

JensGemz Earring Fittings Guide

When it comes to choosing the perfect pair of earrings, most people focus on the design, material, or colour. But one of the most important aspects of comfort and practicality is often overlooked: the earring fitting.

At JensGemz, all of our earrings are made to order and available with your choice of **Shepherd's Hooks**, **Lever-Backs**, or **Studs**. Here's a quick guide to help you choose the right option for your needs:

1. Shepherd's Hooks

Best for: Everyday wear, boho or elegant styles.

These are the classic hook-style fittings that simply thread through your ear and hang freely. They're easy to insert and remove, and they're ideal if you like a lightweight, dangling style.

Pros:

- Lightweight and comfortable
- Simple and quick to wear
- Ideal for drop or dangle earrings

Considerations:

- Can slip out more easily than other types if you're active (silicone stoppers help)

2. Lever-Backs

Best for: Security and all-day wear.

Lever-backs feature a hinged closure that clicks into place, forming a secure loop. They're a great choice if you're always on the go or don't want to worry about earrings falling out.

Pros:

- Very secure
- Comfortable for long wear
- Classic look that suits both casual and formal styles

Considerations:

- Slightly heavier than hooks
- Can take a little more effort to fasten

3. Studs

Best for: Minimalist style and close-to-ear designs.

Studs sit flush against the ear and are secured at the back with a butterfly or screw-on backing. They're ideal if you prefer a clean, subtle look or have multiple ear piercings.

Pros:

- Discreet and classic
- Won't catch on clothing or hair
- Great for work or everyday wear

Considerations:

- Less suitable for long, hanging designs

How to Choose

Think about your lifestyle, hair length, activity level, and comfort preferences. For example: Do you wear headphones or hats a lot? Studs might be your best bet. Worried about losing earrings? Lever-backs offer peace of mind. Love a dangly, elegant look? Shepherd's hooks are a timeless choice.

All JensGemz Earrings are Made to Order

Every pair of earrings from JensGemz is handmade and customisable. You can choose your preferred fitting on each listing. We also offer a 5–7 working day turnaround as each pair is crafted with care just for you.

Have a question or need help choosing? Get in touch with us at jen@jensgemz.uk and we'll be happy to advise.