

Terms & Conditions

These Terms & Conditions explain how we work and what you can expect when you book me as your celebrant. They're here to protect us both and to make sure everything runs smoothly, with kindness and clarity at every step.

General Terms (for all Ceremony Types)

1.1 Communication

I'll work closely with you (or your chosen representative) to shape a ceremony that feels personal and meaningful. In return, I simply ask that you reply to messages and share any information I need in good time, so I can create something truly special for you.

1.2 If I need to cancel

Life can be unpredictable, but it's extremely rare for me to be unable to lead a ceremony. If illness or an unavoidable situation arises, I will do everything I can to arrange a trusted replacement celebrant and share the ceremony script with them so your day is still beautifully delivered.

1.3 Copyright

Every ceremony I write is bespoke and created with care. All scripts, readings, and written materials remain my intellectual property and can't be reproduced or shared without my permission.

1.4 Confidentiality & Data Protection

Anything you share with me — your stories, personal details, or family information — is treated with complete respect and confidentiality. I follow the General Data Protection Regulations 2018 and only share information with others involved in your ceremony when you've agreed to it.

1.5 Images & Testimonials

I may occasionally ask if you're happy for me to use a photograph from your ceremony or share a testimonial. This is always optional, and you're welcome to decline or opt out at any time.

1.6 Insurance & Professional Standards

I'm fully insured for public and product liability and follow the professional standards set out by The Academy of Professional Celebrants.

2. Service Specific Items

2.1 Weddings & Vow Renewals

Ceremony Planning & Delivery

Your ceremony will be written with care, creativity, and attention to detail. You'll have the chance to review the script and request changes so it feels completely right for you.

Changes to the Booking

If you need to adjust the date or time, I'll always do my best to accommodate this, though I can't guarantee availability.

Cancellation by the couple

Payments already made are non-refundable, as your date is reserved exclusively for you and other work may have been declined. If I've already written your ceremony, the writing fee will still apply.

Legal Marriage

A celebrant-led wedding ceremony is a beautiful, personal celebration — but it isn't legally binding. To be legally married in England, you'll need to complete the statutory marriage ceremony with a registrar, either at a Register Office or at a licensed venue. This legal step can take place before or after your celebrant ceremony.

2.2 Funerals, Memorials & Celebration of Life Ceremonies

Booking Arrangements

Most funeral bookings are made through a Funeral Director, who will confirm the details and how the payment will be managed.

Ceremony Preparation

I'll meet with the family — in person or by phone/video — to learn about your loved one and create a ceremony that honours their life with warmth and respect.

Cancellation

If a funeral is cancelled after I've begun writing the ceremony, a fee may be charged for the work completed.

Script Sharing

A copy of the ceremony script can be provided to the family after the service.

2.3 Naming Ceremonies & Family Milestones

Ceremony Planning

Your ceremony will be created in partnership with you, reflecting your family's values, story, and hopes for the future.

Changes to the Booking

I'll always try to accommodate changes to the date or time, though this may not always be possible.

Cancellation

Payments already made are non-refundable. If the script has been drafted, the writing fee will still apply.

3. How to Cancel

If you need to cancel your booking, please let me know by email as soon as you can.