

WEDDING PLANNING Checklist

12 Months

- Start a Pinterest inspiration board
- Choose bridal party
- Begin a draft of your guest list
- Reserve a date and book the venues
- Decide on a budget
- Book officiant or church
- Book wedding dress appointments
- Have an engagement party
- Decide on wedding insurance

11 Months

- Research vendors
- Book wedding planner
- Start shopping for the dress
- Look at honeymoon options
- Engagement photos
- Start wedding registry
- Create wedding website

9 Months

- Book all vendors
- Order wedding dress + schedule fittings
- Cake tasting + order
- Finalize guest list + gather mailing addresses
- Send Save The Dates
- Order wedding stationary
- Find hair and make up artists
- Shop for bridesmaid + flower girl dresses
- Decide on groom + groomsmen attire
- Block hotel rooms

6 Months

- Purchase wedding bands
- Confirm catering
- Book honeymoon
- Consider transportation services, if necessary
- Research + reserve items you may need to rent

4 Months

- Address invitations
- Select rehearsal dinner location
- Purchase accessories for your dress fitting

2 Months

- Mail invitations
- Send rehearsal dinner invitations
- Apply for marriage license
- Touch base with vendors
- Purchase wedding favors
- Select music
- Finalize ceremony style + any readings or traditions
- Finalize wedding day timeline
- Finalize ceremony order

6 Weeks

- Chase down last RSVPs
- Start seating chart
- Have a bridal shower
- Have bachelorette/bachelor party

1 Month

- Finalize seating chart
- Confirm final guest list with the venue and caterer
- Write vows + personalized letters
- Pick up wedding dress
- Pick up wedding bands

1 Week

- Pack for honeymoon
- Confirm arrival times
- Review music with DJ/band
- Go through roles with everyone
- Wedding day emergency kit
- Organize tips and make final payments to vendors

2 Days Before

- Enjoy a mani-pedi + spray tan
- Pack for wedding day
- Arrange for reliable relative to gather wedding gifts after reception

THE Day Before

- Rehearsal dinner
- Give bridal party gifts
- Get plenty of rest!

THE Wedding Day

- Eat a light breakfast + drink lots of water
- Get hair + makeup done (wear button down shirt)
- Get married!

AFTER The Wedding

- HONEYMOON
- Write and send out thank you cards
- Dry clean/preserve wedding dress
- Legally change name on all documents + accounts
- Enjoy the married life!

