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SUNSTATE COMPETITION TEAM WINS BIG AT THE PREMIER ORLANDO SHOW

Sunstate Academy sent twelve competitors to the Premiere Orlando Show this year to compete in the Fantasy, Trend Cut & Color and Bridal student international student competitions. The Premiere Orlando is the largest hair show in the South.

The competition team consisted of Afney Estanis, Katie Branham, Amy Hogan, Roland Ramirez, Bethany Butler, Whitney McAfee, Cassandra Blanchard, Jessenia Perona, Lisette Villanueva, Andrea Smith, Somidelyn Lopez and Keyshia Flores. These students committed many hours and hard work outside of their school schedules, while maintaining a strict GPA and attendance percentage. All of their hard work paid off when Sunstate had five students place.

Fantasy Competition (42 Competitors)

Afney Estanis 1st Place

Amy Hogan 3rd Place

Katie Branham 4th Place

Trend Cut & Color Competition (28 Competitors)

Cassandra Blanchard 4th Place

Bridal Competition (35 Competitors)

Somidelyn Lopez 10th Place

About:

Founded in 1975, Sunstate Academy is a Redken Premier School, centrally located in Fort Myers, offering programs in cosmetology, nail technician and barber-styling cosmetology combination. Sunstate Academy's Salon Solaris is open to the public and offers a full menu of salon services at an affordable price. For more information regarding beauty education, call admissions at 239-236-0004. For questions regarding salon services, call Salon Solaris at 239-278-1311. For Sunstate's Clearwater campus admissions contact 727-287-9512. Regarding services at Sunstate Clearwater call Salon Solaris at 727-538-3827 www.sunstate.edu.