

# The Bridalist – Terms & Conditions

## Securing Your Booking

A 25% non-refundable deposit is required to secure your wedding date. Dates cannot be held without a deposit.

The remaining balance is due 14 days before your wedding day by bank transfer. Failure to make payment may result in cancellation of your booking.

By paying a deposit, you agree to these Terms & Conditions and enter into a binding contract with The Bridalist.

## Pricing & Payments

The pricing confirmed at the time of booking will be honoured. Any general price changes after your booking will not affect your agreed fee.

Services cannot be reduced after booking. You may add additional services if time allows (please provide at least 4 weeks' notice).

Extra services cannot be added on the wedding day without prior agreement.

## Trials

Bridal trials are held in Hove (BN3 8PB) on Wednesdays and Fridays, 4–8 weeks before your wedding date.

Trial fees are non-refundable.

If you request a second trial, it will be charged at the same rate as the first.

Please ensure you arrive on time for your trial. Late arrivals may shorten your appointment.

## Minimum Booking

I do not have a minimum booking, provided the bride is booked with a trial.

Flower girl services are available on request. Prices will be confirmed after we discuss your requirements.

## Assistants

For larger bridal parties or where timings are tight, I may bring a trusted assistant.

The assistant fee is £80 per assistant.

I will organise and manage assistants directly so you only have one point of contact.

## **Travel & Parking**

Travel is complimentary within 30 miles of Brighton (BN41 2DF).

Travel beyond this is charged at £1 per mile (round trip).

Parking costs for trials or on your wedding day must be covered by the client. These will be invoiced in advance where possible.

## **Early Start Times**

Standard start times are from 7:00am onwards.

If an earlier start is required, a £50 surcharge per hour (or part hour) applies.

## **Destination Weddings / Overnight Stays / On-the-Day Touch-Ups**

Destination weddings and overnight stays are welcomed. Costs will include:

- Travel (flights, trains, fuel, etc.)
- Accommodation (if required)
- A £250 per day surcharge to cover extended hours and time away from home.

If you would like me to stay throughout your wedding day for touch-ups or a second look, this is charged at £50 per hour (minimum 3 hours).

## **Skin, Allergies & Conditions**

Please inform me of any allergies, sensitivities, or medical conditions that may affect your hair or makeup.

The Bridalist cannot be held liable for allergic reactions or complications that arise from failure to disclose this information.

I reserve the right to refuse services if contagious conditions (e.g. cold sores, eye infections, head lice) are present.

## **Photos & Social Media**

I love sharing my work. With your permission, photos or videos taken on the day (by me or your photographer) may be used for my portfolio, website, or social media (@the.bridalist).

Please let me know in writing if you'd prefer not to have your images shared.

I kindly ask for the Instagram handles of your photographer, videographer, and other key vendors so I can tag and credit them.

## **Client Responsibilities**

Please provide a suitable space with natural light, a chair, and a table for setup.

Ensure your bridal party are ready (face cleansed, moisturised, hair washed/dried if required) at their scheduled times.

Delays caused by late bridal party members may shorten styling times.

## **Cancellations & Postponements**

Deposits are non-refundable.

If you cancel:

- Within 7 days of the wedding – 75% of the balance is due.
- Between 14–60 days – 50% of the balance is due.
- Over 60 days – no charge (deposit still non-refundable).

Postponements: your deposit/balance can be transferred to a new date if I am available. If not, the deposit remains non-refundable.

## **Artist Cancellation**

In the rare case I am unable to attend due to illness or emergency, I will make every effort to arrange a replacement artist.

If no replacement can be found, all payments (including deposit) will be refunded.

## **Insurance**

I am fully insured with public liability insurance (Simply Business).

I recommend that couples also take out wedding insurance to cover unforeseen circumstances beyond our control.

Thank you for booking The Bridalist! I can't wait to be part of your special day.