

# Doodle grooming kit

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Make a clear appointment card, organize reference photos, and keep notes for the next visit.

Fill this PDF in a compatible PDF reader, or print it and write by hand. Save a copy to keep your answers.

**Dog's name**

**Appointment date**

**Groomer and contact**

**Current coat and tangles**

Describe what you have noticed; ask the groomer to assess coat condition.

**Body length preference**

Describe the finish you want. Agree on a practical length with your groomer.

**Face, ears, tail, and paws**

What would you like kept longer or shorter?

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## Handling and comfort notes

Known sensitivities, previous difficulties, and helpful cues.

## Questions for the groomer

Ask about achievable results, brushing technique, and maintenance.

## After the visit

Record the finished cut, products used, agreed home care, and next appointment.

## Reference photos and memories

Keep photos beside this worksheet. Label each photo and write down what you want to remember about it.

## Before you finish

- ☐ Choose a front, side, and face reference photo.
- ☐ Describe what you like in each photo; coat types can change the result.
- ☐ Agree on the plan and price before the appointment.
- ☐ Ask what is realistic if tangles or matting limit the options.
- ☐ Record the cut and maintenance advice before leaving.

A reference photo starts a conversation; it cannot guarantee the same result. Let your groomer assess the coat and agree on a comfortable plan.