

GROOM PRICES & CONDITIONS FOR 2024



HOW TO ESTIMATE THE GROOM PRICE

All prices are ESTIMATES until a your dog's groom is completed and the groomer can confirm the cost.

THE FINAL GROOM COST IS DETERMINED BY 4 FACTORS: 1. WEIGHT, 2. COAT CONDITION, 3. COAT LENGTH/STYLE and 4. DOG'S BEHAVIOUR. The groomer will weigh your dog again and then time the groom and use the chart below to arrive at a FINAL PRICE. This will be recorded on your dog's file along with other treatments, behaviour and health alerts. (Puppies gain weight over a year and will be estimated and weighed until they mature)

To estimate your dog's grooming cost, use the Base Rate Chart below and cross-reference your dog's WEIGHT with the SERVICE.

**Please note all grooms include a nail clip.

CONDITIONS THAT VARY THE BASE RATE

GROOM BASE RATE CHART								
SIZE	WEIGHT	BATH & DRY COST \$	BATH & TIDY COST \$	FULL GROOM COST \$	COMB CLIP COST \$	BREED/ASIAN COST \$	DE-SHED COST \$	DE-SHED & TIDY COST \$
XS	3-5KG	28	*70	*91	*106	*125	52	*97
XS/S	6-7KG	35	77	*98	*111	131	60	*104
S	8-9KG	42	84	106	122	137	67	112
S/M	10-13KG	49	91	112	128	143	75	119
M	14-16KG	56	98	121	139	149	82	127
M/L	17-19KG	63	105	127	145	156	89	134
L	20-25KG	74	112	133	157	162	97	142
L/XL	26-30KG	80	119	139	163	168	104	149
XL	31-36KG	88	126	145	175	174	112	156

- LATE ARRIVAL without notice will be charged for delay @ groom base rate.
- IF YOUR DOG POOPS or IS INCONTINENT a charge of \$5.00 will be added to groom price to cover clean up
- DE-SHEDDING if it requires extra resources and time.
- MATTING & KNOTS are usually shaved with an extremely short blade which requires skill and concentration and therefore timed before bath and added to groom cost (Owners required to sign a release form).
- DIFFICULT TO MANAGE DOG is timed. (SLING + \$5.00)
- DIRTY or DENSE COATS may require two washes and/or a de-shed before clipping.
- FLEAS can damage our reputation and waste our time Customer must reschedule. If in middle of groom minimum additional charge of \$55.00.

EXPLANATION OF GROOM CHARGES

- BREED & ASIAN FUSION CLIPS require an advanced skill set.
- BRUSH-DRYING requires hand brushing, product and stand dryer to prepare the coat for a long clip.
- DE-SHEDDING costs more because it is hard on the groomers and the salon plant equipment.

* NB: If your dog is XS or XS/S choose S as they are often fiddley grooms requiring more scissoring.

GROOMING SERVICES

NAIL TRIM (easy)...\$13.00 • **NAIL TRIM** (difficult)\$16.50 to \$18.00 • **NAIL TRIM & FILE**\$18.00 to \$25.00
CANINE CLEAN - Teeth are brushed with doggy toothpaste and mouth sprayed with an oral spray to freshen breath. Groomer will be able to see the state of your dog's teeth and refer you to a vet if required.....\$18.00

GLAND CHECK & EXPRESS - A gentle check to see if a dog's gland needs releasing. This should be a natural process but some dogs' glands get blocked which can be caused by an underlying health issue in which case we refer them to their veterinarian.....\$16.50 with groom /\$18.00 as a walk in.

THE FOLLOWING GROOMING SERVICES INCLUDE A NAIL TRIM:

BATH & DRY - Your dog is bathed and massaged to achieve the maximum benefit of the quality shampoo and moisturising conditioner.

BATH & TIDY - Your dog is bathed and massaged to achieve maximum benefit of the quality shampoo and moisturising conditioner. Their coat is then blow dried, nails are trimmed and the head, ears, feet and tail are shaped using scissors and their tummy and legs trimmed to a neat finish.

FULL GROOM - Your dog is first bathed and massaged to achieve maximum benefit of the quality shampoo and moisturising conditioner. Then their coat is then blow dried and nails trimmed. The hygiene areas and paw pads are shaved, followed by clipping off the coat to the desired (or obtainable length). Finally the head, ears, feet and tail are shaped using scissors.

COMB CLIP - Everything is same as a full groom however all knots and hair clumps are removed during the blow and brush out. Essential for clipping of long-haired dogs this enables long comb attachments to be used.

BREED OR ASIAN FUSION STYLE - These grooms require an advanced skill set, honed by years of practice and understanding of the dog's conformation. Your dog is prepared to ensure the coat is knot-free so that the fur and features can be sculptured into the required shape, specific to the breed or Asian Fusion style.

DE-SHED - Your dog is bathed using specifically formulated shampoo and conditioner then dried using a special technique that releases and removes the old hair, especially undercoat no longer required in cold months. The process stimulates the blood flow of the skin, removes dirty sebum and re-nourishes and hydrates the hair follicle again. This technique allows the coat to breathe and adjust to temperature change. Your dog will feel light and have a lustrous finish after being brushed with a coat gloss. Also includes a nail trim and may be tidied as desired.

DE-SHED & TIDY - In addition to the de-shed your groomer will clip the nails and shave the hygiene areas and between the paw pads. The eyes and muzzle are scissored when necessary (depending on the breed) as well as the ears and feet. Then the tail, belly and feathers are trimmed to neaten off the edges.

SPA TREATMENTS (include a bath, blow out and nail trim)

AROMA RELAX & REJUVENATION BATH - (Small dogs only) Using organic bath salts containing flower essences, this sensual experience will help your dog relax. Excellent for nervous puppies and stressed dogs or just to say I love you!\$60.00

POOCH PAMPER (Short Coat only) - Spoil your dog with a 15-minute luxurious massage soaked in Argan Oil and seaweed minerals from Morocco. Guaranteed to hydrate the skin and coat on a molecular level and soften muscles to improve

POOCH PAMPER (CONT.)

blood flow. Followed by a bath in Yves St Bernard shampoo and conditioner, blow dried and brushed to reveal your dog's new shiny, healthy coat. FROM\$85.00

REMEDY & LUXURY SHAMPOO/CONDITIONERS (Add \$18 to the groom price \$22 for L plus dogs)

CHARCOAL DETOX - This Japanese product combines charcoal and the microbial action of bamboo extract. These microbes discharge negative ions & absorb impurities from the skin while supplying mineral nourishment. Used to neutralise dirty, greasy, stinky coats.

MUD SOOTH - Excellent for dry or allergic skin, it soothes while the minerals draw out the impurities in the skin and coat, leaving it soft and silky, without causing any reaction.

DERMACARE™ - This Shampoo/conditioner combination is formulated for dogs who are highly allergic or those who bath frequently. Moisturising and cleaning without drying the coat, collagen protein assists the repair of hair damaged by self-trauma.

TOPIZOL™ - Is a medicated shampoo developed to treat various skin infections caused by yeast, fungi and bacteria. It removes scale, potential allergens and excess grease whilst leaving a clean, lustrous and well-conditioned coat.

* For more severe skin and coat conditions, see our skin & coat therapy packages.

FRUIT OF THE GROOMER™ SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER - Extracted from real fruit these shampoos and Pec™ conditioners leave the dog's coat with a pleasant smell that is silky and regenerated. Choose from: • Black Cherry for a short coats • Pink Grate Fruit for a medium length coat • Passion Fruit for long coats.

PACKAGES

PUPPY INTRODUCTION TO GROOMING PACKAGE - Take all the guess work out of when and how to groom your new puppy. This package was developed by the salon owner who grooms puppies all the time and knows the best results come from early introduction to a salon - its' smells and sounds and being bathed and dried, held in different positions to trim nails, faces and all the things they need done to them. Your dog is cuddled and coaxed with positive reinforcement to accept new things by one groomer for the entire introduction sessions. They will be given opportunities to socialise with other dogs and the benefits to you and your pup are many because learning to accept grooming as a routine part of their life will make your dog more resilient. Package includes: Week 1 - Bath & Dry; Week 3 - Bath & Tidy; Week 6 - Bath & Full Tidy; Week 9 - Full Groom; Week 13 - Full Groom. Package Requires a 50% deposit. (Also includes 40% discount off any retail stock & grooming tools)

SKIN & COAT THERAPY PACKAGE - This package is for dogs that present with crusts, sores, hair loss, redness, irritation, infection (bacterial or fungal), itching, lumps or bumps, hot spots and/or odour. Through research it has been discovered that steroids and antibiotics and the typical therapies for skin don't always work to treat skin and coat issues and that many can be managed in the grooming salon with the correct processes and products. Which is what we offer you in this package. (To treat the problem correctly we recommended a course of 6 treatments over 6 weeks).

The health and well-being of your dog is very important to us and we would love to tell you more about the features and benefits of our services.