



Aglaia Esthetics
Professional Training

Admission Requirements & Registration Details

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WHAT MAKES A SUCCESSFUL DISTANCE LEARNING STUDENT?

The distance learning student possesses unique qualities which consist primarily of working people who are trying to better their future and opportunity. This however is changing, as more people are becoming aware of the benefits and freedom distance learning can give. The traditional school will never go away, however, corporations are using the distance learning to train technical professionals while private and public universities redefine the world as their markets. The market for the online learning is expanding rapidly.

IN GENERAL, THE DISTANCE LEARNING STUDENT SHOULD POSSESS THE FOLLOWING QUALITIES:

1. ***Be able to communicate through writing.***

Most communication is written, so it is critical that students feel comfortable in expressing themselves in writing. Many students have limited writing abilities, which should be addressed before or as part of the distance learning experience. This may require remedial efforts on the part of the student.

2. ***Be Self-motivated and self-disciplined.***

With the freedom and flexibility of the distance learning environment comes responsibility. The distance learning process takes a real commitment and discipline to keep up with the flow of the process.

3. ***Be willing to "speak up" if problems arise.***

Many of the non-verbal communication mechanisms that instructors use in determining whether students are having problems (confusion, frustration, boredom, absence, etc.) are not possible in the distance learning paradigm. If a student is experiencing difficulty on any level (either with the technology or with the course content), he or she must communicate this immediately to the facilitator.

4. ***Be willing and able to commit to 8 to 10 hours per week.***

The distance learning is not easier than the traditional educational process. In fact, many students will say it requires much more effort and commitment.

5. Be able to meet the minimum requirements for the courses.

The requirements for the distance learning are no less than that of any other quality educational program. The successful student will view the distance learning as a convenient way to receive their education – not an easier way.

6. Accept critical thinking and decision making as part of the learning process.

The learning process requires the student to make decisions based on facts as well as experience. Assimilating information and executing the right decisions requires critical thought; case analysis, case studies and practical procedures does this very effectively.

7. Have access to a computer, scanner, webcam and a modem.

The communication medium is a computer, phone line, and modem; the student must have access to the necessary equipment.

8. Be able to think ideas through before responding.

Meaningful and quality input is an essential part of the learning process. Time is given in the process to allow for the careful consideration of responses. The testing and challenging of ideas is encouraged; you will not always be right, just be prepared to accept a challenge.

9. Feel that high quality learning can take place without going to a traditional classroom.

If the student feels that a traditional classroom is a prerequisite to learning, they may be more comfortable in the traditional classroom. *Distance learning is not for everybody.* A student that wants to be on a traditional campus attending a traditional classroom is probably not going to be happy with the distance learning. While the level of social interaction can be very high in the virtual classroom given that many barriers come down in the distance learning format, it is not the same as living in a dorm on a campus. This should be made known.

The distance learning process requires *commitment* on the student's part. Basically, the student needs to want to be there, and needs to want the experience. The instructor may have to contact students

personally to offer assistance and remind the student of the need to keep up. Just as many excellent instructors may not be effective distance learning facilitators, not all students possess the necessary qualities to perform well with the distance learning.

10. Is the Aglaia Esthetics online program for you? It is if you:

- Like to work with the public.
- Enjoy working with skin care and cosmetic products.
- Have an interest in performing esthetics services or technical procedures.
- Are committed to life-long learning in this rapidly evolving field.
- Are self-directed and able to work independently.
- Feel comfortable promoting and selling products to customers.

PERSONAL REVIEW (Self Assessment – Not to be handed in)

Please answer the following **True/False** questions. It will give you a pretty fair idea about how suited you are to the distance learning program.

PART ONE

To have success at distance learning, you'll pretty much need to answer TRUE to all four of these questions:

1. I have ready access to a computer and, through it, the Internet. **True/False**
2. I know how to use the computer. **True/False**
3. Typing is not an overwhelming ordeal for me. **True/False**
4. Reading is not a nightmarish struggle for me. **True/False**

PART TWO

To answering FALSE to one or two of the following questions is okay.

1. The words "software download and set up" don't normally send me into a total panic. **True/False**

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2. Exploring new things has an appeal for me. **True/False**
3. Asking questions doesn't terrify me. **True/False**
4. One-to-one dialogues (in person or otherwise) are not something I try hard to avoid. **True/False**
5. I've never had any particular problem working independently. **True/False**
6. I can make 6 - 8 hours (on average) available for study each week. **True/False**
7. I once read a book to learn how to do something. **True/False**
8. Being at the computer cannot be mistaken for a form of torture. **True/False**



*Are you ready to embark into a great and exciting journey?
Aglaia Esthetics Distance Learning Online is just a phone call away!*

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ENROLMENT DETAILS

Tuition is payable in Canadian funds for Canadians and US funds for US and International Students.

Admission requirements - 19 years of age or older and you have been out of school for at least one year our admission requirement as a mature student. Should you be younger than 19 years then we would require grade 12 transcript.

Study time - *Aglaia* permits you to study at home, at times that is convenient to you, and at your speed. Each individual rate of study will vary according to a number of factors:

- a) your previous training;
- b) length of time since you went to school;
- c) your work experience related to the program;
- d) your motivation to complete; and
- e) we require minimum one lesson of studies to be completed per week

To keep the integrity of the course(s), the student will complete a "close book" theory mid-term examination at the end of each module.

Academic time limit - The course certification has a time limit and the student must schedule their hands on practical residency course(s) when is available within 18 months. *Schedule subject to change.*

Apprenticeship requirements - Apprenticeship requirements differ from Province to Province and State to State. Students who wish to become apprentices should consult their local authority.

Aglaia Course Certification will provide a thorough course preparation both practical and theoretical.

Onsite Student Expenses - To help you to plan your study-onsite experience in Vancouver, we have put together some costs you may anticipate.

Living

- Food \$30 - 50 per day
- Motel or Airbnb \$ 60 to \$ 75 per night

Medical Care

All students must have medical insurance while completing the residency in Canada.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION

The following items must be emailed or mailed at the time of registration. In preparation for registration phase please assemble the following items:

- 70% or above on the Entry Placement Test.
- Demonstration of written communication skills.
- Minimum of 19 years of age, or completion of grade 12 equivalent or GED. Scanned and emailed.
- Certificate of good health
- Official Transcript of Post Secondary Studies (if applicable).
- Proof of Age - Birth Certificate – Scanned and emailed.
- One Piece of Photo ID (Driver's License or Passport).
- One digital picture of yourself (for student card).

RECOMMENDED CHARACTERISTICS

The ability to be successful in the field of beauty and esthetics depends on one's own personal attributes as well as the inner desire to succeed and progress in a competitive field through dedication, training, practice and hard work. You will be required to pursue your training, at a level expected of you when you are employed.

Effective communication, striving for customer satisfaction and the desire for esthetic innovation are imperative to the successful development of a professional esthetician in the beauty industry. Due to the nature of esthetics and beauty therapy, students entering such programs need to be in good health comfortable giving esthetic and body care services. A successful applicant will have proficient eye coordination, manual dexterity, in addition to colour vision, depth perception and the ability to distinguish line and form.

You will really enjoy the convenience of distance learning online because you:

1. Do not have to be away from their office, salon or spa or miss a paycheck.
2. Learn at your own pace and choose your own study hours.
3. Take in the information as quickly or as slowly as you desire.
4. Have access to an *Instructor/Facilitator* whenever you need academic assistance.

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ON-SITE PRACTICAL RESIDENCY TRAINING (Diploma Level)

Our efficient on-site training has been developed to assist students in transferring theory knowledge and DVDs practical demonstrations to actual clinical situations. Our certified instructors have been trained to teach and they have firsthand client experience. Therefore they possess a greater depth of clinical knowledge than that of unlicensed educators. You cannot help but benefit from their academic and clinical backgrounds.

Study Outline

Because our training is so comprehensive, Aglaia created a study outline and if followed closely by the student, only a minimal time investment is required to gain new skills and confidence. It provides a broad repertoire of learning systems, suggestions assignments, industry research, case studies and practical exercises to ensure that learning objectives are met and students achieve complete clarification of all subject matter.

THE POWER OF ACCOMPLISHMENT!

Now that you know what *Aglaia* can do for you, and the success our students can achieve, it is time to think what you want to accomplish. Give yourself credit for the abilities you have, and let yourself obtain the skills you need to build a better and rewarding future.

After a few lessons, you will know you did the right thing by believing in yourself that you can do it!

Decide where you are going, set both long and short-term goals. Place them in order of importance, and commit to reach them. You can be enjoying life, knowing that you are on your way to do something better. Working toward your goals with time will bring you more than someone with an outstanding talent and no direction or passion.

Proceed to the next step, action has a power of its own and now is the time. Ask for your enrolment registration form and we will be here to guide you to a future worth working for.

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ENROLMENT PROCESS

Complete the enrolment registration form and send it back by fax or scan with the entrance placement test to Aglaia Esthetics at: 1 604 909 1880

1. Fill in enrolment registration agreement (request it).
2. Complete Placement test (request it). Fax enrolment forms.
3. Send the first payment. (credit card, e-transfer or certified cheque).
4. As soon as your forms, test and fees are received, your course material will be mailed to you.

FINAL STEP

Once you have passed your theory course(s) and practical skill(s) with a passing mark of 70%, we will apply for your final examination with the BeautyCouncil in Vancouver. This final step is very important to achieve the third party validation, which is required for many Provinces and States. You will receive your individual certification(s) or diploma(s) from Aglaia Esthetics at the completion of your studies. The certification(s) or diploma(s) achieved, **will not have online printed on**. See an example below.



Deep Pore Cleansing



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