



At BBJ, our number one goal is to make event planning as easy as possible for our clients.

With the Complete Wedding Budget Planner, you'll be able to anticipate your expenses, set a timeline, and above all have fun creating an extraordinary wedding. Here, you'll find an itemized list of recommended purchases as well as a timeline to help you plan for necessary purchases. Please note that events that are free or hosted, such as bachelorette parties, are not included in this list.

The modern wedding is a study in customization. With that in mind, you should regard this list as a guideline, not a mandate. Some couples prefer to omit elements like "Save the Date" cards; others prefer to wait before committing to a particular venue or theme. Some prefer a traditional approach, others opt for the unconventional. Whatever you decide, know that BBJ is here to help you with all of your wedding planning needs. We want you to enjoy the planning process as much as possible by creating a wedding that is all your own.

1 YEAR	Total	Deposit	Amount Due
Research and book venues for ceremony and reception	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Update passports and request travel visas if necessary	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Meet with attorney for prenuptial agreement	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Research and book officiant	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Interview and hire wedding planner	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Engagement party	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>

9 MONTHS	Total	Deposit	Amount Due
Interview and book photographer/videographer	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Research and book band, dj and other entertainment	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Purchase bridal gown	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Arrange for time off and book honeymoon	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Book hotel rooms for bridal party and guests	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Hire a caterer if not provided by venue	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>

6 MONTHS	Total	Deposit	Amount Due
Order invitations	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Purchase clothing for bridal party	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
First bridal gown fitting	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Order groom's tuxedo or suit	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Reserve furniture, electrical components, other logistics	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Purchase and send "save the date" cards	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Select linens for guest, head/sweetheart and cake tables	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>

5 MONTHS	Total	Deposit	Amount Due
Book hair and makeup artist	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Book venue for rehearsal dinner	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Book limousine	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Taste and order cake	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Purchase and resize rings	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Book florist	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>

3 MONTHS	Total	Deposit	Amount Due
Purchase shoes and veil	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Gown fitting	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Purchase favors, programs, guest cards and guest book	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Finalize menu	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Mail invitations	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Finalize order for tablecloths, overlays, napkins, and tabletop decor	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Submit newspaper announcement	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>

1 MONTH	Total	Deposit	Amount Due
Final gown fitting	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Book spa services for bride and bridesmaids	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Purchase bridesmaid and groomsmen gifts	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Purchase welcome gifts for out of town guests	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Communicate with vendors, adjust orders if necessary	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Complete paperwork for wedding license	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>

1 WEEK	Total	Deposit	Amount Due
Prepare tip and payment envelopes for vendors	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Pack for honeymoon, confirm arrangements	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>
Pick up gown	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>

TOTALS	Grand Total	Deposit Paid	Balance Due
	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>