

goldplaited bridal

FAQs



Do you have a portfolio of your work?

You may view our samples on instagram @goldplaited_ #gpsample

Pricing & Packages

Is there an option for “regular” makeup without airbrush and/or lashes?

We offer a complimentary upgrade to airbrush foundation and false lashes with all bridal packages. Although these upgrades are optional, we highly recommend them for best longevity and outcome of photos.

Do you offer hair-only or makeup-only in-salon packages?

At this time, we do not offer hair-only packages. In order to qualify for a makeup-only package, at least 50% of the bridal party would be required to opt for our full package (\$165). From there, additional makeup-only packages may be added. This package would also be suitable for the MOB or MOG if hairstyling is not needed. See pricing below:

Makeup-Only In-Salon Package: \$100

Full face makeup with complimentary optional upgrades to lashes and airbrush foundation

20% gratuity will be added to this package automatically at check out.

Do you offer a package for flower girls if they only need hair and very light makeup?

Yes! For flower girls ages 11 and under, we can offer and hairstyle (down, half-up, updo) and light makeup for \$75.

20% gratuity will be applied to this package automatically at checkout.

Trial Day

Which days of the week are bridal trials typically held on?

Am I able to book my trial on a Saturday?

The best day of the week to trial is typically Sunday morning. It is possible that we could also arrange a trial on a weekday, but also recommend morning to early afternoon so you have ample time to test the longevity of your hair and makeup.

Can I book my wedding trial for my bridal shower/engagement photos?

This option would involve receiving your exact bridal hair and makeup for your engagement photos/shower. Please note that bridal trials are held a maximum of 6 weeks prior to the wedding date. We aim to trial your look once your vision is crystallized by having your dress and decor nailed down. We also want to ensure that you trial with us in the same time of year as the wedding to test longevity in similar weather conditions!

How should I prep my hair and skin for my trial & wedding day?

We recommend washing and drying your hair the day before your trial. Please arrive with clean & dry hair for styling. Based on the results & feedback of your trial, your stylist may advise a different hair prep for the wedding day. Additionally, please arrive to your trial with no makeup on, as makeup removal can cause redness on the skin prior to application.

Wedding Day

Do goldplaited coordinators handle scheduling of day of hair and makeup services, or do I need to develop a schedule?

Yes! Our GP Bridal Coordination Team will handle all hair and makeup scheduling on the wedding day, and ensure that all services are running on time to have your group ready with time to spare.

Are bridal groups allowed to bring food and beverages into the salon?

Absolutely! We are a BYO establishment and have a staging areas for food and drinks. We can also recommend our favorite nearby catering spots upon request.

Am I able to have my photographer/videographer in the salon while we get ready?

Please notify your bridal coordinator in advance if you are planning to have your photographer present in the salon!

Can we have guests that are not receiving services in the salon?

If you wish to have guests who are not receiving services, please contact your bridal coordinator in advance. The number of non-participating guests is limited based on group size.

Makeup

What type of makeup do you use?

Our GP Cosmetics makeup line is dermatologist-tested and none of our raw materials or finished products are tested on animals. In addition, all of our complexion products are hypoallergenic, fragrance-free, and paraben-free. We also welcome you to bring your own products if you have sensitivities and we can work with them or match them to something similar from our array! In addition to our GP Cosmetics line, we use other professional product lines that provide durable, all-day wear!

What is the benefit of airbrush makeup?

Airbrush foundation is water resistant and applied with a compressor gun for a polished finish. This method provides the longest wear, minimizing the need to touch-up on the wedding day.

What can I do to take care of my skin prior to the big day?

We recommend starting a pre-wedding skincare routine no less than 3 months out, and highly recommend the following:

- Washing your face both AM and PM
- Adding exfoliation and a moisturizer into your routine
- Drinking plenty of water
- Clean eating! Avoid processed foods and dairy, unless its pizza.

If you'd like to receive facials in advance of the wedding, we highly recommend the professionals at *Lapiel Laser Center*. To prevent flare ups and breakouts, avoid receiving facials the week of your wedding.

Are myself & my bridal party able to purchase lipsticks to touch up with throughout the day?

Absolutely! We retail all of our lipsticks and products needed for touch ups including blotting powder, travel hairspray & more.

Hair

Which hair products are used in your salon?

The hairstyling product lines we use for services include Amika, Moroccanoil, and Alterna.

How should everyone's hair be prepared for styling? Is a wash included in the hairstyle?

Please note that all bridal hair styling is performed on clean and dry hair, and we recommend washing your hair the day before for ultimate longevity and hold. Please arrive with hair clean and free of moisture. The less time spent washing and drying hair, the more time your bridal stylists can dedicate to perfecting your style!

Can I bring clip-ins to be added to my hairstyle, and are they included in the bride's package?

Application of clip-ins is included in the Bride's Package, but not in the Bridal Party/Family Members Package. If a member of the bridal party would like clip-ins applied, please notify your bridal coordinator and a \$15 charge will be added to their package.

Do you sell clip-in extensions?

We do not currently retail extensions at goldplaited. An easy way to obtain them is to visit Sally's Beauty Supply. The staff is good about matching your length and color - remember to let them know if you are looking to add length, volume or both.

Should I bring my veil to my bridal trial?

It is not necessary to bring it to your trial unless you'd like to! We do however recommend bringing the veil to your hair service and your stylist will show someone in your bridal party how to attach and remove it.

How far in advance of my wedding should I cut & color my hair?

If desired, we recommend trimming & coloring your hair about 3 weeks prior to the wedding.