

's Wedding

checklist

12-14 Months

- Book wedding planner
- Secure wedding venue
- Book photographer & videographer
- Pick wedding colors
- Say "yes" to the dress
- Establish a budget

10-11 Months

- Choose wedding party & make the ask
- Choose wedding party attire
- Book caterer (if not included with the venue)
- Book DJ or Live Band

9 Months

- Finalize guest list
- Book engagement session
- Finalize floral designer
- Order save-the-dates

8 Months

- Book lighting technician
- Reserve decor rentals & draping
- Choose a printer for stationery
- Find menswear boutique
- Plan & book honeymoon
- Setup wedding registries
- Order invitations

7 Months

- Secure transportation (limo, party bus, etc.)
- Book hair & make-up professionals
- Get save-the-dates in the mail
- Order "thank you" cards

6 Months

- Create wedding-day timeline
- Order wedding cake & desserts
- Get invitations in the mail
- Hire officiant
- Buy undergarments for wedding day
- Order wedding bands

5 Months

- Buy gifts for wedding party, parents, etc.
- Order wedding favors

3 Months

- Think through your final touches:
 - Where are you staying the night before your wedding? Maybe book a hotel room for you and a friend.
 - Finalize bridal gown and groom's attire alterations.
 - Come up with your favorite DJ or band playlist.
 - Solidify details for your rehearsal dinner. Consider things like guest list, location, food, date, time, etc.
 - If your honeymoon is booked, are all of your documents in order? Is your bag packed? What will you wear on your honeymoon?
 - Finalize ceremony and reception seating.
 - Do you have your veil?
 - Are the speeches written?
 - If you are reciting your own vows, are they written?
 - Do you have your flower girl basket and ring pillow?

2 Months

- Book boarding for pets
- Double check wedding-day timeline & finalize programs
- Meet with officiant
- Schedule appointment for marriage license
- Find "something old, something new, something borrowed & something blue"

