

Use this planner as a general guideline/checklist for your Wedding.

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## 12 months before

- B G**
- Announce your engagement.
  - Arrange for parents to get together.
  - Decide on a date.
  - Set your budget.
  - Hire a wedding planner.
  - Book ceremony site and officiant.
  - Compile guest list to get rough head count.
  - Visit reception sites and reserve one.
  - Select a wedding theme or style.

## 6-9 months before

- Choose your attendants.
- Shop for your gown.
- Choose bridal attendants' attire.
- Enroll in a bridal gift registry.
- Select a caterer.
- Book photographer and/or videographer.
- Hire a florist.
- Book the musicians and/or DJ.

## 4-6 months before

- Order wedding stationery, including invitations, envelopes, place cards, escort cards, thank-yous, etc.
- Order the wedding gown.
- Shop for the cake.
- Arrange wedding day transportation.
- Book beauty pros for the wedding.
- Reserve accommodations for out-of-town guests.
- Finalize the guest list.
- Start scouting honeymoon spots.

## 2-4 months before

- Obtain marriage license, schedule blood tests if necessary.
- Order groom and groomsmen's attire.
- Make honeymoon reservations. Compile all the necessary travel documents.
- Discuss details of the menu with caterer.
- Order the wedding cake and related accessories.
- Purchase your wedding bands.
- Choose ceremony and reception music.
- Reserve rental equipment, if necessary.
- Buy thank-you gifts for the attendants.
- Select favors and welcome baskets and purchase all related supplies.
- Arrange the rehearsal time and rehearsal dinner.
- Book a room for your wedding night.



## 4-8 weeks before

- B G**
- Mail out the invitations eight weeks ahead of the date.
  - Do a hair and makeup run-through.
  - Write thank-you notes as gifts arrive.
  - Decide on insurance policy changes needed for after the wedding.

## 2-3 weeks before

- Finalize the seating plan for the reception.
- Confirm details with the photographer, florist, etc.
- Have your final dress fitting.
- Write your rehearsal dinner toast.

## 1 week before

- Organize your fees and payments and place in individually marked envelopes.
- Give the caterer a final head count.
- Appoint a reliable friend to transport the cake serving set, toasting glasses and other items to and from the wedding site.
- Get last-minute beauty treatments (facial, waxing, brow-shaping, etc.).
- Pack for the honeymoon. (Ask someone to bring your luggage to the reception if you plan to leave from there.)

