

# HEN DO PLANNING CHECKLIST

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YOUR HEN DO DATE:

## 4 TO 6 MONTHS OUT FIGURING OUT THE BASICS

- Consult the bride.
- Make a guest list (and a group chat).
- Agree on the hen party budget.
- Pick a date and send save the dates.
- Get researching into themes and locations (especially if abroad).

## 3 MONTHS OUT PLANNING AND BOOKING

- Decide on the hen party type and theme.
- Draft a hen-do agenda.
- Book the venue and/or accommodation.
- Book group activities and reserve any restaurants/bars (don't forget dietary requirements).
- Arrange for catering and other services.
- Keep an eye on the price (make sure you cover the cost of the bride and leave contingency for any cancellations - any money left over can go on bubbly).

## 2 MONTHS OUT POLISH THE PLAN

- Check in with the guests and send the itinerary.
- Confirm all the bookings (especially if some hens have to book transport themselves).
- Take care of the booze.
- Organise the hen party decor using our hen party theme ideas.
- Request anything you need for a hen book for the bride.
- Collect a deposit from all of the hens if you haven't done so already.

## 1 MONTH OUT GET CRAFTY

- Pick up the decor and sort out goodie bags for the hens.
- Craft any DIY items - the hen book, flower crowns, sunglasses etc.

## 2 WEEKS TO GO... IT'S THE FINAL COUNTDOWN

- Download our hen party playlist.
- Collect the final balance of the money.
- Find some fun games to play in case you need to fill any gaps in time.
- Send out a reminder if the hens need to wear something in particular and any packing essentials if the hen is abroad.

## 1 WEEK TO GO... GET READY TO (HEN) PARTY

- Pack the essentials.
- Don't forget to tell the bride where she needs to be and what she needs to bring.
- Reiterate meeting points, when you'll be eating etc.
- Have some pamper time on your own or with the hens.

## THE DAY OF

### IT'S LADIES NIGHT

- Have a good time (and make sure others do, too).
- Set up the games, activities, food, and decor.
- Ensure your bride is relaxed and happy.

