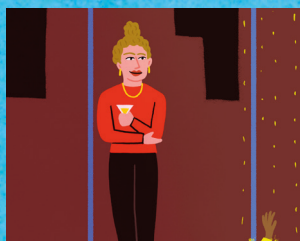




1 Use angles for energy

Looking at a crowd from different perspectives can create powerful imagery. Try kneeling down to look up or going high to show scale.



2 Mix groups and portraits

Parties are all about different types of interaction and behaviour. Mix up single portraits and group shots for a better overview of the event.



3 Look for the action

Whether it's the dancefloor or the kitchen at a house party, follow the crowd to capture party vibes.

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4 Take candid shots

Take pictures of people behaving naturally for a documentary-style record of the event. Let people know beforehand that you will be taking pictures throughout the party.



5 Set your camera for low light

Use the lowest aperture number you have available in low light and set a reasonably high ISO. Choosing Auto Mode can set the exposure for you.



6 Try lengthening shutter speed

Adding motion blur can bring a feeling of energy. Try Shutter Priority mode and experiment with different speeds.

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Beginner's choice
NIKKOR Z 40mm
f/2



Pro choice
NIKKOR Z 28-75mm
f/2.8



DX choice
NIKKOR Z DX 16-50mm
f/3.5-6.3 VR

