3 month Wedding Planning Checklist



10-12 WEEKS TO GO

First things first, establish your budget

With that in mind, draft your guest list + choose your wedding party

Pick your wedding style + color palette

Choose your venue based on your wedding vision + lock in that date!

Send out a Save the Date email or a wedding website link

8-10 WEEKS TO GO

- Inform your wedding party about their attire ASAP

 Hire a wedding coordinator if it's in your budget (we do recommend it!)
- Determine your DIY projects + get your friends & family to assist you
- Hire your vendors for all things that you can't DIY
- Find your wedding attire (keep alteration time in mind)
- Order your invites
- Try to take time and relax (if it's yoga class or a girl's wine night, that's on you -- we won't judge)

6-8 WEEKS TO GO you got this

- Make sure you have all vendors locked and ready to go
- Create your Registry list + share it with your guests/update your website
- Make a reservation for the rehearsal dinner
- Send out invitations
- Decide on your honeymoon destination, or just go for a "mini-moon"/weekend getaway and leave that big trip for later on (there's nothing wrong with that!)

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4-5 WEEKS TO GO

- All the big stuff should be aligned by now (Phew!), but let's not forget about the marriage license
- Purchase wedding bands (if you haven't already)
- Check-in with your wedding party to make sure they are on track
- Time for wedding favors (are you ordering or DIY-ing them?)
- If you plan on changing your name, take a look at the requirements

2-3 WEEKS TO GO

- Create your wedding-day timeline (let your coordinator share it with all of your vendors, or share it yourself)
- Come up with your floorplan + table seating chart
- Ask who's giving the toasts
- If someone hasn't RSVP'd yet, make sure to give them a call
- Final vendor appointments to arrange all the last details (readings with officiant, finalize menu with caterer, song list for ceremony/first dance/etc with DJ, share shot list with photographer)
- Schedule your beauty appointments (nails, hairdresser, a massage therapist perhaps? you deserve it!)

1 WEEK TO GO almost there

- Give your venue the final guest count + floorplan
- Get your caterer/bar service the final guest count
- Share final day-of timeline with all vendors + confirm their arrival time
- Pick up your attire + try on your full look
- Check the forecast and adjust your plans accordingly (order those cute clear umbrellas, if necessary)

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THE DAY BEFORE

- Assign someone to collect all wedding gifts
- Make final payments to vendors + place tips in an envelope ready to go
- Pack for the wedding day, wedding night, and honeymoon/mini-moon (don't forget to include a Bridal Emergency Kit to take with you)
- Attend your rehearsal dinner
- Practice your usual skincare routine
- Get to bed early and get that beauty sleep in

DAY-OF you made it

- Start your day right (set the best intention for your day, eat something light, and hydrate!)
- Breathe (it's okay to be nervous, but remind yourself to live in the present and enjoy every single moment -- the day will go by so fast!)
- Make final adjustments to the seating chart, if needed
- Ask someone to be in charge of ordering you + wedding party lunch
- HAVE FUN + CELEBRATE! You're marrying the love of your life!!!

