



MINI FAMILY SESSION

2025 Pricing & Information Guide

Mini family photo sessions provide a wonderful opportunity to capture the love of your family. There's nothing quite like high-quality portraits that will remain cherished keepsakes for years to come. Mini sessions are particularly well-suited for families with young children who might have shorter attention spans, as well as for families seeking an annual photo for holiday cards. This guide has been crafted to assist you in navigating the realm of family photography and achieving images that resonate with your family. Within this guide, you'll discover responses to frequently asked questions, valuable advice on preparing for family photos, and insights into what to anticipate when collaborating with K. Hayes Photography.

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PRICING



\$215.00

- Full rights to images for reproduction purposes.
- 20 minute Photo session at metro location of photographers choice.
- Private digital gallery available for download.
- A minimum of 40 edited photos.
- Editing of photos includes complexion retouching as needed, lighting, cropping and artistic touches.

DETAILS

How does a mini session work?

 Plan to arrive at the designated location 10 minutes before your scheduled time slot. Once it's time to begin, we will initiate the timer and start creating beautiful family photos. When you book your session there will be an opportunity to share what your preferred shot list is.

How do I pay for my session?

 I request that clients pay before or at their session. I accept checks, cash, and venmo. <u>Click here</u> for K. Hayes Photography Venmo QR.

How long does it take to receive the photo gallery?

 Photo galleries are sent within 2 weeks of the photo session.

Can I print, share, or post my photos on social media?

 Yes! Feel free to share your gallery with family & friends, print photos, or post...infact, its encouraged. If you choose to post any of your photos please tag or give photo credit to K. Hayes Photography.





TIPS & TRICKS

Outfit Tips

- 1. Select your outfits in advance! If possible, lay everyone's outfits out next to each other to make sure you've achieved the look you are going for.
- 2. Shoot for coordinated rather than perfectly matching.
- 3. Have the person who is most difficult to dress select their outfit first and build off of their look.
- 4. Choose practical clothing. Make sure you feel comfortable, that it fits properly, and works for the setting.
- 5. Use accessories, patterns, and layers to add texture and variety (avoid busy patterns or large logos).

Click here for more tips on how to style your family for photos.

Location

Mini family photo sessions are typically conducted at a tried-and-true photo location that features a variety of beautiful backdrops situated closely together. This setup allows us to make the most of our time together.

Best Light

Photos sessions are typically booked around times with the best light for portrait photography (early morning and evening). These times of day give the very best light for photos, avoiding dramatic shadows and creating a nice soft light. Because of this it is important you arrive for your session on time, so that we don't literally run out of day light.

Showcase Your Love

Rather than focusing on being perfectly posed, simply try to have fun with your family! Don't be afraid to hug your children, or pick them up and toss them in the air. Be silly. Laugh. Play. Joke. Hug. Doing these things will not only make the shoot more fun and more organic, but it will allow for the genuine emotion and love your family shares to shine through. For the family members that are less enthusiastic about having their photos taken, its important that they try their best to engage with the family, as this will show through in the photos.











