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Before you contact us:

Although your artist will be happy to brainstorm with you about your project, it will be your tattoo in the end and you should spend some time thinking about what you want it to look like.

If you can, gather some **reference pictures** that will help your artist understand what you have in mind.

Think about which styles you prefer (traditional, graphic, realist, black and grey, colors, etc...) then look at our portfolios and **choose an artist whose work is a good match for your project.**

Try to decide where you want your tattoo on your body, and how big you want it. Keep in mind that sometimes, making your tattoo a few inches bigger can make it look a lot nicer!

Get in touch!

Sending us an email is the best way for you to share your project with us. It is easier to share information and pictures that way, and it allows us to keep your project on file. But if you have any questions, feel free to give us a call.

We make it a priority to get back to you quickly, but due to high volumes of emails, it might take us a day or two. We thank you for your patience!

If your project is simple and not too big, you can try a walk-in between Wednesday and Saturday. We will do our best to help you, but without an appointment, we can't promise you an artist will have time to tattoo you.

Your consultation:

For most projects, we will ask you to come for a consultation so you can discover the studio, meet your artist, and share your ideas with him. **Consultations are free** and take about 20 minutes.

If you live far away, or if you choose to work with one of our guest artists, it might not be possible to schedule a consultation. We will then **review your project with extra attention**, to make sure the artist has enough information to draw a great design for you.

Deposits:

It is now time to book your tattoo appointment. To do so, you will be asked to leave a deposit equivalent to the hourly rate for that artist **(generally 200\$ to 250\$)**. The deposit will come off the price of your tattoo.

If your tattoo is a smaller piece, the deposit will be our minimum for any tattoo: 150\$

Please note that your artist will spend time working on your design, and book specific time on his schedule for your project. Therefore, <u>deposits are never refundable</u>. So make sure you are happy with your project, and all your questions have been answered!

Rescheduling your tattoo at the last minute means the artist will probably not have any work for half a day up to an entire day. For this reason, we ask you to contact us **at least 5 days** before your appointment if you need to reschedule it. This gives us enough time to find another client for the artist to work with.

If you reschedule past that date, **you will have to put down a new deposit**. So please choose the date of your tattoo carefully, and write it down in your calendar!

Design creation

The artist will then create a design for you, following what has been discussed during the consultation and through email communications.

For intellectual property reasons, **we cannot share our custom designs** via email. But we book an extra hour on every appointment, so you have time to review your design with the artist, and adjust it if needed.

Your tattoo appointment:

Make sure you are on time for your appointment. Being late can impact your experience, and be disruptive for every client coming after you. If you think you might be late, please give us a call.

We want you to have a tattoo you love, so if something about the design causes you concerns, **please speak up** so it can be adjusted! Make sure you check with your artist that you are on the same page regarding color selection as well.

Do not drink alcohol or take drugs prior to your appointment. Make sure you have a good meal a few hours before.

We know tattoos sometimes hurt, but make sure you **sit still**! Moving around can impact the quality of your tattoo. If you want a friend (and only one) to be with you during your tattoo, please ask your artist first.

We will work hard to make sure you have a nice experience and a great tattoo. **Don't forget to tip your artist** to show your appreciation.

Once your tattoo is done:

The healing process is very important to ensure your tattoo looks great! We will provide you with a brochure containing all the information you need about tattoo aftercare. Please read it and make sure you **take good care of your tattoo**.

Tattoos can sometime lose a bit of their ink as they heal. We offer **free touch-up** to fix your tattoo if needed.

If you had a good experience at White Rabbit Tattoo, please share it around you, and **leave a nice review on Yelp**. We will appreciate it very much!

You can also **follow us on Facebook or Instagram**. You will see more pictures of the work we do, and you will be the first one to know when we have new guest artists visiting us. We promise we won't over post and clog up your feed!