

# Senior Pictures Basics

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Here are a few tips to help you pick your senior pictures. There are so many types of pictures to choose from, here are a few things that you might find helpful.

Picking and  
sending your  
Senior  
Pictures

## Senior Pictures: The Basics

### Where and how do I send my Senior Pictures?

The best way to send pictures is digitally. The pictures are always clear and colors "show" better in the book. You can send pictures a few ways:

#### **Best:**

Send them to [yearbook@moniteau.org](mailto:yearbook@moniteau.org) (in any size)

#### **Better:**

Send them via a flash drive, CD or SD Card with your student. You will get all items back as soon as we can.

#### **Good:**

Send in a physical photo with your student and have them give it to a member of the yearbook staff or take it room 304 (Mr. Morrow's room). Please make sure their name is with the picture and have it in a protective cover (something like a sandwich bag will do). The yearbook staff will scan the picture and put a digital copy in the book. The picture will be returned as quickly as possible since the scanning process takes awhile. Please remember that these pictures may look a little grainy since they are only scanned digital copies.

Kindergarten

### Baby Pictures/Senior Slide Show

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

This year (like many in the past), we are collecting pictures for the senior slide show that we show at graduation. **We are shooting for K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade.** Since digital imaging is fairly new, many of the pictures will be on paper. Follow the same rules as above to get them to us. If you are comfortable with scanning the pictures then send the files via email to [yearbook@moniteau.org](mailto:yearbook@moniteau.org). If not, send the photo in with your student and make sure it has a name on it. We will scan it, get it in the slide show and get it back to your student.

### Black and White Photos

Watch black and white photos. While they are generally striking pictures, black and white photos often don't show up very well in the book. **Keep in mind, the majority of other senior photos are going to be in color and the background colors for these pages are usually black, grey or white.**



**Deadline to get these pictures in is 12/20/2023!**

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Selecting senior pictures can be tough. Sometimes you have too many to pick from, other times you don't have enough. Here are some basic rules to follow:

Watch what orientation you send the pictures in.

You typically have 2 basic options:

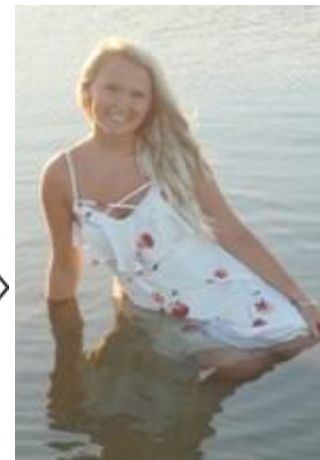
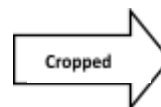
While you might like the picture in the landscape setting, be aware that the **Senior Picture pages are set up in the portrait format.** The picture to the right is an example of a portrait style photo.



Portrait Style Picture



Landscape Style Picture



Landscape Style  
Picture-Cropped

Above (on the left), you'll see a landscape style photo. While it is a really nice picture, only a portion of it will fit in the portrait formatted box we create for the yearbook. So the picture will look like the picture on the right. While it is also nice, it isn't exactly what you had in mind originally.