

WEDDING PLANNING CHECKLIST

Couple: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / 20____

12+ MONTHS BEFORE

Determine budget and guest count contribution

Select wedding date and research venues

Hire a wedding planner (if applicable)

9-11 MONTHS BEFORE

Book photographer, videographer, and caterer

Purchase wedding dress and attire

Launch wedding website and register for gifts

6-8 MONTHS BEFORE

Send "Save the Date" cards

Book florist, officiant, and entertainment

Arrange hotel blocks for out-of-town guests

3-5 MONTHS BEFORE

Order invitations and wedding cake

Finalize menu tastings and rental needs

Schedule hair and makeup trials

1-2 MONTHS BEFORE

Mail formal invitations

Apply for marriage license

Create seating chart and final floor plan

FINAL WEEK

Confirm final headcount with caterer

Pick up wedding attire and pack for honeymoon

Prepare final payments and tips for vendors
