

### 12 Months before

Congratulations on your recent engagement!

Similarly to booking a venue, stylist, or even wedding cake—us stationery designers have a limit of bookings we can take each month and we tend to get booked out in advanced. So the quicker you can get to us the better.

We could start with some **Save the Dates** to let your guests know when to expect the formal invitations. It's also great if you're doing a destination wedding to allow your guest time for booking things like their flight and accommodation.

### 8-9 Months before

Get your **guest list** underway. It'll help for when/if you decide to address your invitations or envelopes. We generally find couples take a while to get this ready.

By this point, you should already have your stationery designer locked in (here's hoping it's us)!

### 6-4 Months before

Let's talk **wedding invitations**. If you're going with us, we'll start the process by discussing things like quantity, style, colours and layout to put together a thorough quote for you.

We like to allow at least 3 weeks for the entire design process but this doesn't include the printing timeframes. Depending on your preference, it can take anywhere from 3-10 business days. So get in quick! You want to make sure there's enough time to also distribute your invites.

### 2-3 Months before

Your invites should be out and you should be receiving your RSVP's back. Your RSVP date should be no later than 2 months prior to your date to allow room for last minute guest changes and to give time for your venue to make seating arrangement changes.

By this point, we'll lock in your **stationery items** for the day and discuss next steps.

### 4-6 Weeks before

All your designs should be locked in and ready to go to **print** at least by the 3 week mark.

This allows enough time for any last minute changes and to give time for our suppliers to print your items especially during peak periods. Be sure to chase up those who haven't responded!

We also need to ensure there's sufficient amount of time to get this delivered to you or dropped off at your venue for your venue to sort through.

### 1-2 Months after

Congrats on a successful wedding day!

This is generally a good time to send out any **Thank You cards** to your guests and vendors. I mean, no one likes receiving cards too late.