

# WEDDING *Your* Checklist

WHEN YOU GET ENGAGED

## 12 MONTHS

- set wedding date
- set budget
- draft guest list
- set up wedding website
- research and book venue
- book guest accommodations
- plan and host engagement party
- book photographer
- engagement photos
- order save the dates

## 10 MONTHS

- send out save the dates
- choose wedding theme
- plan decor for the wedding and reception
- book caterer
- book officiant
- choose bridal party

## 8 MONTHS

- order wedding gown and alterations
- order bridal and bridal party jewelry
- cake tasting
- meet with florist
- choose hair stylist and makeup artist
- choose and meet with your wedding DJ
- prep your play lists
- book your honeymoon
- start gift registry

## 6 MONTHS

- order bridal party dresses/attire
- shop for wedding bands
- order invitations, RSVP cards, envelopes and stamps
- reserve tables, chairs, tents and any other required rentals

## 4 MONTHS

- order thank you cards for shower gifts
- plan rehearsal dinner
- finalize menu
- choose and order wedding favours
- arrange for sound equipment if not supplied by the DJ
- choose attire for groom & groomsmen
- book honeymoon suite for the wedding night
- order flowers - bouquets, boutonnieres, centre pieces etc

## 2 MONTHS

- write vows
- purchase wedding bands
- mail out wedding invitations
- order reception stationery (table cards, favour tags, wedding menus, favour packaging etc)

## 1 MONTHS

- secure marriage license
- bridal shower
- bachelor/bachelorette party

## 2 WEEKS

- final fittings
- contact guests who have not RSVP'd
- Finalize head count and send to caterer
- Finalize seating chart

## 1 WEEKS

- finalize wedding day schedule and give copies to wedding party, photographer, caterer, DJ etc.
- vendor confirmations
- prepare place cards

## DAY BEFORE

- mani/pedi's
- rehearsal ceremony
- rehearsal dinner
- bridal party gift exchange

