



Omaha World-Herald

wedding essentials

IDEAS. ADVICE. TRENDS.

WEDDING PLANNER

Planning a wedding?

It's one of the most exciting—and stressful—times of your life!

Our downloadable Bridal Planner is filled with checklists to help keep you on track as you plan all the details of your wedding.

APPAREL CHECKLIST

Keep track of all your gown and accessory needs.

BRIDE'S CHECKLIST

Ensure that you have not overlooked the smallest details.

BUDGET WORKSHEET

Anticipate the expenses associated with planning your wedding.

CEREMONY CHECKLIST

Keep track of wedding venue and service details.

FLOWER CHECKLIST

Decide how much you are going to spend on flowers.

FOOD & BEVERAGE CHECKLIST

Plan your caterer, cake and beverage needs.

GROOM'S CHECKLIST

Need him to be more involved? Use this checklist to help him assist you.

GUEST CHECKLIST

A list of "to-do's" to organize the guest list and out-of-town guest needs.

GUIDE FOR THE BEST MAN

This honor comes with obligations and responsibilities. Use this as a guide.

GUIDE FOR USHERS

A few guidelines to follow and some traditional instructions to be an usher.

GUIDE FOR THE MAID/MATRON OF HONOR

The counterpart of the Best Man. Use this guide to better understand the role.

HONEYMOON CHECKLIST

Note your travel itinerary and reservations.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Keep all those important numbers in one place.

INVITATIONS & STATIONERY

Plan your invitation and stationery needs

MUSIC CHECKLIST

Detail your ceremony and reception needs.

NAME CHANGE CHECKLIST FOR BRIDE

Changing your name can be a big decision. Our checklist can help.

PHOTOGRAPHY CHECKLIST

Plan your individual photography needs.

RECEPTION CHECKLIST

Determine if the facility meets your wedding needs.

RECORD OF DEPOSITS

Keep track of all your payments.

REGISTRY PLANNING

Not sure what to tell people what you want? This checklist will help you decide.

REHEARSAL DINNER CHECKLIST

Keep track of your rehearsal dinner guests.

TRANSPORTATION CHECKLIST

Note your vendor and itinerary.

VIDEOGRAPHY CHECKLIST

Capture all the memories with sight and sound. All your questions right here.

WEDDING DAY RESPONSIBILITY

The Big Day has arrived! But who's responsible in what way?

WEDDING MASTER CHECKLIST

Keep this comprehensive checklist close by—it has everything you will need!

WEDDING PARTY INFORMATION

Keep the names, addresses and phone numbers close at hand.

WEDDING TIME TABLE

It's a year (or less) before the wedding. This time table tells you what to do and when.