

Planning Checklist

12 Months Before

- Book your dream destination wedding at The Breakers!
- Create Pinterest wedding board and follow Breakers Weddings
- Write the guest list
- Set your budget
- Hire a wedding planner
- Block hotel rooms for your guests
- Take engagement photos

10 Months Before

- Go wedding gown shopping
- Create custom invitation collection
- Send save-the-dates
- Book welcome/rehearsal dinner and brunch
- Select your bridal party
- Book your vendors: floral, entertainment, photography, and videographer (check The Breakers Blue Book list)

8 Months Before

- Order your gown and veil
- Build your gift registry
- Order your invitations
- Select your officiant and discuss ceremony ideas and readings
- Connect with event sales manager to customize your menu

6 Months Before

- Go shopping for bridesmaid dresses
- Consider second gown or after-party dress
- Shop for wedding rings
- Choose groom and groomsmen attire
- Book wedding weekend transportation (trolley, limo, bus)
- Take dance lessons with your fiancé
- Reserve a Breakers bungalow for your wedding weekend
- Plan your honeymoon

3 Months Before

- Mail invitations
- Schedule your menu tasting
- Finalize cake flavors, fillings, and design
- Attend bridal gown fitting and buy accessories (shoes, lingerie)
- Review marriage license requirements
- Coordinate date of bachelorette party with maid of honor

2 Months Before

- Write your vows
- Schedule a hair and makeup trial
- Order wedding favors and plan welcome baskets
- Purchase wedding accessories (guest book, ring pillow)
- Buy gifts for your bridal party
- Select music for your ceremony, reception, and dinner
- Finalize ceremony details with officiant
- Design and order your wedding program
- Plan a groomsmen golf day for your wedding weekend

1 Month Before

- Select your wedding jewelry
- Choose your something old, new, and blue
- Start working on your seating arrangements
- Review RSVPs and chase down stragglers
- Attend your final dress fitting and pick up your gown
- Review photo list with your photographer
- Break in your wedding shoes

3 Days Before

- Give the final guest count
- Finalize your day-of schedule and give it to all vendors
- Give final payments and last-minute requests to vendors
- Finalize seating arrangements and place cards

Day Before "I Do"

- Rehearse the ceremony with officiant and bridal party
- Put all tips in envelopes
- Get a manicure, pedicure, and massage at The Spa
- Give gifts to your bridal party
- Enjoy your rehearsal dinner/welcome party!

Wedding Day!

- Don't forget to eat breakfast
- Give the rings to best man or maid of honor
- Exchange gifts with your fiancé
- Breathe...relax...
- Enjoy EVERY moment
- Say "I DO!"