

# SHASTA SCHOOL OF COSMETOLOGY

To Students, Staff and Patrons,

After much consideration and the governors 'shelter in place' order, Shasta School of Cosmetology has made the decision to follow State and Federal recommendations to close our campus for the next couple of weeks. Closing our campus will help stop any possible spread of the COVID 19 for our students, staff and patrons. The health of our community is a top priority.

March 16, 2020, the Department of Education released a COVID 19 Fact sheet giving schools guidance on this issue. The following is an excerpt from the fact sheet:

*School districts and postsecondary school have significant latitude and authority to take necessary actions to protect the health, safety, and welfare of students and school staff. School officials have discretion to make educational decisions based on local health needs and concerns, and OCR recognized this decision-making authority.*

At this time, we have decided to close our campus beginning March 20<sup>th</sup> and to return on April 1<sup>st</sup>. These dates are tentative as we do not know if and when circumstances will change. Any changes to the end date of our closure will be posted on our website and sent out to students via email. All course work is ceased until the official return to campus.

We appreciate the efforts that everyone is taking to help prevent the spread of this virus and help protect our community.

Please follow the link below for more information from the CDC on COVID 19.

<http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/index.html>

Sincerely,

Shasta School of Cosmetology