



Cartoon Commissions Guide

The prices on the following page are a guide and can vary depending on the commission required and the work involved. Cartoons are painted in watercolour, and outlined in waterproof black ink.

To help me to give you a quotation, please provide as much information as possible, ideally:

- An idea of the paper size, this can be adjusted to better suit the composition if required.
- Number of main cartoon characters.
- Date required by (if applicable, and subject to waiting list space)
- A little bit about each of the characters to be included. These can be things they enjoy doing, favourite toys, food, character traits that I can depict in cartoon form.
- Photos of the subjects, especially showing all markings wherever possible.

The paper sizes and guides prices are shown below. I can adjust the size ratio of paper to better fit compositions. I will also confirm the price for the cartoon based on main number of characters and the kind of composition.

Guide prices based on number of main cartoon characters			
Paper Size	Up to 2 characters	Up to 5 characters	Up to 10 characters
A5 (148 x 210mm / 5.8 x 8.3")	£40	£60	£100
A4 (210 x 297mm / 8.3 x 11.7")	£55	£80	£125
A3 (297 x 420 mm / 11.7 x 16.5")	£75	£105	£150

The Process

A pencil sketch idea will be created of your cartoon from the information you have provided. I will email you a copy of this and any adjustments can be made to it until it is exactly how you would like: this is important, as once I draw the ink outlines and paint I will not be able to change it. When you have approved the sketch idea, I will paint it up and will send a final image for approval. Once you have given final approval, the balance is due for payment, and I will include the postage cost with this amount.

Important Information and Terms

Once you are happy with your quotation, a 50% deposit is required to secure your booking and to allow me to start the work - bookings are not held until this has been paid. The balance will be due upon final approval of the artwork.

The cost for postage and packing is £7.50 (this cost is not included in the price guides below). Artwork is sent by Royal Mail's Special Delivery next-day, fully insured service (guaranteed to arrive by 1pm next-day Mon-Fri), in a board-back envelope or similar and will need to be signed for. I will provide you with tracking information which you can then view on Royal Mail's website.

Commissions are supplied unmounted and unframed.

Cancelling a commission: If cancelling before I have started the work, please could you let me know as soon as possible and your deposit will be refunded. If you cancel after I have started work, your deposit will not be refunded.

I will contact you before starting your artwork to make sure that you are happy for me to begin at that time.

If you have a portrait booked and can no longer go ahead with it for any reason, please let me know as soon as possible. I have to plan my work, and could end up turning people away that I might otherwise be able to fit in.

Commissioned art work is custom-made, therefore, refunds cannot be given once you have given final approval.

Email portraitspets@aol.com for a no-obligation quotation