



Wedding Checklist

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by WEDDINGS

12-18 MONTHS BEFORE:

- Set your wedding budget.
- Create a guest list.
- Choose a wedding date and venue.
- Hire a wedding planner (if needed).
- Book a photographer/videographer.
- Choose a theme and color scheme.
- Start researching wedding dresses/suits.

9-12 MONTHS BEFORE:

- Send "Save the Date" cards.
- Book catering service.
- Book entertainment (band/DJ).
- Choose bridesmaids and groomsmen.
- Plan the honeymoon.
- Start researching wedding dresses/suits.

6-9 MONTHS BEFORE:

- Send formal invitations.
- Order wedding cake.
- Buy wedding rings.
- Schedule hair and makeup trials.
- Arrange transportation (limousine, etc.).

3-6 MONTHS BEFORE:

- Finalize flower arrangements.
- Arrange rehearsal dinner.
- Plan seating arrangement.
- Shop for bridal party gifts.
- Confirm ceremony details with the officiant.

1-3 MONTHS BEFORE:

- Final dress/suit fitting.
- Apply for marriage license.
- Finalize playlist with the DJ/band.
- Confirm all vendor bookings.
- Write vows (if personal).
- Prepare emergency kit (makeup, safety pins, etc.).

1 WEEK BEFORE:

- Confirm all RSVPs.
- Pack for honeymoon.
- Rehearse ceremony.
- Give the final headcount to the caterer.
- Get plenty of rest and stay relaxed!