

AMY SALESSI PHOTOGRAPHY

Class of 2025

**SENIOR SESSION** *Guide*





# BEHIND THE

## HI! I AM AMY.

*Lens*

I'm a family photographer based in La Verne. I have a class of 2025 senior, too, so I know just how special this year is for you! In fact, many of my own friends are probably receiving this guide, and I am so thankful and honored you have chosen me to book your child's senior session. I have been photographing families since 2010, and as my clients have grown up, I have had the joy of taking on more senior sessions. It has been so fun to come full circle and see many of the faces I photographed as toddlers now about to graduate high school!

I created this guide to make the process as easy and enjoyable as possible. Please make sure to read it all the way through, as most of your questions should be answered in here. I look forward to hearing from you!





## THE EXPERIENCE

Choose your package and contact me to set a date that works for us both. Once we have that confirmed, I will send you a link to book it online and pay the deposit. This is the only way to block the date out in my calendar, so make sure to do that ASAP.

01

Once your session is booked online, you will receive my client questionnaire - the most important step of the entire planning process.

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Eight weeks prior to your session, you will receive my style guide. Start looking for your outfits at this point.

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Two weeks prior to the session, we will check in and go over last minute items.

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One day prior to your session, I will send final instructions for locations, pin drops, etc.

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Your full gallery will be delivered within 3 weeks. Make sure to download your images!

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Order an album, announcements, and prints, if you would like. I am happy to help you!

07

I love when you share your images and tag me on social media!

# THE BASIC - \$950

**Perfect for seniors who want to keep it easy and local.**

I have several areas local to the La Verne, Glendora, San Dimas, Claremont area that are popular choices among seniors. If you want to do your session at your high school (within 15 miles), a woodsy, local park location, our nearby flower field in the spring, the lookout point, or downtown Claremont, etc. this is the package for you.



## WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- ✓ Access to my online styling resource tool to help you plan outfits, create your own style board, and shop!
- ✓ 1 hour session, just before sunset for that golden hour light.
- ✓ 2 outfit changes
- ✓ One location within 15 miles of La Verne
- ✓ Approximately 40 fully edited digital images, sent via an online gallery where you can download your high resolution images.
- ✓ A storefront for you to create announcements, and order prints and albums if you would like.

# THE FAVORITE- \$1200

This session is the true senior experience! I created this package based off what I found almost all of my senior clients asked for over the last few years. Sunset at the beach, a location special to you or further than 20 miles, or a session at two locations with more outfit changes are examples of what makes this session special. This package spoils you with more digital images and more time.




## WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- ✓ Access to my online styling resource tool to help you plan outfits, create your own style board, and shop!
- ✓ 1.5-2 hour session, ending just before sunset for that golden hour light. More time if needed to drive between locations.
- ✓ Up to 4 outfit changes.
- ✓ More location flexibility. The beach, downtown LA, etc. I do not drive further than 40 miles for any of my sessions, though.
- ✓ 40-60+ fully edited digital images, sent via an online gallery where you can download your high resolution images.
- ✓ A storefront for you to create announcements, and order prints and albums if you would like.



# BESTIE/TWIN SESSION - \$1600



THIS SESSION IS PERFECT FOR FRIENDS WANTING TO SHARE A SESSION OR TWINS WHO WANT TO SHOOT THE SAME LOCATION ON THE SAME DAY. THIS IS MEANT FOR TWO SENIORS ONLY. ANYTHING MORE THAN THAT AT ONE TIME IS JUST TOO RUSHED.

## WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- ✓ Access to my online styling resource tool to help you plan outfits, create your own style board, and shop!
- ✓ 1.5-2 hour session, ending just before sunset for that golden hour light. More time if needed to drive between locations.
- ✓ Up to 3 outfit changes each.
- ✓ More location flexibility. The beach, downtown LA, etc. I do not drive further than 40 miles for any of my sessions, though.
- ✓ 40 fully edited digital images EACH, sent via an online gallery where you can download your high resolution images. You will get a mix of individual shots as well as shots together.
- ✓ A storefront for you to create announcements, and order prints and albums if you would like.

# ADD ONS

## CAP AND GOWN and/or COLLEGE SHIRT SESSION

If you are booking a session earlier in the year, odds are you won't have a cap and gown yet or know where you will be going to college. For those of you who would like a quick opportunity to round out your session with a local mini to include these, I will be offering a few days where I schedule seniors for quick 20 minute sessions in the Spring. This is an add on and NOT a stand alone package, meaning you have to be one of my senior clients to take advantage of this mini session.

**PRICE: \$250**

**15 digital images**



## GRAD ANNOUNCEMENTS, PRINTS, ALBUMS + MORE

You will have the opportunity to create and shop for products after your session. You are not required to purchase, as the digital images you receive are all high resolution and can be printed at a lab of your choice. When you choose my print lab, you know your images will be the highest quality, as I work with a lab calibrated perfectly to my monitor.

# FAQ'S

## **DO YOU OFFER SENIOR MINI SESSIONS OUTSIDE OF THE CAP + GOWN MINIS?**

*No, I do not. Capturing seniors takes time. I want to get to know them and pull their true self out without feeling rushed.*

## **WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE SEASON TO SHOOT?**

*Honestly, I love them all! BUT if you wait and book Jan-March you never know what kind of weather we will get. Rain can cause delays and make my schedule so full in April that edits are longer to get back. Keep that in mind.*

*I avoid the beach in the summer. It is too crowded to have a successful photo shoot. Beach sessions are my favorite October-January. I also avoid weekend beach sessions as much as possible.*

## **IF I JUST CAN'T DECIDE WHEN TO BOOK, CAN WE SHOOT ON TWO DIFFERENT DAYS?**

*I have photographed seniors who wanted a fall setting but also wanted pictures closer to graduation in the flower field. You are welcome to book two sessions, if you would like to do that. I can't split one session into two days, so you would need to pay for both sessions to hold both days on my calendar.*

*Another option is to grab a friend and book TWO bestie sessions! Use the first one together at one location and the next at a different location.*

## **CAN WE TAKE FAMILY PICTURES AT THE SAME TIME?**

*A few family pictures with the graduate can be included if you book The Favorite package. It will count as one outfit change for your senior if they decide to change clothes for it. These are quick since our focus is really on senior pictures.*

## **WHAT IF I DON'T KNOW WHAT LOCATION I WANT NOW? CAN I UPGRADE LATER?**

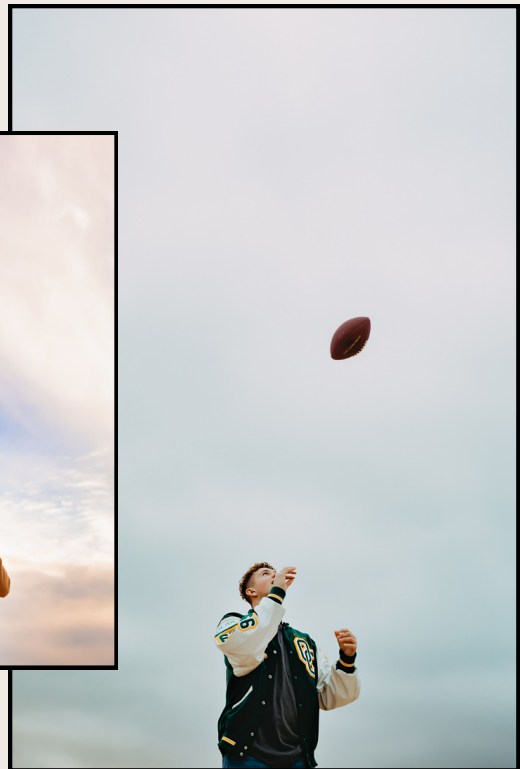
*Yes, you can upgrade before your session. Some locations do require more planning (for example, if a permit is needed I would need to start that process early), and there are some days in my schedule that I would need to make sure I can travel farther out, so the earlier you decide the better.*







SHOWCASE YOUR TALENTS





INCLUDE SOMETHING SPECIAL



# FLOWERS AND FIELDS





## URBAN/DOWNTOWN AREAS



# THE BEACH



**I KNOW THIS IS A LOT OF INFORMATION, BUT DON'T WORRY! MY JOB IS TO HELP YOU CHOOSE THE SESSION THAT WORKS BEST FOR YOU. I CAN POINT YOU TO THE RIGHT LOCATION, HELP YOU CHOOSE THE CLOTHES THAT WILL BRING THAT SPOT TO LIFE, AND ANSWER EVERY QUESTION YOU HAVE ALONG THE WAY. RELAX, THIS WILL BE FUN!**

**PLEASE FEEL FREE TO REACH OUT WITH ANY QUESTIONS, OR IF YOU ARE READY AND WOULD LIKE TO CHOOSE A DATE WITH ME, CALL OR EMAIL TO GET THE PROCESS STARTED.  
LET'S DO THIS, CLASS OF '25!**

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