. DEGREE

- Business Communications
- Business Mathematics
- Principles of Management
- Human Relations
- Principles of Marketing
- Introduction to Entrepreneurship



La' James International College Student Dress Code & Uniform Guidelines (Effective 01/01/2025)

"LJIC" used in this document refers to La' James International College

- **Monday through Saturday**
Black LJIC Shirt, Black Bottoms, Shoes (as specified below) and LJIC Name Badge

Black LJIC Shirts

- Tops must be clean and free from wrinkles.
- No colored camisoles – need to be black or white ONLY
- You may wear a solid black or white long sleeve shirt, turtleneck or camisole under your LJIC shirt, and a solid black cardigan, jacket or sweater if you are cold.
 - *No hoodies or pull over jackets or sweaters.*
- If the LJIC shirts become stained, torn, faded or unacceptable to wear, you will be required to purchase new ones.

Black Bottoms

- Clean and free from wrinkles.
- Solid black both in color, design and fabric.
- Business casual or dress.
- No faded or pants with holes, no shorts, no athletic or wind pants.
- Pants must not drag on the floor or be frayed at the bottom.
- Skirts must be no shorter than knee length.

Shoes

- Must be in good repair and clean.
- Only soft soled shoes are permitted when scheduled in the spa.
- No flip-flops. (*A rubber-soled sandal attached to the foot by only a thong between the big toe and the next toe.*)

Head Coverings

- If head coverings are worn only solid black head wraps are acceptable.
- Face masks are optional. Students are to provide their own face masks if they choose to wear one.

Unacceptable:

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|------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| - Athletic Pants | - Pants with holes or frayed bottoms | - Colored Camisoles | - Flip Flops |
| - Shorts | - Low-rise Pants | - Scarves | - Hats or Caps |
| - Wind Pants | - Skirts shorter than knee length | - Holes or tears in clothing | |

Class Starts

2025

JANUARY

01/20 Orientation
01/27 Cosmetology
01/28 Esthetics

FEBRUARY

02/17 Orientation
02/24 Cosmetology
02/25 Nail Technology
Massage Therapy

MARCH

03/17 Orientation
03/24 Cosmetology
03/25 Esthetics

APRIL

04/14 Orientation
04/21 Cosmetology
04/22 Massage Therapy

MAY

05/12 Orientation
05/19 Cosmetology
05/20 Esthetics

JUNE

06/09 Orientation
06/16 Cosmetology
06/17 Nail Technology
Massage Therapy

JULY

07/07 Orientation
07/14 Cosmetology
07/15 Esthetics

AUGUST

08/04 Orientation
08/11 Cosmetology
08/12 Massage Therapy

SEPTEMBER

09/02 Orientation
09/08 Cosmetology
09/09 Esthetics

OCTOBER

09/29 Orientation
10/06 Cosmetology
10/07 Nail Technology
Massage Therapy

NOVEMBER

10/27 Orientation
11/03 Cosmetology
11/04 Esthetics

DECEMBER

11/24 Orientation
12/02 Cosmetology
Massage Therapy
12/22 Orientation
12/29 Cosmetology
12/30 Esthetics

*Massage Therapy program not offered at Fort Dodge campus

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Tuition & Fees

2025

COSMETOLOGY

*Application Fee	\$50
Registration Fee	\$100
Lab Fee	\$285
Uniform	\$45
Textbook Package/Kit	\$2,700
Tuition	\$22,860

MASSAGE THERAPY

*Application Fee	\$50
Registration Fee	\$100
Lab Fee	\$170
Uniform	\$45
Textbook Package/Kit	\$1,640
Tuition	\$13,275

*Massage Therapy program not offered at the Fort Dodge campus

ESTHETICS

*Application Fee	\$50
Registration Fee	\$100
Lab Fee	\$210
Uniform	\$45
Textbook Package/Kit	\$2,500
Tuition	\$11,065

NAIL TECHNOLOGY

*Application Fee	\$50
Registration Fee	\$100
Lab Fee	\$105
Uniform	\$45
Textbook Package/Kit	\$1,960
Tuition	\$5,160

TEACHER TRAINING

*Application Fee	\$50
Registration Fee	\$100
Uniform	\$45
Textbook Package/Kit	\$1,115
Tuition	\$14,750

LJIC SCHOOL CODES

Cedar Falls	013006
Cedar Rapids	015133
Davenport	015133
Des Moines	016045
Fort Dodge	008424

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS:

- Complete Enrollment Application
- \$50 Application Fee
- Valid High School Diploma, GED, High School Transcript (showing proof of completion-graduation date), or other accepted document (see catalog for more info)
- Valid Government Photo ID or Other Current Photo ID

Ask your Career Planner how to receive a scholarship when you take consecutive programs at LJIC!

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Start Your Journey to Success!

SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCES

Opportunities specific to Cosmetology, Esthetics
Massage Therapy or Nail Technology.

LJIC Senior Scholarship for up to \$1000

Check with your High School Guidance Office for Details

Beauty Changes Lives Scholarship

<http://beautychangeslives.org/scholarships/>

ACE Grants & Scholarships

<https://myaacs.org/grants-and-scholarships/>

Professional Beauty Association

<https://probeauty.org/scholarships/>

NCEA Esthetician Scholarship

<https://www.estheticianedu.org/esthetician-scholarships/>

AMTA Massage Student Scholarship

<https://www.amtamassage.org/studentscholarship>

Great Clips Scholarship

<https://jobs.greatclips.com/scholarship-application>

Associated Skin Care Professionals

<https://www.ascpskincare.com/students>

Massage Envy

<https://massageenvyscholarshipsweepstakes.com/>



ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Scholarship Search Engines

<https://www.collegescholarships.org/grants/beauty.htm>

<http://go.salliemae.com/scholarship/>

<http://collegenet.com>

<http://www.finaid.org>

<https://www.probeauty.org>

<http://scholarships.com>

<http://scholarshiphunter.com/academicscholarships.html>

<http://gocollege.com>

Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation

www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/applicants

The Gates Millennium Scholars

<https://gmsp.org>

Jeannette Rankin Foundation Education Award

www.rankinfoundation.org/

Morris Scholarship

<http://morrisscholarship.org>

United Negro College Fund

<http://uncf.org/scholarships>

National Foster Parent Association

<https://nfpaonline.org/resources/scholarships/>

America's College Fund of Foster Youth

<http://www.fc2success.org/programs/scholarships-and-grants>

Job Application Database

<http://jobapplicationdb.com>

"Each year, an estimated \$46 million in grants and scholarship money is awarded by the U.S. Department of Education and the nation's colleges and universities. In addition, about \$3.3 billion in gift aid is awarded by private sources, included individuals, foundations, corporations, churches, nonprofit groups, civic societies, veteran's groups, professional groups, services clubs, unions, chambers of commerce, associations and many other organizations."

-Excerpt from America's Debt Help Organization's website.

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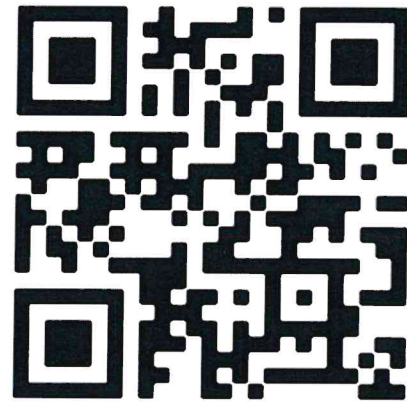




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Nail Technology Program - Notices & Disclosures

TUITION & FEES

Effective 08/01/2024

Tuition	\$5,160.00	Registration Fee	\$100.00
Textbooks ¹	\$600.00	Application Fee	\$50.00 (non-refundable)
LJIC Kit ²	\$1,360.00 plus tax	Lab Fee	\$105.00
Uniform - LJIC (3 shirts)	\$45.00 plus tax	TOTAL TUITION & FEES	\$7,420.00 plus applicable taxes

PLEASE NOTE: Participation in optional student trips or events, certifications, or advanced educational opportunities will result in expenses beyond those listed above.

1 - Books may be purchased directly from LJIC or from alternative sources. Textbooks purchased from alternative sources must be the correct edition and free from substantial writing. Workbooks purchased from alternative sources must be the correct edition and unused. A current list of textbooks and workbooks can be found in the section of the Student Catalog entitled “Textbooks and Workbooks.”

2 - Kit items may be purchased directly from LJIC as a complete kit or all of the required kit items may be purchased from alternative sources. Kit items purchased from alternative sources must be of comparable professional quality to those available from LJIC. Students who have kit items of comparable professional quality from another program at LJIC or a similar program at a different school may purchase individual items to complete the required kit directly from LJIC or an alternative source. A list of all required kit items and their price, if purchased from LJIC, can be found in the section of the Student Catalog entitled “Kit Requirements.”

PROGRAM LENGTH

Anticipated Start Date:	
Contract End Date:	

If your actual start date is different than stated here, your Contract End Date will also change. Your Contract End Date will be stated in your LJIC contract. PLEASE NOTE: If you do not complete your required hours by the Contract End Date, you will be charged **\$15.00 for each hour** of instruction completed after such date.

INSTRUCTORS

Prior to signing an Enrollment Application, prospective students may request information regarding the education, licenses, and professional experience of LJIC’s current instructors and the courses they teach. This information can be obtained from LJIC staff or accessed on the LJIC intranet.

CLINICAL PRACTICUMS

Students are required to use LJIC trackers to track classroom work and clinical practicums performed on manikins, fellow students and guests/clients. The completion of your LJIC tracker will determine your clinical practicum grade. Clinical practicums are not individually graded.

Students are expected to complete services when they are assigned to be in the salon or spa. However, clinical practicums are not required to be performed on paying guests/clients, nor are students required to recruit guests/clients for clinical practicums. Guests/clients who contact LJIC to schedule an appointment may request specific students. Otherwise, appointments are assigned to qualified and available students in accordance with the “Guest/Client Recruitment and Appointments” section of the Student Catalog.

ON-TIME COMPLETION RATES

Campus	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Cedar Falls	*	*	*
Cedar Rapids	*	*	75%
Davenport	*	100%	*
Des Moines	*	94%	96%
Fort Dodge	*	*	*

*Fewer than 10 students completed this program. The number who finished within the normal time has been withheld to preserve the confidentiality of the students. We are required to calculate this information; however, due to privacy concerns, we are unable to provide this data.

2020-21 & 2021-22 stats hindered due to the COVID 19 Pandemic that caused a mandated temporary closure, multiple student Leave of Absences and other hardships that affected attendance and on-time completions.

- Tuition overages were not applied during this time period.

RUBRICS (Practical Skills Exams)

Competency in rubrics is necessary to complete this program. You will be required to complete the following rubrics for this program:

Rubrics	AMOUNT
Term 1 - (Nail Practical)	1
Term 2 - (Gel Nails, Liquid & Powder, College Final)	3

50% of these rubrics are performed on non-paying guests/clients, which may include non-paying students. LJIC will provide the necessary amount of paying guests/clients for a student to fulfill the remaining 50% of the rubric requirements. If LJIC is unable to supply sufficient paying guests/clients, the student may fulfill the remaining rubrics on non-paying guests/clients recruited by the student or LJIC. Students are not required to recruit guests/clients for the completion of rubrics.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information regarding LJIC and this program is available on LJIC's website, www.ljic.edu. The complete Student Catalog (or a link to it) and this document will be e-mailed to you if an e-mail is provided below. The Student Catalog is available on our consumer information page at: <https://ljic.edu/student-resources-and-disclosures/>

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby certify that I received, read and understood the information provided in this document prior to submitting my enrollment application and prior to payment of the non-refundable application fee.

Prospective LJIC Student			
Printed Name:			
Signature:		Date:	
E-mail Address:			
LJIC Representative			
Printed Name & Title:			
Signature:			