



## WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN CERTIFICATE & DIPLOMA?

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## CERTIFICATE VS. DIPLOMA

This outline will explain the difference in achieving your **certificate** or **diploma** with Aglaia Esthetics Distance Learning Online.

How exciting that you can accomplish your goals in the comfort of your own home and you decide the speed of your education. We hope the explanation below will help you to clarify completely the course of action to achieve your certification(s).

Following your registration with Aglaia Esthetics, we will send you the first textbook, theory study outline, practical case study outline and DVDs. The study schedule is just a suggestion and should be followed by the student as a guideline only.

The length of studies or course(s) completion, will vary depending on the students learning retentive ability, time management and available study time, however, we do require a minimum of *one chapter* of studies to be completed each week. It is in the students' best interest to take the allocated week to fully understand and absorb the information and to complete all quizzes, assignments and case studies.

### Progression of study:

1. The student must complete a minimum of one chapter per week, and all quizzes and assignments are *open book*. If a student wants to complete a module in 2.5 months, the student will need to complete 2 chapters per week. Each textbook has 20 chapters.
2. Practical procedures are *either* listed and explained in the textbook *or* demonstrated in the DVD. Both must be practiced, studied and memorized *simultaneously*. All practical procedures are learnt through DVD's and procedures are *memorized* before the practical residency.
3. For better retention, the Practical Case Studies must be completed concurrently with the theory lessons. The case studies are recorded either through YouTube, WhatsApp, DropBox or Windows Media Player for evaluation. These practical case study recordings can be completed with your smart phone.
4. The *final theory exam* questions are selected from the bank of quizzes that you will be completing and review questions located in the textbook. The theory examination will be a *closed book* exam. The student must find a facilitator to proctor this theory exam (cannot be family member or friend), this individual which could be a professional esthetician, hairdresser, librarian, minister, family doctor, accountant, he/she will proctor and monitor you during your final theory examination.

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## TUITION FOR CERTIFICATE LEVEL

1. If the student wants to achieve the *certificate level*, he/she will be required to complete the online study portion with the DVDs practical case studies and acquire a minimum score of 70% and additionally must complete all the assignments practical case studies and the final theory exam.
2. The student records all the study hours that she/he has acquired during the theory & practical time (honorary system ~ approximately between 200 to 250 hours per module).

*You pay as you go, for the module that you register in.*

<b>MODULE</b>	<b>THEORY TUITION BOOK &amp; DVDS</b>	<b>TOTAL COST FOR ONE CERTIFICATE COURSE</b>
<b>Nail Technology</b>	675.00 275.00	<b>950.00</b> plus postage and taxes
<b>Make up Artistry</b>	675.00 275.00	<b>950.00</b> plus postage and taxes
<b>Facial 1 – Massage and Waxing</b>	675.00 275.00	<b>950.00</b> plus postage and taxes
<b>Facial 2 – Facial Treatments and electrotherapy</b>	675.00 275.00	<b>950.00</b> plus postage and taxes

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## TUITION FOR DIPLOMA LEVEL

1. If the student wants to achieve the *diploma level* (a requirement of many Provinces and States), she/he must complete FIRST the online theory studies and SECOND the practical residency, 3 days hands-on practice for *each module completed*.  
The practical section(s) can be completed at Aglaia Esthetics location in Vancouver or at a spa of your choice with an experienced licensed esthetician.
2. When you select your professional esthetician (he/she must have a minimum 3 years of industry experience), we will contact him/her and give all the details of the practical exam outline. If the student prefers to complete the hands-on practical and exam with a professional esthetician as an alternative of coming to Vancouver, *the tuition fees of \$ 775.00 per module will be paid directly to the facilitator* (professional esthetician) for their time and service.
3. The student records all the study hours that she/he has acquired during the theory & practical on line (honorary system ~ approximately between 200 to 250 hours per module). These hours will be added to the practical residency time (the diploma level), which is 25 hours for every completed module.
4. The practical examination is performed after the student completes the theory module section(s). The practical examination is carried out as a case study in conjunction with a professional esthetician of your choice. The practical exam takes approximately 3 to 4 hours depending how many modules you have completed.
5. THIRD & Last Step: To receive the *BeautyCouncil Certification*, which is a requirement for most Provincial or State Board Exam to transfer the training hours, the student must come to Vancouver, B.C. to complete a 6 days Practical Training with Aglaia Esthetics and one day final examination with BeautyCouncil (Exam fees \$150.00 plus model \$75.00). These dates will be scheduled at a later date.



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<b>MODULE</b>	<b>THEORY TUITION BOOK &amp; DVD</b>	<b>PRACTICAL TRAINING TUITION</b> (Aglaia - Vancouver or Facilitator)	<b>TOTAL COST FOR ONE DIPLOMA COURSE</b>
<b>Nail Technology</b>	675.00 275.00	775.00 Plus materials	<b>1,725.00</b> plus postage and taxes
<b>Make up Artistry</b>	675.00 275.00	775.00 Plus materials	<b>1,725.00</b> plus postage and taxes
<b>Facial 1 – Massage and waxing</b>	675.00 275.00	775.00 Plus materials	<b>1,725.00</b> plus postage and taxes
<b>Facial 2 – Facial treatments and electrotherapy</b>	675.00 275.00	775.00 Plus materials	<b>1,725.00</b> plus postage and taxes

*Includes Training Manuals and DVDs – Ask for the materials list to be purchased by students. If you choose to come to Vancouver for your practical residency, you will need to budget for travel and living expenses (see course tuition summary chart).*

We trust that this explanation will clarify any questions you may have and we anticipate you will enjoy the learning process.

Aglaia Esthetics is here to help and support you throughout the instruction, let us know if you have any further questions.

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## COURSE SUMMARY TUITION AND HOURS CHART

Modules	Sections	Theory \$	Residency Practical \$	Books DVD \$	Practice & Case Study hours (approx.)	Home Work study Hours (approx.)	Assign. (approx.)	Theory Exam Hours (proctor)	Practical Exam Case Study (proctor)	Cost per Module plus material Cost
<b>NailTech</b>		675.00	775.00	275.00						<b>1,725.00</b>
	Theory Man. Ped. Extens. Massage Art <b>Residency</b>				20 20 20 5 5 <b>25</b>	60	30	2	2	
<b>Make Up</b>		675.00	775.00	275.00						<b>1,725.00</b>
	Theory Day Eye Gala Lash Brows Lipstick <b>Residency</b>				10 15 15 10 10 5 <b>25</b>	40	60	2	2	
<b>Facial 1</b>		675.00	775.00	275.00						<b>1,725.00</b>
	Theory Cleanse Tone Nour.Mass. Facial Proc. Scalp Waxing <b>Residency</b>				5 5 30 30 5 20 <b>25</b>	60	60	2	2	
<b>Facial 2</b>		675.00	775.00	275.00						<b>1,725.00</b>
	Theory Adv. Facial Back Treat. Electrother. Misc. Treat. <b>Residency</b>				40 5 20 15 <b>25</b>	60	35	2	2	
<b>Total</b>	<b>Tuition</b>									<b>6,900.00</b>
<b>Hours of Training</b>		<b>Logged hours 800 -900</b>	<b>Residency 100 (approx.)</b>	<b>Total 900-1000 (approx.)</b>						

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- This flexible online program allows the student to work and study at her/his own speed. The maximum amount of time allowed to complete the program is 16 months, unless the students requests in writing for an extension.
- The student logs all the study hours for theory and practical case studies that she/he has acquired during the studies (honorary system ~ approximately between 200 to 250 hours per module).
- If a student decides to complete all modules plus practical residency, she/he will accrue approximately between 900 to 1000 hours of combined theory and practical training.
- The practical residency (optional) is scheduled in Vancouver, the student will accrue 25 hours (3 days) for each practical module completed.
- The tuition is paid as you go, (one module at the time) which makes it a lot easier for a student to budget her/his expenses.
- NOTE: Materials for each module approx. \$400.00 - Ask for the materials list to be purchased by the student.
- Additional cost: Final BeautyCouncil Exam \$ 150.00 – Model \$ 75.00
- Flight or travel expense and stay for the 6 days of residency.



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