QUESTIONS TO ASK WHEN HIRING YOUR DJ

1. How long have you been doing this professionally?
2. Have you DJ’d a wedding at my venue before?
3. What is included with your pricing? Do you have different packages?
4. What additional services do you offer? (lighting + uplighting, photo booth, emcee, slideshow, a gobo light, etc.)
5. Do you provide a written contract?
6. Do you require a deposit? If so, how much is it?
7. What is your cancellation policy?
8. How many hours of service do you provide? When will you arrive/depart?
9. Do you provide sound for the ceremony + reception or the reception only?
10. Will you provide your own sound equipment (speakers, microphones, etc.)? If not, what will you need?
11. How much space will you need? Do you provide your own table/linen? Do you need a chair? Do you need access to outlets? Do you need wifi?
12. How many weddings will you DJ in one day?
13. Will you be our DJ or will you be sending someone else? If it will be someone else, are we able to speak with them throughout the planning process?
14. How do you engage guests and keep the energy up throughout the evening?
15. What do you do if no one is on the dance floor?
16. How do you handle guest song requests?
17. How extensive is your music catalog? Can you play any song I want? Can you make recommendations?
18. Can we submit a “do not play” list?
19. What information do you need from me before wedding day? How will I submit this?
20. What will you be wearing at our wedding? Will you color coordinate with our wedding colors?
21. What happens if you unexpectedly are unavailable to be at our wedding?
22. How much time do you need to setup + breakdown?
23. Will you be able to attend our dress rehearsal and do a sound check?
24. Will you act as the emcee & make all announcements throughout the evening?