**WEDDING CHECKLIST**

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| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Up to 12 months before** | | |  | Set a date | |  | Find a wedding planner | |  | Get inspiration and ideas | |  | Find a photographer | |  | Decide on a wedding style | |  | Find a caterer | |  | Set priorities | |  | Find a florist | |  | Set budget | |  | Find a musician | |  | Choose wedding party | |  | Find a wedding dress | |  | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **10 – 11 months before** | | |  | Start looking for dresses and accessories for bride and bridal party | |  | Book a wedding planner | |  | Reserve a venue for ceremony and reception | |  | Book a caterer | |  | Book a photographer | |  | Decide on décor | |  | Book a DJ/band | |  | Start making a guest list | |  | Book a florist | |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **7 – 8 months before** | | |  | Find two hotels for guests coming from out of town | |  | Reserve tables, chairs, linens, | |  | Create gift registries | |  | Reserve décor | |  | Start deciding on hairstyle and makeup style | |  | Choose cake | |  | Book an officiant | |  | Decide on menu | |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **9 - 10 months before** | | |  | Plan a honeymoon | |  | Start looking for favors | |  | Start looking for invitations and stationery | |  | Choose dresses and accessories for bride and bridal party | |
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| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **The day before** | | |  | Get a mani / pedi / massage | |  | Eat a good breakfast | |  | Attend wedding rehearsal | |  | Give wedding rings to the best man | |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **4 – 5 months before** | | |  | Choose flowers for reception, party, attendants, etc. | |  | Finalize a rehearsal dinner guest list | |  | Order wedding cake | |  | Purchase or rent toasting flutes and serving pieces | |  | Schedule dress fittings | |  | Purchase or make a guest book | |  | Book honeymoon flights and hotels | |  | Order a flower basket | |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **1 week before** | | |  | Get haircut and color | |  | Get spa and beauty treatments for you and your bridal party | |  |  | |
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