



# ‘How to pick the right photographer for you.’

## 1. Pick a Photographer that you connect with

I feel it's super important to feel relaxed with your photographer. Arrange a meet-up at your wedding venue or local cafe. Make a list of questions for your photographer. I usually suggest to meet at a Wedding Fayre if you wanted to keep it formal.

## 2. Decide if you'd prefer a male or female photographer

When I mention this to couples, it isn't an obvious thought. You might not have a preference which is fine, yet it's something to think about.



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**3. Pick someone who understands your style. Do you want posed or candid photos? or both?**

If you aren't the posing type, then opt for a candid or reportage photographer. If you are a lover of group photos, then you would be more suited to a traditional photographer.

**4. Have a budget in mind. Do you want half a day or a full day?**

My packages are usually a ceremony only package, half a day or a full day. Have you considered an album? Some photographers include these as part of their packages. I offer these as an add on to the photography.



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## 5. Read Reviews

I'm a big fan of reviews. I list these on my website and so do most photographers. You can also read google reviews. Ask friends and family for recommendations too.

## 6. Look at the photographers portfolio

Photographs sell the photographer. If you like what you see have a look at the photographers gallery page and social media sites.



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## 7. Discuss your venue

Discuss your venue with your photographer. Photographers love to hear where you are getting married. It’s useful to know if your photographer has captured a wedding at your chosen venue before.

## 8. Book an engagement shoot

Engagement shoots give you an idea of what your actual wedding day photography will feel like. It’s a great opportunity to get to know your photographer and most of all to have fun!