

Bridal

MAKEOVER GUIDE

Plus Terms & Conditions + Contract



Styling Tips

The Outfit

- You may have a style/ cut/ colour in mind before you go shopping but the key to choosing the perfect outfit is to be “open-minded” – usually the one you would never go for is the one you end up buying. Try on outfits you don’t even like, you may be surprised..!
- Pick the right colour for your skintone. You shouldn’t look washed out. Your events / décor is all planned around YOUR outfit not the other way around..
- It is **very important** to consider having a **full back zip** put into your outfit as opposed to a side one. Why..? It makes life so much easier as you should be able to slip in and out of your outfit with ease and instead of it going over your head. This also helps if you need to make a quick trip to the bathroom..!
- When going to dress trials and fittings try **sitting down** and check you are not bulging out from the top/ cleavage. Body tape will not hide these..! Also check the length of your dress

Jewellery

- This could make or break your overall look. Pick something that is suitable. Remember your jewellery should not overpower you or your outfit unless you desire it to.
- Budget seperately for your jewellery..! The quality of your jewellery is really important, do not skimp on it.
- Check and TRY all pieces of jewellery on BEFORE your big day – especially the earrings and nose ring..! These are often a headache..!
- Head/ Hair jewellery is also very important. You need to ensure that the size of the piece is in proportion to the size of your head..
 - For example: people with small foreheads need to stay away from big pieces that sit on the forehead. Or 2 pieces (i.e. tikka and jhoomer)

What to pack in your overnight suitcase

Double check you have everything you need for the walima/ reception if you are having one. Make sure your case and all bits and pieces are packed away at least 2 days before the wedding and not on the day..! Use this to tick things off as you pack..! PLEASE DO NOT PACK AFTER YOUR MAKEOVER – BENDING DOWN ON THE FLOOR IS NOT THE BEST WAY TO LOOK AFTER YOUR HAIR AND MAKEUP.

- Outfit & Undergarments
- All Jewellery pieces
- Shoes
- Perfume
- A good facewash, eye makeup remover and moisturiser
- Comb / Brush
- Toothbrush
- Makeup Wipes
- Pain Killers
- Snacks i.e. crisps, chocs, biccies
- Needle and Thread matching to your outfit
- Phone Charger
- Large Safety Pins
- A robe/ pair of clothes to wear during your makeover on walima/ reception

Choosing a hotel

If you are getting ready at a Hotel there are a few things you should consider.

- Pick a hotel close to your venue. If you're having pictures at there ensure the exterior AND interior surroundings are picturesque.
- Request a room with large windows or lots of daylight.
- Book a suite with a separate living room – Your hubby will thank me for this..! We can get you ready in the living room whilst he can carry on sleeping without being disturbed. It just allows a bit of privacy. I would ask that where this is not possible please can you husband be dressed.
- If you book in advance you should be able to get a very good discounted rate for bigger suites!
- Be aware of hotel/ city centre car parking charges.

What to do on the big day..? Before Shafika arrives

- This is VERY important. Have your hair blow dried the day **BEFORE!!!!** Please do NOT wash your hair prior to my arrival or on the morning of the event, as this will severely alter the quality of the style chosen. Having your hair blow dried will allow for your hairs natural oils to develop, it will be easier to style and reduces static/ flyaway hair.
- Rub your face with ice prior to me arriving. This will help to tighten pores, freshen up your skin and aid a flawless finish. Don't forget to moisturise after this.
- Ensure you have cleansed, toned and moisturized before I arrive. This prepares the skin for a flawless makeup and minimizes breakout.
- Be ready to sit down when I arrive with your outfit ON including any bangles, necklaces etc. The makeover only includes dressing of the head jewellery / veil NOT your outfit/ dress. The client should undertake any dressing required **BEFORE** I arrive.
- Eat/ drink/ use the bathroom/ have a shower before the makeover. Eating during your makeover will not be accepted. It is very hard to concentrate when someone is crunching whilst you are trying to do their makeup.
- Please clear a table/desk/ suitable area for me to put my kit on. There should also be a chair (for your own comfort a dining chair with a high back would be ideal), a medium sized mirror, adequate lighting a nearby plug sock or extension wire.
- Please be punctual – if you are not ready as the per the T&C's you are taking away time from YOUR beautifying process – this is what you are paying big bucks for..!

Wedding Day Checklist

- Outfit / Veil Ironed and laid out.
- Jewellery / Bangles, Rings
- Big Safety Pins
- Large Towel
- Needle and Thread matching to your outfit
- Shoes/ Sandles
- Perfume/ Deodarant
- Any pins/ accessories used during your trial
- You will need to make sure any storage boxes / suit bags are packed away as you will need them when you take everything off.
- Medium Sized Mirror
- Preferably a High Back Chair/ Bar Stool
- Extension cable
- A Table or space to put my kit on
- Phone Charger
- Pain Killers
- Lip Brush & Container
- Beauty Blender
- Concealer
- Pencil Eye Liner (black or white)
- Lipstick similar to what you will be using



During the Wedding

To keep yourself looking fresh throughout your day or if you will be planning pics for after the wedding then you will need a few things to keep you looking amazing...!

- Beauty Blender – make sure its damp not wet.
- Translucent Powder if you have oily skin
- Lip brush & container – I recommend you have a brush with a top
- Eyeliner – its better to have a pencil liner for quick touch ups.
- Lipstick & Gloss matching to what you decide to have.
- A few grip pins/ bun pins
- I will give you some eyelash glue in case those tears don't stop flowing....
- Concealer
- Mini Can/ Travel size hairspray

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MAKEOVER TERMS & CONDITIONS / CONTRACT

No variation or modification of this contract shall be effective unless accepted by both parties in writing.

By paying a deposit you will be entering a legally binding contract which shall be adhered to. The agreement will be between the 'Client' and 'Shafika Sodawala' henceforth referred to as 'Shafika'. Receipt of deposit will constitute as agreement of this document.

DEPOSITS

- A non-refundable and non-transferable deposit fee will be taken to secure your booking for the specified DATE and TIME in a confirmation email sent by Shafika.
- In any case where a deposit has not been taken and Client has been sent a confirmation email the Client is still liable to make FULL payment.

CANCELLATIONS & AMENDMENTS

- The Client has entered into this legally binding agreement and in the event of cancellation for ANY reason will be liable to pay full payment as detailed in confirmation email including loss of deposit at the discretion of Shafika.
- Amendments to agreed dates/ times will only be undertaken at the discretion of Shafika. A date/ time change fee MAY apply. This will range between £50 - £100.
- For group bookings - if the original number of clients requiring hair and /or makeup decreases -this will result in loss of deposit fee and Client will be required to compensate for loss of earnings.

TRAVELLING & PARKING

- A travel fee may be applied to the final amount depending on the location. This will be transparent at the time of booking.
- Shafika reserves the right to increase the travel fee based upon current fuel prices.
- Where parking, valet, permits or tolls fees are incurred, these will be billable to the client.
- It is the clients responsibility to ensure adequate parking is available and there is reasonable access to the location of the makeover. If there is a lack of parking and a penalty fine is incurred this will be billable to the client.

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BOOKING TIMES & DELAYS

- The confirmation email specifies a start and end time as agreed by the client. For ANY reason if the Client is not ready to start at the specified time Shafika may terminate the session at the agreed time - the Client will be liable to pay the full fees.
- For any significant delays I reserve the right to cancel the booking. Any deposits will be forfeited.

PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEOGRAPHY

- Clients will be responsible for informing and ensuring that the photographer/ videographer does not impede the makeover time. You should inform them of the makeover time slot. There should be no stoppages for 'fake' footage until makeover is complete and time permits. They will need to adopt a 'documentary' style for the purpose of 'getting ready' shots/stills. If I am required to stay later than agreed time for this footage I reserve the right to apply a £50 charge.

LIABILITY

- All brushes and makeup products used are kept sanitary and are sanitized between every makeup application. Makeup products used are hypoallergenic. Any skin condition/ allergies should be reported by the client prior to application.
- Client(s) agree to release Shafika and assistants from liability from any skin complications due to allergic/ sensitivity reactions, including any makeup trial sessions.
- Shafika will aim to be 100% punctual, she cannot be held liable for factors outside of her control.

PAYMENT

- Any final balance is due on the day of the event as one payment. There will be no exceptions to this.
- Payment will be taken **before** we commence makeover.
- Failure to provide payment at the correct time will result in termination of the session and any previous deposits will be lost. Client will be liable to compensate the full amount.

USE OF IMAGES

- All photographs, video, audio, and any other digitally stored media that is captured or recorded by Shafika/ Assistant will remain the property of Shafika and will be sorted and used as part of a portfolio including social media.
- Shafika reserves the right to use them in any marketing activities¹⁰ as per the 1988 Copyright, Design and Patent Act UK. 2017/2018 v1.0

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- In the event Client does not wish for images to be used on social media sites, this needs to be **confirmed** in writing at time of booking.

TRIALS

- Trials are held at Shafika's location within Manchester unless otherwise agreed.
- Trials may be cancelled if client is not punctual.
- Trials sessions will not exceed 2 hours
- The time slots for trials are as follows:
 - Wednesday 1:00PM - 3.00PM or 5:00PM - 7:00PM
 - Friday 9:15AM - 3:00PM or 5:00 - 7:00 PM

MAKEOVER LOCATION & REQUIREMENTS

- Location of service for the day-of-event will be at the discretion of the client, but there are certain requirements Shafika Sodawala needs to complete the makeovers.
- A location will be required at time of booking.
- A table/desk is required to put kit on. There should also be a chair, a medium sized mirror and adequate lighting.
- There must be only yourself and Shafika in the room, with minimal disturbance from others.
- The client agrees to ensure hair is blow dried the day/ night before.
- The Client should Eat/ drink/ have a shower before Shafika arrives.
- No use of phones is permitted during the makeup part of the makeover
- The Client agrees to be ready to sit down when Shafika arrives with outfit on including bangles, necklaces etc. The makeover only includes head jewellery/ veil. The client should undertake any dressing required before the start time.