

FLOATING LEAF STUDIOS

STYLE GUIDE: SENIOR PORTRAITS

What to wear and what to avoid

We want to capture your personality through your style. We also want you to be truly comfortable in what you are wearing so we've made this guide to help you prepare for your session.





FOR THE GUYS

How to Prepare

1.

Plan outfits in their entirety. This means every look should be styled head to toe including the proper shoes, undergarments, and jewelry/props.

2.

Play with Solid Colors. Natural, solid colors like blue, greens, grays, and whites will photograph best and work well with most backgrounds. Solid colors work great especially for close-ups. The focus will be on you rather than your outfit.

3.

Bring props. If you are an athlete or have something that has impacted your life BRING IT! Football, soccer ball, golf club, dog, uniform, etc.

4.

Play with Layers. A denim jacket, blazer, or open button down shirt can help pull a look together. A well-fitting outer layer will enhance your body's silhouette and photograph nicely.

5.

Plan Ahead with Hair. Everybody's hair is different, but most haircuts look their best 0 to 2 weeks after the initial cut. Guys should shave the day of the shoot, but be careful with nicks.

