

# A Guide to Taking a Good Selfie

### **Stand in Front of a Dark Background**

You can stand in front of a dark or patterned background, such as a wooden door. It's not a passport photo so don't worry about a white, plain background!

# **Use Natural Lighting**

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Natural lighting is best. Try to avoid bright sunlight or glare.

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# Avoid Bright Lights from Above or Behind You

Lighting needs to be consistent and you should avoid a 'spotlight' effect.

## Take the Selfie 'Straight on'

Make sure you are facing the camera



and not turned to the side.



### Take the Selfie at Eye Level

Make sure your whole face is in the image with a good 'border' around you. Don't be too close or too far away.

## Remove Anything that Covers Your Face

Remove peak caps or hats or anything that obscures your face.

