

Quick Reference Checklist

Save this to use when taking photos – designed specifically for Pet-Portraiture

✅ **Pre-Photo Setup**

- ☐ Wipe phone camera lens clean
- ☐ Turn OFF filters, beauty mode, auto-enhance, flash
- ☐ Set camera to highest resolution / Pro/RAW mode
- ☐ Turn ON gridlines
- ☐ Disable auto-cropping / auto-framing

✅ **Lighting & Position**

- ☐ Use soft natural light (near window / overcast shade)
- ☐ Light comes from front/side, NOT behind or above
- ☐ Camera is exactly at your pet's eye level
- ☐ Background is simple, plain, and uncluttered

✅ **Framing & Focus**

- ☐ Tap screen to lock focus/exposure on the eyes
- ☐ Take these 3 core shots:
 - Close-up: Head + shoulders
 - Mid-shot: Head + chest + front legs
 - Full-body: Complete pet, no parts cut off
- ☐ Take extra close-ups: Eyes, unique markings, fur texture

✅ **When Shooting**

- ☐ Hold phone steady or use volume button/earphones to snap
- ☐ Take 10+ shots quickly – pets move fast!
- ☐ Keep your pet calm and relaxed

✅ **Final Check Before Sending**

- ☐ Eyes are sharp, no blurriness
- ☐ Colours look true, no strange tints
- ☐ No harsh shadows or bright glares
- ☐ Send original unedited files – do not crop or adjust!