Aesthetic Shot

Technical Specifications:

Camera: Apple iPhone 16 Pro (Main rear camera)

Resolution: 10 MP (2941 × 3637), JPEG (2.3 MB)

Focal Length: 24 mm

Aperture: f/1.78

Shutter Speed: 1.4 s

ISO: 2000

Exposure Compensation: 0 EV

Description of the Shot:

This photo was taken in a dimly lit living room, using the iPhone 16 Pro's main back camera. The long shutter speed and high ISO help capture the warm glow of the fairy lights and candles without losing too much detail in the shadows. The scene is built around the sofa and coffee table: a laptop, a Marshall speaker, small candles, and soft toys create a relaxed, personal workspace atmosphere.

The composition is centred, with the curtain and lights forming the backdrop and the table leading the eye into the frame. The reflections on the wooden floor and the warm light coming from the candles add depth and make the space feel inviting and lived-in.

Editing Details:

Brightness and shadows adjusted to keep the candle glow strong without blowing out highlights.

Contrast slightly increased to separate the dark sofa from the lighter curtains and floor.

Warmth and saturation boosted to emphasise the cosy, golden tone of the lights.

Noise reduced gently (because of ISO 2000) while keeping texture in the curtains and floor.

A subtle vignette effect helps keep the viewer's focus on the centre of the frame—the laptop, candles, and table.