

WEDDING

Checklist

| Up to 12 months before | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Set a date |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Get inspiration and ideas (see Pinterest and inspiration board) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Decide on a wedding style |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Set priorities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Set budget |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Choose wedding party |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find a venue for ceremony and reception |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find a wedding planner |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find a photographer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find a caterer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find a florist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find a musician |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find a wedding dress |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Order save the dates |
| 10 – 11 months before | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Start looking for dresses and accessories for bride and bridal party |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reserve a venue for ceremony and reception |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book a photographer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book a DJ/band |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book a florist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book a wedding planner |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book a caterer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Decide on décor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Start making a guest list |

| 9 - 10 months before | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Plan a honeymoon |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Start looking for invitations and stationery (wedding invitations, menu cards, thank you notes) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Start looking for favors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Choose dresses and accessories for bride and bridal party |
| 7 - 8 months before | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Find two hotels for guests coming from out of town |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Create gift registries |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Start deciding on hairstyle and makeup style |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book an officiant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reserve tables, chairs, linens, and anything else the caterer is not taking care of |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reserve décor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Choose cake |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Decide on menu |
| 6 - 7 months before | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Meet with officiant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book cake |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Schedule tastings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Decide on outfits for groomsmen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book a florist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book a musician |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Finalize a guest list |

4 – 5 months before

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Choose flowers for reception, party, attendants, etc. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Order wedding cake | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Schedule dress fittings | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book honeymoon flights and hotels | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book room for wedding night | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Finalize a rehearsal dinner guest list | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Purchase or rent toasting flutes and serving pieces | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Purchase or make a guest book | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Order a flower basket | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Buy a ring bearer pillow | |

3 – 4 months before

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Prepare playlists for DJ/band | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book rehearsal dinner venue | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Finalize reception menu | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Order menu cards | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Order wedding favors | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Order rehearsal dinner invitations | |

3 months before

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Finalize honeymoon plans | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Ensure passport is valid if honeymoon is abroad | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Plan ceremony | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Plan reception seating | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Experiments with hair to decide on hairstyle | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Create RSVP list | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book spa and beauty treatments for you and your bridal party for week before | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Book mani/pedi/massage for day before | |

2 months before

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Send wedding invitations | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Update RSVP list | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Begin writing wedding vows | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Meet with officiant to plan the ceremony | |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Apply for marriage license | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Finalize fittings for wedding dress and wedding party | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Finalize seating | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Finalize playlists with DJ/band | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Create a wedding day schedule and send to wedding party, vendors and officiant | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Get "Something Old, New, Borrowed, Blue" | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Order transportation for wedding day | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Pick up wedding rings | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Buy shoes and undergarments | |
| 1 month before | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Give a copy of your honeymoon itinerary to someone at home | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Call vendors to confirm date, time and location | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Confirm honeymoon reservations | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Pick up marriage license | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Update registries | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Delegate someone to return all rentals | |
| 2 weeks before | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Pack for honeymoon | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Final dress fitting | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Follow up with guests who have not RSVP'd | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Give caterer the final count | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Prepare wedding day emergency kit | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Break in wedding shoes | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Send playlists to DJ/band | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Prepare payments for vendors | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Prepare cash tips for service providers | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Meet with photographer to discuss requests | |
| 1 week before | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Get haircut and color | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Prepare all wedding clothes | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Get spa and beauty treatments for you and your bridal party | |

| The day before | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Get a mani/pedi/massage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Attend wedding rehearsal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Wedding day |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Eat a good breakfast |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Give wedding rings to the best man |
| After the wedding | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Return all rentals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Get wedding dress cleaned |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Send out thank you cards |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Get photos and video |

Notes: