Paul Mitchell The School Merrillville

2026 CATALOG ADDENDUM

Paul Mitchell The School Merrillville requires applicants and students to check for updates to the catalog at paulmitchell.edu/merrillville.

REVISED 01.06.26

- Holidays and School Closures - Removed 2025 dates
- Cosmetology 2025 Class Start Dates - Removed
- Instructor 2025 Class Start Dates - Removed
- Veterans (VA) Delayed Payment Plan - Removed VA Distance Education
- 2025 Catalog Addendum - Removed
- 2026 Catalog Addendum - Added

REVISED 01.29.26

- Admission Requirements - Secondary Education and Equivalents - Updated v (top), i (bottom), and added last paragraph
- Admission Procedures - Added last paragraph to #5

REVISED 02.17.26

Cosmetology Course Information - Updated course subjects

REVISED 02.18.26

Cosmetology Cost of Tuition and Supplies - Added cost effective 10-20-26

REVISED 02.20.26

Cosmetology Cost of Tuition and Supplies - Corrected total cost of program effective 10-20-26

REVISED 02.26.26

Institutional Refund Policy - Updated policy to be in line with NACCAS

REVISED 03.09.26

- Maximum Time Frame - Updated academic year statement
- Evaluation Procedures and Required Level of Achievement - Updated academic year statement

REVISED 03.10.26

Makeup Hour Policy - Updated policy

REVISED 03.18.26

Protected Class Nondiscrimination Policy and Procedures - Updated Fondling under FOOTNOTES

REVISED 03.25.26

- School Administration - Updated
- Holidays and School Closures - Added 2027 dates
- Cosmetology 2027 Class Start Dates - Added
- Instructor Class Start Dates - Added

REVISED 04.07.26

Students Right-to-Know - Department of Education Rates - Added year

REVISED 05.19.26

- Future Professional Development Guidelines - Updated CourseKey to My Portico App.
- Attendance and Documentation of Time - Updated CourseKey to My Portico App.
- Cosmetology Course Information - Updated CourseKey to My Portico App.
- Cosmetology Education Kit - Updated CourseKey to My Portico App.
- Graduation Requirements (All programs) - Updated CourseKey to My Portico App.
- Evaluation Procedures and Required Level of Achievement - Updated last paragraph and sentence by grading scale

REVISED 05.30.26

Transfer Hours (under SAP)- Updated from scheduled contract hours to actual contracted hours

REVISED 06.01.26

Performance Statistics - Removed program rates

REVISED 06.25.26

Admissions Procedures - Added last paragraph (rescind an offer of acceptance)

REVISED 07.21.26

Graduation Information - Updated policy in all programs

REVISED 07.28.26

Admission Procedures - Updated paragraph - denial appeal

REVISED 07.29.26

Graduation Information - Updated Policy

REVISED 08.05.26

Cosmetology Course Information - Updated unit of instruction

REVISED 09.01.26

- Re-Entry Students - Updated Policy formatting
- Holidays and School Closures - Removed 2026 Labor Day

REVISED 09.24.26

Future Professional Advisory Policy - Updated policy to match the form and updated the last 2 paragraphs

REVISED 10.07.26

- Holiday and School Closures - Updated Christmas closures
- Future Professional Information - Added LOA Policy and updated LOA policy
- Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy - Removed LOA policy
- Temporary Interruptions and Withdrawals - Updated title and policy

REVISED 11.02.26

- Instructor Course Information - Updated from 1000 hours to 500 hours
- State Licensing Requirements and Disclaimer - Updated instructor hours from 1000 to 500
- Maximum Time Frame - Updated Instructor MTF hours from 1000 to 500
- Evaluation Procedures and Required Level of Achievement - Updated hours from 1000 to 500
- Students Right-to-Know - Department of Education Rates - Updated rate