

# Wedding Day Timeline with First Look

NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_ & : \_\_\_\_\_

WEDDING DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Start hair and  
makeup

\_\_\_\_\_ Getting Ready Photos (1 Hour - 2 Hours)  
Photography coverage Begins  
Photograph Details

\_\_\_\_\_ First Look (30 Mins-1 Hour)

\_\_\_\_\_ Bridal Party Group (30 Mins)

\_\_\_\_\_ Family Portraits (30 Mins)

\_\_\_\_\_ Hide from guests (45 Mins-1 Hour)  
Photograph Ceremony Details

\_\_\_\_\_ Ceremony

\_\_\_\_\_ End Ceremony/ Ceremony Exit

\_\_\_\_\_ Marriage license signing

\_\_\_\_\_ Cocktail hour (1 Hour - 1 Hour 30)  
(Optional) Extended Family Portraits (20 Mins)  
Photograph Reception Details

\_\_\_\_\_ Sunset time  
(Recommended) Couple photos (15-20 Mins)

\_\_\_\_\_ Reception/ Grand Entrance  
(Optional) First Dances

\_\_\_\_\_ Dinner starts (30 Mins)

\_\_\_\_\_ Toasts (15-20 Mins)

\_\_\_\_\_ Cake Cutting (5-8 Mins)

\_\_\_\_\_ First Dances (15 Mins-20 Mins)

\_\_\_\_\_ Open Dancing (1 Hour+)

\_\_\_\_\_ Photography Coverage Ends

\_\_\_\_\_ Wedding ends

## Things to note:

- Identify start and end times for photography/videography
  - Consult with Planner and /Or Venue Coordinator
  - Consider transportation times between sites
  - Add receiving line time if having one
  - Consider just 1-4 groups for Extended Family
- Check the sunset time for your day and plan 1 hour before.
- First Dance can be done before or after dinner depending on your preference

# Wedding Day Timeline

## Traditional

NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_ &: \_\_\_\_\_

WEDDING DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

_____ Start hair and makeup	_____ Family Portraits (30 Mins) (optional ) Extended Fam Portraits (30 Mins)
_____ Getting Ready Photos (1 Hour - 2 Hours) Photography coverage Begins Photograph Details	_____ Bridal Party Group (20 Minutes)
_____ Partner and Attendants/ Family (30 Mins)	_____ Couple Photos (20 Minutes)
_____ Other Partner and Attendants/ Family (30 Mins)	_____ Sunset time
_____ Hide from guests (45 Mins-1 Hour) Photograph Ceremony Details	_____ Reception/ Grand Entrance (Optional) First Dance
_____ Ceremony	_____ Dinner starts (30 Mins)
_____ End Ceremony / Ceremony Exit	_____ Toasts (15-20 Mins)
_____ Marriage license Signing	_____ Cake Cutting (5-8 Mins)
_____ Cocktail Hour Photograph Reception Details	_____ First Dances (15 Mins)
	_____ Open Dancing (1 Hour+)_
	_____ Photography Coverage Ends
	_____ Wedding ends

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- Identify start and end times for photography/videography
- Consult with Planner and /Or Venue Coordinator,
- Consider transportation times between sites
- Add receiving line time if having one
- Consider just 1-4 groups for Extended Family
- Check the sunset time for your day and plan 1 hour before.
- First Dance can be also done right before Open Dancing