



Welcome to Miss Oklahoma 2025!

It is time to start thinking about your photo for Miss Oklahoma. Below are some things to think about as you prepare for your official contestant photo. We are taking the same lead that Miss America has given to the Miss America contestants. Deadline for all photos is Saturday, March 15, 2025.

SHOW US THE REAL YOU

Who you are outside of competition?

The headshot you submit should show you the way your best friend sees you. Let your personality shine.

Show us some charisma.

Be proud of who you are with or without the crown.

DOs + DON'Ts

Here is a list of helpful dos and don'ts to keep in mind as you take your official headshot.

DO

- Clean, solid background
- Ample lighting without shadows
- Have fun, show your personality
- Be Real
- Be Authentic
- All photos should be high resolution – 300dpi

DON'T

- Do not wear an evening gown or cocktail dress. Keep wardrobe simple avoid prints & patterns.
- NO CROWN OR SASH.
- Don't be too posed.
- Don't be too rigid and formal - we don't want your photo to look like a yearbook photo or staged portrait.

PHOTO REQUIREMENTS

Pay close attention and adhere to all photo, flash drive or CD requests. While you have the option of submitting a different image for each required category, please note it is acceptable to use the same image for your Judges, Program, Button & Press/Hotel photo. If using the same image for more than one category you must still submit the correct size on a flash drive or CD as requested below.

JUDGES PHOTO - Vertical Photo ONLY – No Crown.

Miss Contestants:

Submit 8 - 5x7 vertical color glossy prints, no crown (**label EACH photo with contestant's name & title**) and a flash drive or CD with the image (labeled judge's photo, with the contestant's name and title.)

Teen Contestants:

Submit 6 - 5x7 vertical color glossy prints, no crown (**label EACH photo with contestant's name & title**) and a flash drive or CD with the image (labeled judge's photo, with the contestant's name and title)

PROGRAM PHOTO - Vertical Photo ONLY – No Crown.

Miss and Teen Contestant submit:

Two wallet size **prints** - photos **labeled with contestant's name and title.**

Two flash drives or CDs with the 5x7 image, no crown, minimum resolution of 1500 x 2100 pixels, 300 dpi. **Label cd & case as program photo, with contestant's name and title**

BUTTON PHOTO - Vertical Photo ONLY – No Crown.

Miss and Teen Contestant submit:

One flash drive or CD, with **un-cropped** 8x10 photo, no crown, minimum resolution of 2400 x 3000 pixels, 300 dpi. **Label flash drive or CD & case as Button Photo, with contestant's name and title.** Remember when choosing this photo that it will be cropped in close to the face for the button.

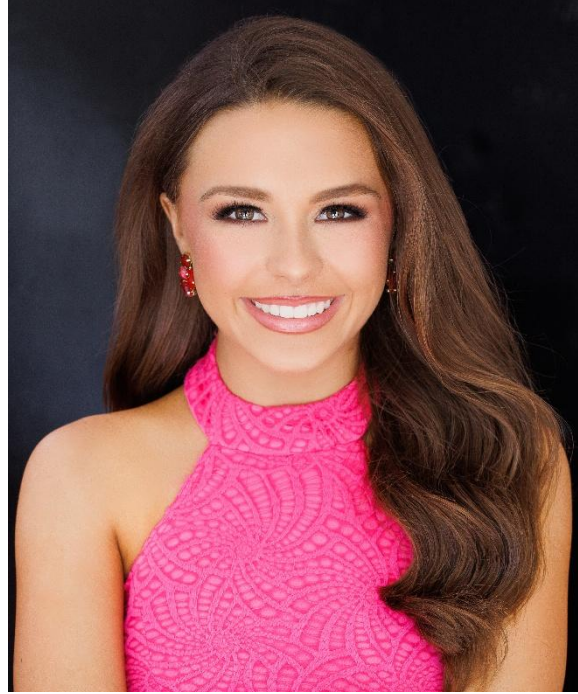
PRESS/HOTEL PHOTO - Vertical Photos ONLY – No Crown.

Miss and Teen Contestants submit:

One flash drive or CD with 8x10 photo, no crown, minimum resolution of 2400 x 3000 pixels, 300 dpi. **Label flash drive or CD & case as Press/Hotel Photo, with contestant's name and title. Also submit a proof photo print (any size).**

MISS & TEEN CONTESTANTS – NO CANDID PHOTOS REQUIRED.

EXAMPLE PHOTOS



These are only examples, feel free to submit what best represents you.
****Remember, Identify all Photos, Flash Drives or CDs with contestant's name/title/type of photo****

PROGRAM BOOK - SALUTE AD PHOTO TIPS

While meeting with your photographer for your official photos be sure you take photos that would be good for Program Book ad pages. Remember the best salute ad starts with great photography.

- Try to have photos in different styles – fashion, formal, dramatic, casual and fun.
- Remember to get all styles of photos from full-length to head & shoulders.
- Use props, family members, friends & unique settings to add some of your personality to photos.
- Remember to ask your photographers for some un-cropped photos to use in your ads too.

Deadline for all official photos is March 15, 2024

(All photos must arrive no later than Saturday, March 15th)

