Basic Photo Editing:
- Convert your image to a smart object.
- Use Filter > camera raw filter, then click the Auto button
- Duplicate the layer after you adjust it.
- Rasterize the duplicate layer.
- Use spot healing brush to fix blemishes.
- Smooth the skin if you like (see video)
- Create a curves adjustment layer and lighten the layer by plotting a point and pushing it up.
- Invert the layer mask on the adjustment layer.
- Paint over eyes and teeth to reveal the lightened adjustment, adjust the opacity if needed.
- Click on the rasterized layer.
- Go to Filter > lens correction/custom and add a vignette.
- Export as a .jpg (always save the .psd as well).

High Key Photo Editing:
- Convert your image to a smart object.
- Use Filter > camera raw filter, then click the Auto button
- Next adjust the exposure to add light and reduce contrast (less black, more white, lower contrast, lighten shadows)
- Duplicate the layer after you adjust it.
- Rasterize the duplicate layer.
- Use spot healing brush to fix blemishes.
- Smooth the skin if you like (see video)
- Create a curves adjustment layer and lighten the layer by plotting a point and pushing it up.
- Invert the layer mask on the adjustment layer.
- Paint over eyes and teeth to reveal the lightened adjustment, adjust the opacity if needed.
- Click on the rasterized layer.
- Go to Filter > lens correction/custom and add a white vignette or no vignette.
- Export as a .jpg (always save the .psd as well).

Low Key Photo Editing:
- Convert your image to a smart object.
- Use Filter > camera raw filter, then click the Auto button

- Next adjust the exposure to add depth and contrast (more black, less white, more contrast, darken or lighten shadows)
- Duplicate the layer after you adjust it.
- Rasterize the duplicate layer.
- Use spot healing brush to fix blemishes.
- Smooth the skin if you like (see video)
- Create a curves adjustment layer and lighten the layer by plotting a point and pushing it up.
- Invert the layer mask on the adjustment layer.
- Paint over eyes and teeth to reveal the lightened adjustment, adjust the opacity if needed.
- Click on the rasterized layer.
- Go to Filter > lens correction/custom and add a vignette or not if it doesn't add to the image.
- Export as a .jpg (always save the .psd as well).