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*lifestyle photography*



CLASS OF 2027

*senior session guide*

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Senior year is such a meaningful, once-in-a-lifetime season, and I'm truly honored you're here. Your session is about so much more than photos—it's about capturing who you are right now: your personality, your style, your energy, and everything that makes you uniquely you.

From the moment you book, I'm here to guide you every step of the way—from outfit planning to location ideas and helping you feel comfortable in front of the camera. Whether you're dreaming of golden fields, coastal views, downtown textures, or something else entirely, we'll create a session that brings your vision to life.

My goal is for you to have a relaxed, fun experience that allows real moments to unfold naturally.

I truly can't wait to work with you and capture this incredible milestone!



## *the essential senior*

Perfect for the senior who wants something simple and polished.

- 30 minute session
- 1 location within PDX metro area
- 1 outfit
- 25 high-resolution digital images
- Online gallery for viewing + download
- Option to purchase additional images
- \$350 Investment



## *the signature senior*

Perfect for the senior who wants more variety without feeling overwhelmed.

- 75 minute session
- 1 -2 nearby locations
- Up to 3 outfits
- 75 high-resolution digital images
- Online gallery for viewing + download
- Option to purchase additional images
- \$550 Investment



## *the legacy senior*

Perfect for the senior who wants the full experience with storytelling, variety and style.

- 90-120 minute session
- 2 distinct locations
- Unlimited outfit changes
- Full gallery of 100+ digital images
- Online gallery for viewing + download
- Priority two week turnaround
- \$750 Investment

## optional upgrades

Not all sessions (or seniors!) are created equal. Here are a few optional upgrades to ensure your senior experience is unforgettable.

### *Full Gallery Upgrade*

The full gallery upgrade gives you access to all the best images from your session so you don't miss a favorite. It's perfect for seniors who want the complete story of their session and for families who know they'll love more than just a handful of favorites. Your \$100 upgraded investment means you will receive 2x the number of edited images as traditional sessions.

### *Best Friends Mini Upgrade*

Add a short best friends mini session at the end of your shoot to capture a few fun, genuine moments together. These images are perfect for sharing, printing, and remembering this season of life with your closest friends. Your \$50 add-on will provide an additional 15 minutes (or more) with your besties.

### *Family Session Mini Upgrade*

Senior year is just as meaningful for families as it is for seniors. This \$50 mini add-on allows us to capture a few relaxed, natural images with parents or siblings — no extra planning required. It's a beautiful way to preserve this milestone for everyone who's been a part of their journey.





### *Can I bring props?*

Yes — and I encourage it when it's meaningful. Sports uniforms, instruments, college gear, books, art supplies... if it represents who you are, it belongs in your session.

### *Can parents or friends come?*

Absolutely. Parents are always welcome and some seniors also bring a best friend for moral support (and hype energy), which I love. Just keep the group small so the focus stays on you.

### *When should we book?*

I recommend booking 2–3 months in advance, especially during peak senior season.

## *helpful tips*

Senior year is a once-in-a-lifetime season — and your photos should feel like you. Not stiff. Not overly posed. Here's everything you need to know to walk into your session feeling confident and excited.

### *Where will my session take place?*

We'll choose a location that feels right for you. That might mean a dreamy field at golden hour, a beach session with toes in the sand, a forest trail, or a downtown urban backdrop. If you're local to Portland, there are so many incredible spots that offer variety and beautiful light. I'll help guide you to the perfect fit.

### *What should I wear?*

Choose outfits that feel like YOU. Whether that's jeans and sneakers, a flowy dress at golden hour, boots and a hat in a field, or something downtown and bold — your session should reflect your personality.

Neutrals always photograph beautifully, but don't be afraid of color if it fits your vibe. Avoid large logos and please iron your outfits in advance — we want the focus on your face and your story.

# Locations to consider

## *Columbia River Gorge*

Latourell or Bridal Veil Falls  
North Bonneville or Beacon Rock State Park  
Rowena Crest Viewpoint

## *Northern Oregon Coast*

Cannon Beach, Hug Point, Ecola State Park  
Pacific City Sand Dunes  
Fogarty Creek State Park

## *Mt. Hood National Forest*

Timberline Lodge  
Trillium Lake, Mirror Lake or Lost Lake



North Bonneville, WA



Rowena Crest Viewpoint

## *Greater Portland*

Sandy River Delta, Powell Butte Nature Park  
George Rogers Park, Luscher Farms  
Vanouwer Waterfront, Fort Vancouver Historic Site  
Lacamas Lake, Frenchman's Bar or Salmon Creek Park

## *Urban Spaces*

Tanner Springs Park, Portland Waterfront  
Hoytt Arboretum, Pittock Mansion, Rose Garden  
Cathedral Park, Peninsula Park or Laurelhurst Park

Need more suggestions? You can find more at:  
[www.erikaellisphotography.com/locations](http://www.erikaellisphotography.com/locations). Note that  
locations further than 45 miles from the PDX metro  
area may require a minimal travel fee.



*ready to book?*

Yay! I am so excited to work with you! Please use the form on my website to send an email or reach out via Instagram or Facebook @erikaellisphotography. I will reply within 24-48 with current availability and plenty of session location ideas.

After confirming a session date, I will provide a contract for signature and a link to secure your downpayment of \$100.

Still unsure if you should book me? Do not hesitate to send a message and I would love to answer all your questions!

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