



ALL THE INFO TO HELP YOU PLAN



THE WELCOME GUIDE

ENGAGEMENT EDITION

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Hello Friend

Hi there! My name is Jordyn, and I'm a photographer based in Nebraska, primarily serving the Midwest, but I'm willing to travel anywhere.

I fell in love with a unique approach that blends natural, candid moments with styled, editorial photos. I'm extremely passionate about capturing your real, raw life - the way you truly interact with your loved ones, partner, and even yourself.

I've had a camera in my hand for over ten years now. I began working in sports and eventually worked as an athletic photographer for the Nebraska Huskers. I absolutely LOVED that job, and I continue to work in sports from time to time, but I decided my work needed a change. I transitioned into lifestyle and documentary photography. I greatly loved capturing the real emotions of how people live.

A romantic couple is shown in a close embrace, kissing. The man, on the left, has short dark hair and a beard, and is wearing a white t-shirt. The woman, on the right, has long blonde hair and is wearing a white tank top. They are both smiling and looking at each other. The background is a soft, warm glow from the setting or rising sun, creating a golden hour atmosphere. The woman's hand is resting on the man's face, and a diamond ring is visible on her finger.

Let's chat about your session.

What do you wear?

What location should we shoot at?

What time?

“WE’RE AWKWARD IN FRONT OF THE CAMERA”

How I Shoot Lovers

Feeling awkward in front of the camera, not knowing poses, or never having had professional photos done is NOTHING to be worried about!

1. I focus more on how you interact with each other. This means I’ll give you two prompts to hang out and love each other, rather than “stand and smile” for most of the photoshoot.
 2. **If I tell you to do something that feels a little awkward, it’s probably because it will make you laugh, and that’s the photo I’m actually looking for. If you feel a little silly, that’s okay. Those are the best photos!**
 3. I will 100% pose you the entire time or tell you if anything looks off.
 4. We’ll chat about a way we can make the session unique to you two!
 5. Pretty much all of my couples tell me that the shoot was easier and more fun than they were ever expecting, so don’t worry!
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The Timeline

TWO WEEKS OUT

Schedule Consult

You'll get an email to schedule a consultation with me to plan the final location, time, outfits, etc.

ONE WEEK OUT

Receive Final Details

You'll receive a final details text, confirming all of the gorgeous details for our session.

THREE TO FIVE WEEKS AFTER

Your Gallery is Revealed

It's finally here! If your package includes artwork, we'll have a design call to get your final pieces created!



So let's get to planning...

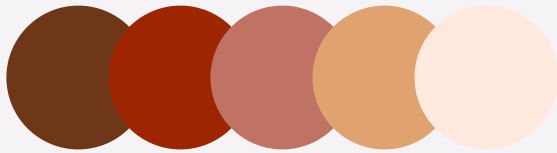
So, what do we wear?

- Feel good, look good! Focus on something that you feel comfy, but confident in!
- Stick to your usual style. How fancy you get is up to you, but wear something that feels like YOU. If you've never worn heels a day in your life, don't feel like you need to start at your photoshoot.
- Think about your wedding colors! Your outfit for engagement photos does *not* need to match, but if you're having your engagement photos displayed at your wedding, consider colors that will coordinate with your big day.
- Think about the season! If it's going to be hot, be conscious that your sweat may show through. If it's going to be cold, it's okay to wear a cute, but heavier, jacket.
- Accessorize! Adding a few statement pieces of jewelry, classic watches, trendy glasses, a fun hat, or statement shoes are all great ways to elevate your photos.
- Coordinate, don't match. You two don't need to be wearing the exact same colors or outfits. Pick things that complement each other. It's okay to wear different colors.

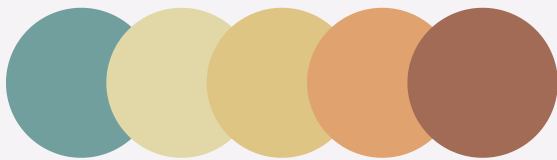
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Check out the next page for my favorite color combinations!

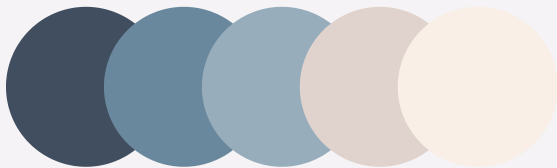
Color Combination Inspo



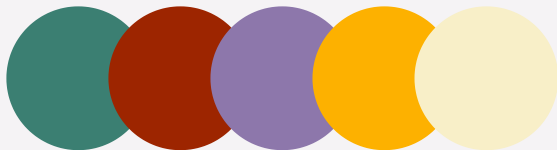
Creamy Deep Reds



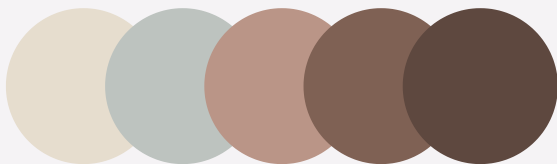
Sweet Pastels



Blue Hues



Jewel Tones



Calming Neutrals



Earth Tones



Classic Black & White

A man and a woman are embracing in a modern, dimly lit interior space. The woman is wearing a white, long-sleeved, knee-length dress and glasses. The man is wearing a dark suit jacket over a light-colored shirt. They are standing on a wooden floor, and a staircase is visible in the background. The overall mood is romantic and intimate.

Still need inspo?

[Click here to check out](#)
[what some other couples](#)
[have done on my Pinterest.](#)



What location?

Up to you, friend!

Ultimately, I'll be helping you pick the final location after our consult call. Be thinking about what you like best: greenery, bustling downtown areas, tall grasses, trendy studios, blooming flowers, or a calm lake.

I also recommend thinking of locations that may not be your typical photo spot. What about a fancy bar? Your favorite restaurant spot? Your cutely decorated home?

What else should I bring?



This is something we'll figure out together! I like to really try and make a small portion of the photoshoot really unique and special. This can mean bringing some wine, a few flowers, your favorite sushi takeout, books, whatever is meaning and unique to your relationship!

I always recommend bringing a comb, hairspray, and makeup for touch-ups throughout the session.



A Quick Note:

You just got engaged, of course, we have to get photos of the bling!

Your hands will be in multiple photos, including close-ups. Schedule a manicure and pick a pretty paint color in preparation for your engagement photos!



What about fur babies?

Please bring them! They are always welcome since they are a part of the family too! If bringing your fur baby, it's helpful to:

1. Bring extra treats or toys
2. Bring a leash
3. Bring an extra person to hang out with the fur baby when they aren't needed! Truly, they will only be needed for about 10 minutes of the photoshoot.

That's all for now!

I'LL BE IN CONTACT TO FINALIZE YOUR SESSION DETAILS!



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