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GUYS GUIDE

TIPS FOR SENIOR GUYS

We know you've got a lot on your plate as you wrap up your high school career. You've got ball games and tests and extracurricular activities to attend. And now you've got to think about what to wear to your senior portrait session? To take the stress and hassle out of figuring out what to wear, we've created a rough guideline that'll help you plan your senior portrait outfits.

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SESSION TIPS

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Now that you've booked your session, we have a few tips for you to help you get ready for your close up. Follow these guidelines the weeks leading up to your session and we'll take care of the rest!

If it's a multi outfit shoot, choose two to three outfits to wear during your session and lay them out the day before so they're ready to go. Make sure they are clean and wrinkle-free. Also, don't forget to bring matching socks and shoes for each outfit if one pair won't go along with all of them. same goes for your one outfit sessions too.

While you're at it...if you plan to bring any props – your skateboard, football, guitar, etc. – go ahead and lay that out as well. If you are going to bring your car or truck to the session and want it to be in photos with you, be sure to wash it the night before/day of your session.

Get a good night's rest the night before so you can look well rested for your session.

Get your hair cut about a week to a week and a half prior to your session.

Don't forget to shave away any stubble from your face and neck prior to your session.

If you wake up two days prior to your session, or the morning of, and acne has appeared on your face – don't pick at it and make it worse while trying to get rid of it. Don't even worry about it at all. We offer basic retouching, which includes blemish removal.

WHAT TO WEAR

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WEAR YOUR FAVORITE CLOTHING

Feeling comfortable and yourself is priority number one for senior pictures. Think about the pieces of clothing you always turn to when you want to feel your best; these are great options for your portraits.

TRY SOMETHING NEW

Sometimes it's nice to have an excuse to buy something new. Hit the store for a new shirt or pair of jeans to feel extra confident at your session.

WEAR CLOTHES AND SHOES YOU CAN MOVE AROUND IN

We'll be posing, walking around, standing up, and sitting down possibly for a couple hours. Make sure that you feel comfortable moving around freely in your outfit. Shoes should be clean and photogenic (no dirty sneakers or flip flops), but nothing that you feel restricted in.

AVOID SUPER LOUD COLORS AND PRINTS

The best senior portraits don't detract from your face and blend well into the backdrop. Try to avoid neon colors, flashy prints, bright red, and yellow. There are always exceptions to the rule, but let's talk it out to make sure it's a fit for the backdrop.

MAKE SURE EVERYTHING'S PRESSED/CRISP

Little details matter, so make sure that jeans are wrinkle-free, shirts are freshly ironed, cuffs are crisp, nails are clean, and hair is freshly washed and styled.

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