

■ Plan Your Wedding in 6 Months – Checklist ■

6 Months Before

- • Set your budget and priorities
- • Book your venue
- • Hire a wedding planner or day-of coordinator (if desired)
- • Choose your wedding party
- • Start guest list draft
- • Research and book major vendors (caterer, photographer, officiant, entertainment)

5 Months Before

- • Choose and order wedding attire
- • Book accommodations for out-of-town guests
- • Select wedding décor style and color palette
- • Book hair and makeup artist
- • Order save-the-dates (or send digital versions)
- • Plan your honeymoon

4 Months Before

- • Finalize guest list
- • Send save-the-dates
- • Book florist
- • Choose wedding cake design and baker
- • Arrange transportation for the day
- • Schedule engagement photoshoot (if desired)

3 Months Before

- • Order wedding rings
- • Plan ceremony details with officiant
- • Book rentals (tables, chairs, linens, etc.)
- • Select music/playlist for ceremony and reception
- • Finalize menu with caterer
- • Purchase accessories (shoes, veil, jewelry)

2 Months Before

- • Mail wedding invitations
- • Schedule dress fittings
- • Plan rehearsal dinner
- • Buy wedding party gifts
- • Confirm vendor details and contracts
- • Create wedding day timeline

1 Month Before

- • Apply for marriage license
- • Confirm RSVPs and seating chart
- • Finalize vows or readings
- • Do final venue walkthrough
- • Confirm honeymoon bookings
- • Have final dress fitting

2 Weeks Before

- • Confirm final headcount with caterer
- • Provide timeline to vendors and wedding party
- • Pack for honeymoon
- • Break in wedding shoes
- • Arrange final beauty appointments (nails, waxing, etc.)

1 Week Before

- • Prepare wedding emergency kit
- • Practice ceremony rehearsal
- • Pick up attire
- • Make final vendor payments (if due early)
- • Confirm transportation details

Wedding Day

- • Eat a good breakfast
- • Allow plenty of prep time
- • Exchange gifts/notes with partner
- • Hand over responsibilities to coordinator or trusted friend
- • Relax, enjoy, and celebrate!