

Meaningful & timeless imagery, in a relaxed & natural way—helping you to preserve these beautifully fleeting magical moments.

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PHOTOGRAPHY



# Family *Photo* Sessions

These moments are everything, and I feel that documenting the wonderful chaos—in a thoughtful & timeless way—is one of the biggest gifts we can give to our children and our extended families.

We are so lucky to live in a time where we all have these incredible iPhone cameras in our back pockets everyday. What we will be able to show and share with our children as they grow up is so special.

But sometimes it can be even more special to see yourself and your family through the trained eye of a photographer. To capture all the mini moments that might be missed. The season of childhood is so precious...and it goes by in the blink of an eye.



LET'S TAKE SOME PHOTOS TO MAKE  
IT LAST FOREVER.



# SESSION TYPES

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## *The Sweet Spot Session*

**60-90 MINUTE SESSION, ONE LOCATION**

### **WHY THIS SESSION?**

The most popular session type. This is the perfect option if you're looking for beautiful, timeless family photos that don't require too much scheduling/planning. The session can either take place at your home or at an outdoor location.

The \$300 booking fee locks in your session and includes all the planning & preparation. This fee does not include any images and is non-refundable.

### **IMAGE PURCHASE**

- Private gallery of 100+ images
- Every image available to download
- \$200 print store credit with your online gallery

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\$1800 (including \$300 booking fee)

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## *The Storytelling Session*

**120-180+ MINUTE SESSION, TWO LOCATIONS**

### **WHY THIS SESSION?**

My personal favourite. This session allows the opportunity to really tell the magical story of your family—it delivers more variety, but in the most effortless way. Think of it as less of a photoshoot & more of just simply hanging out. Often includes a home session + an outdoor session, or two different outdoor locations.

The \$300 booking fee holds your date and includes the planning & preparation for your session. This fee does not include any images and is non-refundable.

### **IMAGE PURCHASE**

- Private gallery of 180+ images
- Every image available to download
- \$250 print store credit with your online gallery

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\$2500 (including \$300 booking fee)



# THE EXPERIENCE

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After your enquiry depending on which session type you choose, we will start planning and preparing your session. I love to create mood boards or gather inspiration from what you're looking for with your photos. I help with any styling queries you might have, or any areas around the shoot which you might not be familiar with. If you've booked the Storytelling Session, we will arrange best timings and location combinations. I love capturing family rituals at home, so even things like brushing your teeth, making pancakes, or an afternoon wine while the kids play in the garden can become the whole inspiration for the session.

## / 02

We will then meet at our proposed location (either your home or an outdoor location, or both depending on the session type) and will catch up & chat before we start the session. My approach is very relaxed and I'll do my best to make you feel comfortable in front of the camera. I'll give you cues and a little direction along the way, but a lot of the time I will simply be capturing you as you interact with your family. I'll spend a lot of time getting down onto your kids level and making them feel at ease. My priority is to make your whole experience in front of the camera really fun, effortless and memorable.

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After our session, I'll get to work on the culling & editing. If I've been able to snap a few iPhone shots or video, I'll send them straight to you before we say our goodbyes. You will then receive your edited high-res gallery within 4-6 weeks. From the gallery, you're able to download your high-res images and are also able to purchase prints or products directly. The gallery is also able to be shared with extended family members and friends.

# Top Tips

## 01 /

To get the best results, try and be as present as possible. Windswept hair is beautiful, it doesn't matter if your kids aren't looking at the camera or are a little shy / crazy. That's half the fun of it—capturing the real, wonderfully chaotic moments.

## 02 /

Bribery does work. If you think your kids might be of themselves with a little incentive, by all means...embrace it. I can tell you that there will be absolutely NO mum shaming haha!

## 03 /

For outdoor sessions—if you can arrange it, scheduling our session for either sunrise or sunset will produce the most beautiful results. The light is soft and extra flattering and it's not as busy. For at-home sessions, we can arrange anytime that suits.

## 04 /

It can feel so weird & awkward getting your photo taken—I know, but don't worry none of the awkwardness will be translated into the final product if you're smiling and having fun :)



# Style Inspo

The number one question I am asked in regards to sessions is 'what should we wear?' I totally understand the conundrum as it is a little daunting. Ultimately all that really matters is that you feel your most true-to-you best self—at your most comfortable, whilst still feeling absolutely amazing & beautiful (because you are).

That might mean cool jeans & a tee, or a beautiful flowing dress—it's all about what aligns with your personal style the most. From a photography perspective, I find that you can never go wrong with a neutral colour palette (think soft earthy tones or pretty pastels), but it can also feel very safe.

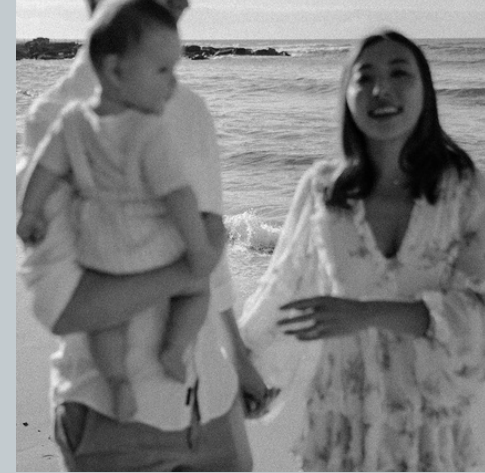
- Faithfull
- Auguste
- Zara
- Maurie & Eve
- Summer & Storm
- Academy Brand
- H&M
- Seed
- Cotton On
- VRG Girl
- Christy Dawn
- Dissh
- Jamie Kay
- By Billie
- Nature Baby

I've put together a [Pinterest board](#) with further inspiration, and I'm always available to help if you have any questions.



# FAMILY EXTRAS

Family Photography goes beyond portraits, and can often include fun family events & celebrations or big extended family photo sessions. I'm excited to be available for an array of different family session/event types, see below for the most requested. Please get in touch if you'd like to customise or if you have any questions.



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## EXTENDED FAMILY SESSION

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\$2200 for 60 minute session

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## CHRISTENING EVENT

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\$2500 for 3 hours coverage

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## BABY SHOWER EVENT

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\$2000 for 3 hours coverage

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## KIDS BIRTHDAY EVENTS

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\$2000 for 3 hours coverage

# Thank you

Even just reading through this document means my work has resonated with you on some level, and that is the biggest honour. I would absolutely love to capture your beautiful family—your crazy chaos is absolutely worth documenting, and it fuels me with so much passion & inspiration.

And just a quick note on weather; in the event of rainy or stormy weather for our scheduled date, we can simply reschedule for a better suited date within 12 months of paying your booking fee. If you have any questions at all, please feel free to reach out to me and I will assist you in any queries you may have.



LOVE SOPHIE.





THANK YOU

