

AAST and ATA Majors Program Scoring Rubric

All Majors at AAST and ATA Except Barbering

Academic Performance (Maximum 48 points)

Applicant's Weighted GPA Per SC Uniform Grading Policy (End of First Semester of 10th Grade)	Points (GPA x 8)	Points Earned
Possible Weighted GPA 0 - 6.0	0 - 48 Points	

Discipline

A record of serious or habitual behavior problems may result in exclusion from consideration.

Final Score (Maximum 48 Points)

	Possible Points	Points Earned
Final Score	0 - 48 Points	

- *Applicants for each major will be ranked based on their final scores.*
- *The top 30 applicants in each major (per teacher) will receive an invitation to attend the program.*
- *All applicants who tie for the 30th position in each major (per teacher) will be invited to attend the program.*
- *Due to state regulations, Automotive, Cosmetology, and Esthetics majors can only accept 20 applicants.*
- *Applicants must meet the requirements to be eligible for state and national certification exams.*
- *There will be a waiting list prior to the first day of the 2023-24 school year.*

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Barbering Major at ATA

Step 1: Barbering major applicants must be eligible to obtain a student barbering permit. [CLICK HERE](#) for the requirements for the barbering permit.

Step 2: Barbering major applicants must agree to complete a required one-day summer training program for a student barber permit to be held in Columbia, SC.

Step 3: Applicants who meet the requirements in Steps 1 and 2 will be eligible for scoring as outlined below.

Academic Performance (Maximum 48 points)

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Possible Weighted GPA 0 - 6.0	0 - 48 Points	

Discipline

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Additional Screeners

Additional screeners such as an interview may be utilized in the selection process.

Additional Information

- Applicants **must** meet the requirements to be eligible for state exams.
- Due to state regulations, the barbering major can only accept 20 applicants.
- There will be a waiting list prior to the first day of the 2023-24 school year.