



Wedding Essentials Checklist

6–12 Months

- ☐ Discuss the budget with your fiancé and family
- ☐ Decide on a wedding date
- ☐ Decide a wedding package
- ☐ Book your package and pay your deposit
- ☐ Choose your photographer and videographer
- ☐ Book a minister or celebrant
- ☐ Join a gym
- ☐ Select your wedding attendants
- ☐ Select your music or musicians for ceremony
- ☐ Organise wedding and travel insurance
- ☐ Consult a wedding decorator

3–6 Months

- ☐ Organise wedding stationary
- ☐ Select your wedding rings
- ☐ Select your MC
- ☐ Arrange trial with makeup artist
- ☐ Start beauty regime
- ☐ Select a florist
- ☐ Book any hire equipment needed
- ☐ Pay second deposit
- ☐ Register at a bridal registry

2 Months

- ☐ Post invitations
- ☐ Select and order cake
- ☐ Choose your lingerie
- ☐ Register your notice of intention to marry

1 Month

- ☐ Plan seating arrangements
- ☐ Confirm all bookings
- ☐ Start to organise documents for name change
- ☐ Make sure everyone has their speech ready
- ☐ Have makeup trial
- ☐ Have wedding rehearsal
- ☐ Send event order back to Tangalooma

2 Weeks

- ☐ Confirm all bookings
- ☐ Confirm guest numbers
- ☐ Collect wedding rings
- ☐ Purchase bridal attendants gifts
- ☐ Order travelers cheques or organise foreign currency
- ☐ Book to have hair colored the following week

1 Week

- ☐ Try on wedding outfit and ensure everyone else does to
- ☐ Start packing for your honeymoon
- ☐ Confirm transportation and times
- ☐ Organise your tan, massage and facial
- ☐ Confirm what time flowers are being delivered
- ☐ Confirm cake delivery
- ☐ Finish packing for your honeymoon

Wedding Eve

- ☐ Confirm makeup and hair stylist
- ☐ Ensure your emergency bridal kit is ready—include spare stockings, tissues, lipply, safety pins, needle and thread and band aids.
- ☐ Pack separately for the wedding night
- ☐ Lay everything out for the big day

Post Honeymoon

- ☐ Send thank you cards for gifts
- ☐ Make appointment to photos and videographer
- ☐ Dry clean your dress and preserve
- ☐ Organise the final documents if your changing name.

