

Quote Comparison Checklist

Confirm these 20 things, in writing, before you pay any retainer — for us, or anyone else you're considering for your wedding photography and videography.

Comparing Photographers

- Full, unedited wedding galleries seen (not just highlights)
- Style genuinely matches what you want
- Hours and inclusions confirmed in writing
- Editing turnaround timeframe confirmed
- Backup plan if the photographer is unavailable
- Public liability insurance held
- Full contract reviewed before paying
- RAW photo & video file policy confirmed
- Second photographer included or optional
- Responsive, clear communication so far

Hidden Costs to Ask About

- Travel fee radius & rate confirmed
- GST included or added on top
- Album pricing, if you want one
- Extra hour vs. unplanned overtime rate
- Price per additional photo beyond the package
- RAW files included or not
- Delivery or rush-fee options
- Weekend / public holiday surcharges
- Accommodation costs, for destination weddings
- Printing costs, if wanted beyond a digital gallery

This checklist is a general guide to help you compare quotes with confidence — it isn't legal advice, and any contract should be read in full before signing.