

WEDDING PLANNING TIMELINE

12+ MONTHS BEFORE

- Determine budget and guest count
 - Select wedding date and venue
 - Hire a wedding planner (optional)
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9 TO 11 MONTHS BEFORE

- Choose wedding party members
 - Book photographer, videographer, and caterer
 - Purchase wedding gown and attire
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6 TO 8 MONTHS BEFORE

- Send "Save the Date" cards
 - Book florist and decor rentals
 - Register for gifts
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3 TO 5 MONTHS BEFORE

- Order wedding cake
 - Finalize ceremony readings and music
 - Book honeymoon travel and lodging
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2 MONTHS BEFORE

- Mail formal invitations
 - Conduct hair and makeup trials
 - Apply for marriage license
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1 MONTH BEFORE

- Finalize seating chart
 - Confirm details with all vendors
 - Write wedding vows
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