



Hair & makeup by natalie

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What do I need to do to book you for my wedding?

*Natalie will send a contract via email. This needs to be completed and a deposit needs to be sent. Once Natalie receives **both** these items, your date is confirmed.*

When should I schedule my trial? What do I bring?

The trial should be scheduled after you book your wedding date. Natalie does not offer trials prior to booking. During peak season (April through December) trials are offered at 10 am on weekdays Monday through Thursday. January through March, trials are offered at 10 am or noon on Saturdays. If you prefer a Saturday trial, please let Natalie know ASAP as these slots fill very quickly!

Please bring any and all hair accessories, veil, earrings, necklaces, etc to your trial. The goal is to get this look as close to wedding day perfect as possible. Wear a white top or a top with an open neckline. Supplemental instructions will be sent via Google Calendar Invite when you receive an invite for your trial.

What if I don't know my wedding day timeline? How will we know when to start?

Natalie will create a timeline that offers a cushion from when your photographer is arriving at your getting ready venue. Typically, its 1-2 hours before he/she arrives. Each service is allotted a 40 minute time slot. Bridal hair and makeup services are usually longer and this is factored into the timeline.

What do I need for touch ups?

The makeup Natalie uses is long-wear and waterproof. Every prep and finishing product is used to ensure long wear stay. However, you might need a blot sheet for your face if you are dancing and sweating all night.

Natalie provides the bride with blot sheets and a lip touch up. All other clients will need their own lip touch up for later in the evening.

How should I prep my hair and skin?

It is important that the bride and other clients have CLEAN, DRY hair. The hair must be fully dry. It is impossible to achieve a look when the roots are still damp. This applies to curly hair clients that are going naturally curly too as we will provide all the prep product needed to tame and recurl into their shape.

Please do not go by the old rule “the dirtier the hair the better”. This is not true at all. Once the hair has too much grease, dry shampoo and oil in it, it is nearly impossible to style. We will use all the product needed to achieve the look.

*As far as skin prep goes, here is my “**optimal**” client skin:*

-Client has a well established cleansing, exfoliating and treatment routine. Please work with a licensed esthetician if you do not have one yet to establish which products you should be using for your skin type.

-Client's skin for trial and wedding day is cleansed and was moisturized immediately after cleansing (ideally 2-3 hours before the service).

- Client's skin is dermaplanned prior to the wedding (no more than 48 hours pre wedding date). This ensures the most even distribution of product and supplements a natural glow.

-Clients lips are exfoliated and client is well hydrated. This doesn't mean chug a bottle of water before your service. It means you should stay well hydrated and get into that routine weeks prior to the wedding. Especially important if you're wearing a matte lip color to avoid excessive creasing and dryness.

If there are other questions you have that are not answered here, please email Natalie @ hairandmakeupbynatalie@gmail.com

Thank you! 😊