SHAWNTAY’S CREATIVE SCHOOL OF NAILS FAQS

1. Does the school participate in Financial Aid, Scholarships, and or Grants?

- There is NO Federal Financial Aid available for the Nail Technology Program. We do not participate in the Department of Education's student aid programs. Payment for school will be out of pocket. We also do not participate in Veteran Affair approvals.

2. Is the school accredited? Accreditation is if schools that accept financial Aid.

- We are recognized by the Maryland Higher Education Commission and the Maryland State Board of Cosmetology, Georgia Board of Cosmetology and Virginia Board of Cosmetology.

3. Can tuition be paid in full?

- Yes.

4. Is the registration fee refundable?

- The registration fee is non-refundable.

5. How does the payment plan work?

- We require a down payment of $600.00 and weekly payments of $150.00 until the balance is paid in full.

- Payment plans require a 3% processing fee. There is also a fee for late payments.

- The registration period gives you time to set up the payment arrangement before class starts.

- any missed payments will result in termination

- Students have the right to a full refund before the class starts or within the first 7 days of class.

- If the class is cancelled by the school a full refund of tuition will be issued

- Registration fee and student supplies are not refundable

- Payment plans require a Promissory Note. A promissory note is necessary because is a secured written agreement between the borrower (the student) and the school (Shawntay's School of Creative Nails), stating that you will make your monthly payments. If the Borrower is in default more than 3 business days with any payment, this note is payable upon demand of any noteholder, and access to classes may be denied.

6. How many hours are there to complete the program?

* Maryland Requires 250 clock hours
* Georgia Requires 525 clock hours
* Virginia Requires 150 clock hours.
* New York Requires 250 clock hours.

7. Is the class every day?

- Yes, the class is Monday through Friday. We have day classes from 10am - 2pm and evening classes from 6pm – 10pm

8. I have vacation time planned during class days, will that affect my attendance?

- Yes, missing 4 consecutive days will result in termination.

9. What are the locations of the school and the business hours? Am I able to schedule a tour?

- We have four (5) locations, they are Maryland, Washington D.C., Virginia, Georgia and New York. - Business hours are Tuesday through Friday 10 am – 2 pm

- We currently are not offering tours. Our social media has pictures/videos of our locations.

- WE ARE CLOSED FOR SEASONAL BREAKS SUCH AS: WINTER BREAK, SPRING BREAK, SUMMER BREAK & NATIONAL HOLIDAYS

10. What is needed on the first day of school?

- Binder Notebook, Pens, Highlighters, and 3x5 index cards, loose-leaf paper and hand sanitizer -School supplies will be issued on the first day of school.

- Please bring your ID and SSC with you to ORIENTAION to ensure we have the correct student.

11. Is there a dress code?

- No dress code, you can dress down. BUT we ask that you do not come to class with your pajamas, hair bonnet, slippers or club wear.

12. Is it mandatory to purchase the school supplies through the school or can I bring my own kit?

- Yes, the school supplies are mandatory; You may not bring your own supplies; Our kit is

designed for course work and the certification exam. Certain products cannot be used in a

school setting or at the exam office. You must purchase the school supplies from our school.

- The school supplies are $400 this includes all supplies and the book.

13. I am relocating from another state, what do I need to do in order to transfer my current license over to the state of Maryland?

- Check with the Department of labor, licensing, and regulation to inquire about reciprocity.

14. What are the steps to register?

1. Click on the registration link of the state you are applying for to complete a registration application (DC is the HYATTSVILLE location)
2. Upload your high school diploma, GED and or transcripts.
3. The 500 word essay is required
4. Submit your non-refundable registration fee
5. Once you are approved, you will receive an acceptance letter via email that you provided.
6. Create your student account, once approved you can make the necessary full tuition payment or deposit.
7. Attend the mandatory orientation.