



Things you need to know about your senior portrait

Photography You Can Be Proud to Display

BEFORE YOU COME Please check with your school to find the specifications your yearbook requires. The questions you need to ask are...

- 1) Required clothing. (Coat & Tie, Tux, Drape for girls or casual etc.)
- 2) Do they need a special background or the traditional old masters studio background.
- 3) What are the size specs. (overall size, and head size) **IF THEY NEED A Digital file we will email it directly to the school. We will need to know the name & email address of the yb advisor.**
- 4) What is the date the picture needs to be to the school?

BASIC SESSION: Your Basic Session will last about 10 minutes. We will take 6 proofs and you will view your proofs as we take them. You will make your choice for the yearbook at the time of the session.

TRADITIONAL SESSION: Your Traditional session will start with a Basic Session, described above. After you select the yearbook picture we will continue with about 15 additional poses with a couple different backgrounds for your gift portraits. This session will last about 30 minutes. You may bring a couple clothing options. All your proofs will be head & shoulder poses. The poses may include your waist so make sure your pants or skirts match the tops you bring.

**With the Basic & Traditional Sessions we will show you your proofs during the session.
ANYONE WISHING TO HELP MAKE THE SELECTION MUST COME WHEN THE PICTURES ARE TAKEN.**

SUPER SENIOR SESSION Your Super Senior Session will take about 1 hour. Your session will include both the basic & traditional session poses. We will continue with additional proofs that will include full length pictures with many different backgrounds. You should bring props to be in your proofs. Musical instruments, Sporting equipment and anything that shows who you are and what you like to do will make good props. You should bring 3 or 4 different outfits. **Bring outfits that are different in style and colour from one another.** Your tops, bottoms and shoes & socks should all match. Bring complete sports uniforms, head to foot. Including all the equipment, (Balls, rackets, skis & polls etc.) will allow us to be much more creative with your pictures.

BEING CREATIVE MAKES IT MORE FUN: We find that seniors that want their pictures to be creative and different have more fun. The more props and outfits you bring the better selection of pictures we can give you to choose from. Fee free to come in for a pre-portrait consultation to plan your pictures. Creative pictures are better when they are thought out ahead of time.

BRING YOUR PARENTS: When parents are present at the session they quite often see things or have ideas that we may not have seen or thought of.

EXTRAS: With a Super Senior Session you may wish to add proofs that include your siblings, friends or your pets. If you would like to add any of these things **PLEASE CALL the studio AHEAD OF TIME** so that we can reserve the additional time required.

CHECK OUT OUR SENIOR GALLERY FOR IDEAS: There are many photos that we have done for others that you can view online in our gallery. Check them out. If you have a Special Idea you would like for your portrait feel free to come in for a Pre-Portrait consultation so that we can plan your pictures ahead of time.

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