

Terms of Service for Ducky Deathly's Commissions

By commissioning me, you are agreeing to these terms of service.

Terms are subject to change at any time without immediate notice.

(If you are looking for my TOS in regards to adoptables, [check out this document!](#))

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Payment

- **PayPal payment preferred!** I prefer doing payments using **invoices** rather than having the funds sent with the "Send to friends & family/Pay for goods or services" option. If we are friends and you would prefer to pay me with another method (Venmo, Facebook Messenger, etc.) we can discuss. I do not accept cryptocurrency or e-checks as payment. United States Dollars (U.S.D) only! (Paypal automatically converts currency.)
 - **Digital Art:** Full upfront payment is **preferred**. 50% pay upfront + 50% upon completion is also **acceptable**. Due to the increase in scams, I cannot do any sort of work until **full/half payment is received first**. If you are commissioning me for an uncolored sketch, upfront payment is **required**.
 - **Traditional Art:** Full upfront payment **preferred**. 50% pay upfront + 50% upon completion is **acceptable**.
- **Absolutely no refunds!** Please be sure you are able to pay for your commission(s) without the possible need for a refund.
- Pieces requiring detailed backgrounds/armor/mecha/machines, a specific degree of blood/gore, or any piece that will overall include more detail/complexity than my usual work will **cost extra (\$15-25+)**
- **Tips are not necessary, but highly appreciated and encouraged if possible!**

Communication

- You may email me at: ducky@duckydeathly.com This is my preferred method of communication. You may also contact me (privately) via [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), or [deviantART](#) to discuss your commission. Soon, I will be offering commissions on Vgen as well. Discord is an option as well. Just ask and we can exchange usernames.
- Commissions may take up to a **a couple of weeks to a month** to complete, though on occasion they may be completed sooner or later. If I anticipate that your commission will take longer to complete (going out of town, personal emergency, etc.) I will let you know as soon as possible.

- You may request in-progress shots of your commission (*unless it's a sketch commission*).
- I am willing to make *minor* changes to your piece if any mistakes are made on my part. However, I **cannot** completely redraw a piece. Please be reasonable with the number of corrections that may be asked for. If you require a **major modifications** to your piece or decide on **alternate versions**, it will cost extra.
- You may have a **PNG and/or JPEG** file of your piece. If you require a **PSD** or **CLIP** file of your piece, please let me know beforehand.
- Please save your file as soon as you receive it. I can not guarantee that I will always have the file on hand.

Usage of Work

- You may repost my artwork **WITH** credit (preferably while linking any of my social media accounts.) This includes using my artwork as an icon/banner.
- You **do not** own the rights to the artwork you commissioned **UNLESS** we have discussed it beforehand. **Do not** claim my artwork as yours.
- Please feel free to use your commissioned piece for any *personal use* (*this includes giving my art as a gift.*) If you would like to use your commissioned piece for *commercial use*, please let me know beforehand so we can discuss the details.
- You are **NOT** allowed to sell your commissioned piece as an NFT or use it for any AI purposes. If I find out you have commissioned me and are selling it as an NFT or putting it through AI, *I will not do business with you again.*
- If you would like your commission to be uploaded, feel free to let me know, or I will ask beforehand if I have an interest in uploading it. Please also let me know if you **do not** want your piece to be uploaded publicly.

What I Will/Will Not Draw

- I **have the right** to decline a drawing if I do not feel comfortable with doing it.
- I **have the right** to decline a drawing if I feel that I do not possess the skills/experience to work on what you ask for (ex: subjects I have never drawn before.)
- If what you are asking for isn't listed below and you aren't sure if your commission idea is something I am okay with taking on, please feel free to ask.
- I **am open to commissions that involve mimicking art styles**. I will be sure to determine if I am capable of mimicking the art style in question before accepting. This includes certain cartoons and anime. If you wish for me to mimic the art style of another small/indie artist, **please get permission from the artist beforehand to avoid any issues or confusion.**

I Will Draw:

- Humans/Humanoids
- Animals
- OCs, Fan Characters, Gijinkas, Copyrighted characters
- Furies/Kemono/Anthros/Feral
- **Light** NSFW (Pin-Up/Semi-Nudity/Artistic Nudity) (Ask for details. **Character(s) MUST be 18+ years**)
- Light blood/gore
- Creatures/animals
- Simple scenic backgrounds (ask for details)
- Simple mecha/armor (ask for details)
- Monsters/fantasy creatures (slime, demons, cyclops, ghosts, naga, etc)
- Art style mimicking

I Will NOT Draw:

- Very muscular/buff people
- **Explicit** NSFW (anything involving sexually explicit acts or *major* suggestive undertones. There is an exception for those who are associated with my business partner, Shades, at [Shady Corner](#). Ask for details. This rule may be changed in the future.)
- Fetish art even if there is no nudity/sexually explicit content involved
- Overly complicated backgrounds/mecha/armor (ask for details)
- Excessive gore
- Realism
- Anything involving hate speech or hate toward a group of people (racism, transphobia, homophobia, anti-Semitism, etc.)
- Any art to sell as an NFT or use it for AI purposes

Express (Same Day) Commission Delivery

While I generally finish commission pieces in a timely manner, I am well aware that some clients would like their pieces finished by the end of the day. *If you would like your piece to be finished within the day you order it, let me know.* I will determine if I can offer you the option and can guarantee that I can finish your piece. **It will cost an additional \$20 to the total price of your piece.**

Slot System (Inactive)

The slot system is currently not active. Please disregard this section at this time.
~~This means that you must check in with me to reserve a slot for your commission.~~
~~I am currently taking on 8 slots at a time.~~

- ~~• The slot system is used for me to take on a doable amount of general commissions at a time. (ex: a simple one time commission piece.) Long term projects (such as game art, book illustrations, basically anything involving many images) are not counted in the slot system. This means that regardless of how many slots are filled, you are free to inquire about long term projects.~~
- ~~• Slots are on a first come, first served basis, but this does not necessarily mean that I will be doing the slots in the order in which they are reserved.~~
- ~~• If all slots are filled by the time you get in touch with me, you must wait until all the current slots in my queue are completed.~~
- ~~• If you contact me while all slots are reserved, I will be sure to guarantee you a slot when they are freed up once more.~~
- ~~• I am also willing to reserve you a slot once another slot is freed, but once again, I would much rather finish the current workload I have queued at that very moment before adding any more.~~
- ~~• You may reserve a single piece per slot.~~
- ~~• You may only reserve 2 slots at a time.~~

You are paying for a service. I will not provide this service for you again for free, even if you are not 100% satisfied. By paying for my services, you are putting trust in me, my art, and what we have discussed. Please know that I will put as much effort as possible into your commission. Please provide me with enough references and specifications so that I can complete your piece to the best of my ability. However, I politely ask that in return, you give me at least some artistic freedom/liberty. Thank you for taking the time to read this.
Your business is greatly appreciated!