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Getting married

Wedding planning checklist

WEDDING DATE:

PRE-PLANNING

- Wedding budget
- Guest list with addresses

CEREMONY

- Venue of civil ceremony
- Venue of religious ceremony
- Fulfil the necessary duties for a civil ceremony
- Fulfil the necessary duties for a religious ceremony
- Officiant
- Clergy
- Give notice to marry
- Ceremony music
- Decorations (excluding florals)
- Witnesses / groomsmen / bridesmaid
- Collect RSVPs
- Parking
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APPEARANCE

- Bridal gown
- Veil/headpiece
- Bridal shoes
- Shoes for a change
- Lingerie
- Hosiery
- Garter
- Jewellery
- Bride's accessories
- Groom's suit/tuxedo/tailcoat
- Groom's shoes
- Shirt
- Shirt for a change
- Tie / bow tie

- Underwear
- Socks
- Cufflinks
- Alterations
- Bride's hairstyle
- Wedding hair trial
- Make-up
- Make-up trial
- Manicure and pedicure
- Groom's hairstyle
- Wedding rings + engraving
- Bride's outfits to wear the day after the wedding
- Groom's outfits to wear the day after the wedding
- Redemption gift - in accordance with the local tradition
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RECEPTION

- Venue
- Venue fee
- Caterer
- Food (cold snacks, hot dishes, cold plate, dessert, fruit)
- Non-alcoholic drinks
- Alcoholic beverages / Liquor
- Wedding cake
- Table decorations (non-floral)
- Additional venue decorations (e.g. lighting, balloons)
- Dishes
- Tables and chairs
- Napkins
- Linens
- Favours
- Staff





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- Usher
- Musician - band/DJ (decide on a playlist including a do not playlist)
- First dance
- Additional non-musical entertainment (e.g. fireworks)
- Seating arrangements
- Childcare
- Parking
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FLOWERS

- Bride's bouquets
- Boutonniere
- Corsages
- Ceremony flowers (pews, chairs, altar)
- Reception flowers (pedestals, tables)
- Other
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TRANSPORTATION

- Wedding car / chaise / other
- Taxis
- Guest transport
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STATIONERY

- Invitations
- Reply cards
- Postage
- Calligrapher
- Announcements
- Thank-you cards
- Guest place cards

- Wedding programs
- Table plans/escort cards, table numbers
- Guest Book
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PHOTOGRAPHER

- Bridal portraits
- Ceremony photos
- Reception photos
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REMAINING SUPPLIERS

- Videographer
- Photo Albums
- Other (photo booth/video booth)
- Wedding Planner
- Wedding Stylist
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GIFTS

- For guests
- For parents
- For bride and groom
- For bridesmaids and groomsmen

OTHER EXPENSES

- Accommodation for wedding night
- Brunch / lunch on the day after the wedding
- Hen Night
- Stag night
- Honeymoon
- Wedding Insurance
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