

# COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS

- HIGHLIGHTING COLLEGE MAJORS, TRADES, & THE MILITARY MONTHLY -

## MARCH 2022

This month we celebrate the first day of spring on March 20th. We also honor Women's History Month! In this newsletter, we will focus on the college major Political Science & Government, the trade of Cosmetology, and provide information on the U.S. Marines. Now, let's spring right into it and be sure to bloom with good vibes! Enjoy



### MAJOR: POLITICAL SCIENCE & GOVERNMENT

Enjoy Social Studies? Do you like to participate in the Debate club? Or convey your point of view in class or to a friend? Consider political science and government!



### TRADE: COSMETOLOGY

If you live for being able to express yourself and use creative artistic freedom to experiment with techniques and styles, consider a career in cosmetology!



### MILITARY: MARINES

*The few, the proud, the Marines!* Despite being one of the smallest service, they have the reputation of being the toughest. Consider joining the Marine Corps.

# COLLEGE MAJOR OF THE MONTH

## POLITICAL SCIENCE & GOVERNMENT

Politics affects the air we breathe, the schools we attend, the jobs we do, the communities we live in, and the taxes we pay. This major studies the systems people set up to organize their societies, from neighborhoods to nations. Check out these sites for more info:

What You Need to Know About Being a Political Science Major

<https://www.usnews.com/education/best-colleges/political-science-major-overview#:~:text=What%20Is%20a%20Political%20Science,relations%2C%20comparative%20politics%20and%20more.>

Average Salary of a Political Science Major

<https://bestaccreditedcolleges.org/articles/average-salary-of-a-political-science-major.html>

Top 10 Jobs for Political Science Majors

<https://www.thebalancecareers.com/top-jobs-for-political-science-majors-2059632>



## KAMALA HARRIS: THE FIRST WOMAN TO BE SWORN IN AS THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

This individual is also the first African American woman, the first Indian-American, the first person of Asian-American descent, and the first graduate of an HBCU to be sworn in as Vice President. Kamala Harris has spent her life breaking down glass ceilings. Read more about her in this biography from the National Women's History Museum.



womenshistory.org/education...

## IN HONOR OF WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH, ALSO CONSIDER THE MAJOR: WOMEN'S STUDIES


What is Women's Studies and why is it relevant? Women's Studies draws on history, sociology, literature, politics, and psychology. Learn more about it:



## HBCU HIGHLIGHT OF THE MONTH...BOWIE STATE UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1865, Bowie State is the oldest HBCU in the state of Maryland and one of the 10 oldest in the country. Long before it became Bowie State University, it was initially named School #1 and was located in Baltimore, MD. Learn more about the university in the link!

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 [bowiestate.edu/](http://bowiestate.edu/)

## TRADE OF THE MONTH

### COSMETOLOGY

Cosmetologists are more than just hair and make-up, they are artists. Not only do you get to express your creativity day in and day out but you get to make lasting relationships with people. If you enjoy helping others transform themselves, this may be a good career to consider! Read more about it here:

Why Should I Go to Cosmetology School?

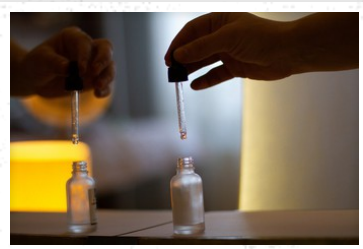
<https://www.beautyschools.com/faq/why-should-i-go-to-cosmetology-school/>

Cosmetology Schools in Maryland

<https://www.beautyschoolsdirectory.com/programs/cosmetology-school/md>

10 Outside of the Box Jobs with a Cosmetology License

<https://douglasj.edu/ten-outside-the-box-jobs-you-can-pursue-with-a-cosmetology-license/>



## COSMETOLOGISTS ARE SCIENTISTS!

Science and cosmetology go hand in hand. Part of cosmetology school is experimenting daily! Learn more about this in this article.

 [empire.edu/blog/beauty-busin...](http://empire.edu/blog/beauty-busin...)



## THE 13 MOST INFLUENTIAL FEMALE HAIRSTYLISTS RIGHT NOW

Historically the hair industry was dominated by men, but this article highlights 13 women hairdressers who are rising to the top of their game.

 [refinery29.com/en-us/2016/0...](http://refinery29.com/en-us/2016/0...)

## MILITARY

### U.S. MARINE CORPS

The U.S. Marine Corps was established in 1775 to serve as "soldiers of the sea," and be the landing forces for the Navy. They fall under the Department of Navy but are a separate branch of service. There are also over 180 jobs available! Check out these websites for more info:

Marine Corps - Frequently Asked Questions

<https://www.military.com/join-armed-forces/marine-corps-recruiting-faqs.html>

Things to Consider When Joining the Marines

<https://www.thebalancecareers.com/what-to-consider-when-joining-the-marine-corps-3354311>

Roles in the Marine Corps

<https://www.marines.com/about-the-marine-corps/roles.html>



## WOMEN MARINES HISTORY

The Marines need more strong women, could it be you one day? As of 2020, women make up only 8.9% of total active duty Marines. These numbers give the Marine Corps the lowest ratio of women in all of the U.S. military branches. Learn more about women history in the Marines by checking out the link.

 [womenmarines.org/](https://womenmarines.org/)

## IN OUR NEXT NEWSLETTER...

In our **April** newsletter...we share information about the college major **Communications**, the trade of **Audio Engineering**, and share information about the **Military Academies**. April also includes National Volunteer Week, so to close this newsletter we leave you with a quote:

*"How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world." - Anne Frank*