

SESSION DETAILS:

The first step to your photography session is a consultation and a studio walk-through.

A Cool Studio is a very unique photography studio with numerous options, scenes and vignettes. The consultation will help you determine which experience is best for you and will get you thinking about the details of your session.

Sessions typically last between one and three hours depending on the selected package and the number of people involved. Sessions involving children tend to take longer so please plan accordingly. Sessions are customized to each client- fun and high energy or laid-back- depending on your preference.

What to expect after your session:

Within 10 days of your session you will be emailed a password to view your web gallery online. You can share your web gallery to friends and family and use it to determine your favorite photos.

Your ordering appointment will be scheduled 2-4 weeks after your session. You can meet with us about your order at the studio or we will happily meet at your home. Orders on products including prints, digital frames and custom cards will be taken at this time. You will be invoiced for the order upon delivery.

Your order will be ready in approximately 4-6 weeks. Rush orders are available at a surcharge.

Your web gallery will be available for 60 days.

PREPARING FOR YOUR SESSION:

Your photographs can suffer from poor planning, so please feel free to contact us with any questions and we can provide you with more detailed information for your photo session.

WHAT TO WEAR?

The styling of your session is up to you. We recommend bringing at least 2 looks for any shoot. The more options the better. We will help you select the best look for each vignette to get the results you want. We will also provide wardrobe and accessory options from our studio selections.

We have a private dressing area at the studio. Wrinkled clothes can drastically affect the quality of your images so please bring your changes of clothing on hangers and we can put them on styling racks for you. Please bring your clothes pressed and ready.

Groups: It looks best when all members are coordinated (not necessarily matching) with solid colors

Children: We recommend a dressy option and a casual option. Playful options such as dance costumes and team jerseys are always fun as well. Also you can bring props, favorite toys, and sports equipment.

HAIR AND MAKEUP

Your makeup can look a lot different under our lights so we recommend using one of our makeup artists for your photo session. Our professionals must be booked in advance. Makeup usually takes about an hour for one person. \$150/session. If you have several ladies in a group we can reserve more than one makeup artist. If you have reserved a makeup artist she will have the tools to help with your hair as well.

If you would like to do your own hair and makeup, please keep it simple and natural. Keep skin matte (any shine will be highlighted by the studio lights). Bring your makeup to the studio for touch ups or to change looks during the shoot.

A FEW QUICK TIPS:

- If you plan to get your hair cut or highlighted, do it at least 1-2 weeks before your session
- Please bring a brush or comb with you
- Bring makeup for touch ups
- Prominent jewelry can be distracting and date a photo
- Darker colors are generally more flattering
- Do not tan the day before a session in case of burning
- Drink lots of water and get plenty of rest the night before

Most importantly, prepare to have FUN in a creative studio with experienced and prepared pros who know how to get the most flattering and beautiful images of you!