37 questions to ask a wedding photographer

- 1. Are you available on my wedding date?
- 2. Do you offer engagement photography or videography?
- 3. Are you willing to travel for a destination wedding?
- 4. Do you offer hourly coverage or wedding packages only?
- 5. Can you provide a digital gallery of one of your previous weddings?
- 6. May we see a full wedding album from one of your previous weddings?
- 7. How will you handle group and candid shots?
- 8. Are you comfortable working with a shot list?
- 9. How would you best describe your artist vision for wedding photography?
- 10. May we request specific shots and poses?
- 11. How do you typically work with wedding planners?
- 12. What type of cameras and lenses do you use?
- 13. Do you have backup cameras and lenses in case of technical difficulties?
- 14. Have you ever had to shoot in the rain or snow, and if so what was that experience like?
- 15. What is your policy on editing and retouching images?
- 16. How long will it take from the wedding date to receive the processed images?
- 17. Do you have business and liability insurance?
- 18. Do you normally use an assistant or second photographer for weddings?
- 19. Do you have experience shooting at our wedding venue?
- 20. Do you provide both black & white and color processed images?
- 21. Have you ever worked with family members with disabilities and special needs?
- 22. Are you comfortable working with a different team of videographers?
- 23. Are you willing to travel to multiple locations on the wedding day to shoot portraits?
- 24. Are you comfortable working with different religious and/or cultural traditions?
- 25. Are you willing to provide the RAW images if requested?
- 26. Are you able to provide 2-3 references from previous clients?
- 27. Will it be you shooting our wedding or another photographer from your team?
- 28. Would you be able to put together a contract for us to review?
- 29. If we choose you as our photographers, what is required to secure the date?
- 30. Do you accept check or credit card as a deposit?
- 31. In what format and resolution are the final images delivered (jpeg, psd, tiff, etc.)?
- 32. How many final images should we expect to receive?
- 33. Are we able to hire you for additional hours on the day of the wedding?
- 34. How do you handle the copyright of images and ownership of our wedding images?
- 35. Do we have all rights to use our images however we'd like?
- 36. Will you provide us with a detailed timeline of the wedding day prior to the event?
- 37. What happens if you are sick and unable to make it on our wedding day?





