

# REAL PHOTOGRAPHY

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## WHEN SHOULD I BOOK OUR SHOOT?

We are typically booked 1-2 months out, with summer months filling even faster. (However, I am a sucker for newborns and will always try to squeeze a newborn session in!)

## DO YOU SHOOT ON THE WEEKEND?

I schedule sessions on the weekends and week-day evenings. (In the winter when the days are short we move to only weekend openings.) The best light is in the morning and about two hours before sunset, so we usually schedule sessions at either end of the day.

## HOW LONG DOES THE SESSION LAST?

Plan on about an hour for the photo shoot, with newborn sessions lasting longer. During that time we'll capture the traditional family shot with everyone looking at the camera, but we'll also be focusing on creating lifestyle images that show off your family's dynamic.

## WHAT'S THE STUDIO LIKE?

I love shooting at our studio in Black Forest, about 25 minutes off I-25. Most sessions take place outside the studio, which has long grass, trees, dirt roads, and old barns. Newborn and boudoir sessions are indoors, and although the studio is tiny, it has great light! To get a feel for the studio images, take a look at our blog where you'll find our latest sessions.

## WHEN WILL WE SEE THE PHOTOS?

Once we're done shooting, my real work begins! I'll edit your images, retouch them, play with color, and generally apply some magic. Within two weeks your online proofing gallery will be live.

## HOW LONG DO WE HAVE TO ORDER?

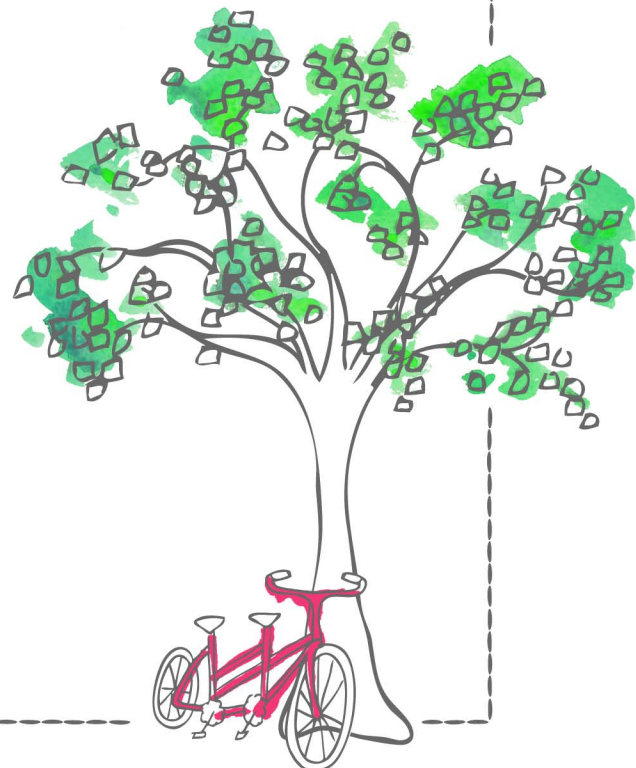
The online gallery will be live for one week, and your order must be placed during this time. (This provides the backbone of our scheduling and ensures that everyone receives their images in a timely manner.)

## HOW DO WE BOOK THE SHOOT?

The \$125 session fee reserves your appointment slot. Once we've got you on the calendar you'll receive an email confirming your appointment along with directions to the studio and a few tips to make sure your portrait session is a success!

## WHAT HAPPENS IF IT RAINS?

If wind, blizzards, or rain are in the forecast, I'll be in touch a day or two before your shoot to reschedule. If you end up with a sick kiddo or two, let me know and we'll reschedule.



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