

WEDDING STATIONERY GUIDE



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Congratulations on your upcoming wedding! Planning your big day is such an exciting journey, and I'm here to help make your wedding stationery process smooth and enjoyable.

This guide is split into two sections, the first will walk you through each step of creating your perfect invitations, from choosing the format to adding those special finishing touches, while the second guides you through wedding day stationery and why it is important.

If you need any assistance or would like to request a quote, please don't hesitate to contact me at

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Happy planning!

Love,
Topaz x

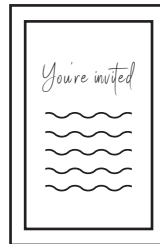
STEP ONE: CHOOSING YOUR FORMAT

The format of your wedding invitations sets the tone for your entire event. It's the first glimpse your guests will have of your wedding style and theme. Whether you prefer a classic flat invite, a sophisticated gatefold, or some luxury vellum, choosing the right format is the essential first step to building your invitations.

Consider how each format will present your information and reflect your wedding's personality.



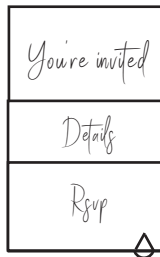
Flat Invitation
A classic and elegant choice, perfect for any wedding theme.



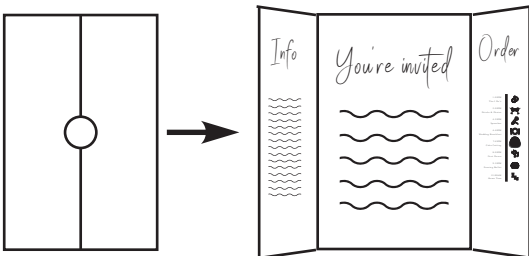
Flat Invitation with Embossed Borders
A classic choice which features a raised, embossed border for a sophisticated finish.



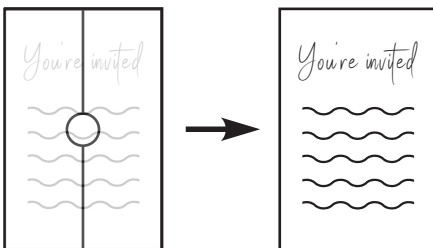
Flat Invitation with a Bellyband
This invitation bundle is held together with a decorative bellyband, adding a stylish element.



Layered Flat Invitation
This invitation set has a set of staggered size inserts for added depth, held together with a gold teardrop clip.



Gatefold Invitation on Card
Sealed with a wax seal, this invitation opens like a book, revealing your wedding details in a unique format. Perfect for those who want an all-in-one solution rather than lots of inserts.



Flat Invitation with Vellum Wallet
This flat invitation has an added delicate and luxurious touch with a semi-transparent vellum cover, sealed with a wax seal.



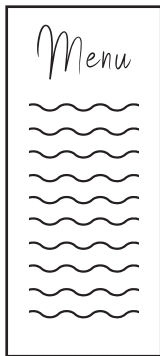
Concertina Invitation
This invitation folds down to reveal your wedding information in a multi-panel design. Also suitable for those who want an all-in-one solution.

STEP TWO: WHAT'S INCLUDED

Including the right inserts with your wedding invitations ensures your guests have all the necessary information. From menu choices to rsvp cards, each piece plays a crucial role in your guests' experience and helps them plan for your big day.

These elements add detail and functionality, making sure your guests are well-informed and excited about your wedding.

As standard all of my invitations come with the main invitation and a details insert, with the exception of the gatefold and concertina invitations as the details are printed directly onto the sides/panels.



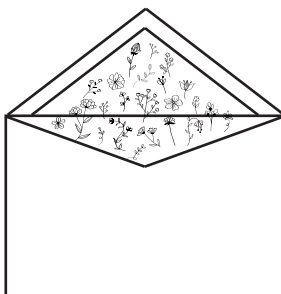
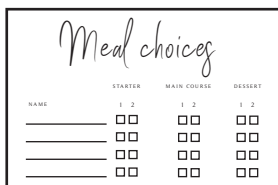
Menu Card

Menu cards are important if your guests are going to have a choice of food for their main. Some venues will allow guests to choose between 2/3 different options so menus are a good way to display each choice.



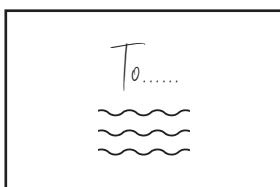
Postal RSVP Card with Envelope

Make it easy for your guests to respond with a postal RSVP card. Mine can also be created with tickboxes for your guests meal choices. If you do not send a postal rsvp then your guests will respond via email/phone/website listed on your details insert.



Envelope Liners

Add a pop of colour or pattern/flowers to the inside of your envelopes for an extra special touch.



Envelope Addressing

Save time and ensure a polished look with my envelope addressing service. Your return address can also be pre-printed onto your RSVP card envelopes. (Please note this service is also applicable on lighter coloured envelopes).

STEP THREE: ANY EXTRA DETAILS

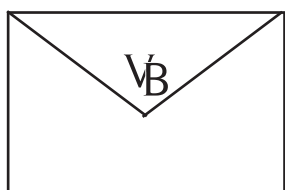
The extra details are what make your wedding invitations truly unique and memorable. Personalised touches like wax seals, ribbon ties and envelope embossing can elevate your stationery, making it a cherished keepsake for your guests.

These finishing touches reflect your personal style and add a layer of sophistication and charm to your invitations.



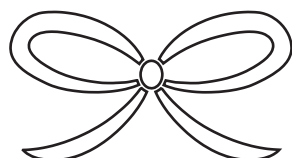
Personalised Wax Seals

Add a unique touch with personalised wax seals featuring your initials, wedding monogram or a design of your choice. My generic wax seal says 'with love'.



Embossed Envelopes

Add a subtle, elegant detail to your invitations with embossing added to the envelope flap. Choose from a personalised embosser with your wedding invitations or monogram, or my generic embosser says 'love is in the air'.



Ribbon Ties

Choose from a variety of ribbon colours to tie your invitations together beautifully.

Thank you for reading the wedding invitation section of my guide. I hope it has helped you understand the differences between formats, and how you can build your own invitations based off of your requirements, your likes and your budget.

All of my invitations come with unlimited amendments to design, and you would also receive two complimentary day invitations extra, one for your photographer to include in any 'details' photographs, and the other as keepsake.

If you'd like me to send you a quotation please email me at finnandwild@outlook.com

DAY OF STATIONERY

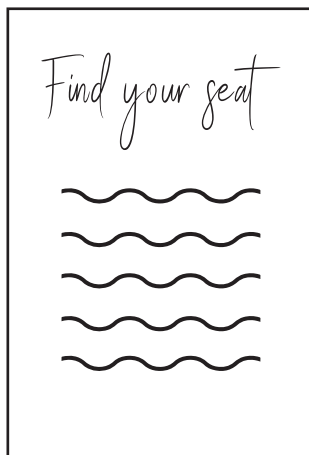
When it comes to planning your wedding, stationery is often viewed as a beautiful accessory that adds charm and elegance to your special day. However, wedding stationery is much more than just 'pretty paper'. It plays a crucial role in the smooth running of your event, ensuring that everything goes according to plan and that your guests feel comfortable and informed.

Let's explore further...

WEDDING SIGNAGE

One of the key roles of wedding stationery is to provide structure to your day. Your table plans are vital in guiding your guests to their designated tables. A beautifully designed table plan is not only a visual delight but also a practical tool that helps avoid confusion and ensures that everyone finds their seat with ease.

Another important aspect of wedding stationery is keeping your guests informed about the schedule of the day. An order of events, beautifully printed and displayed, gives your guests an idea of what to expect. It can outline the timeline of your ceremony, reception, speeches, dinner and other key moments. This helps guests plan their time and ensures they don't miss any important parts of your celebration.



Wedding Signage

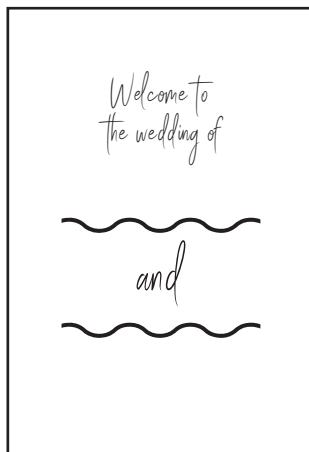
When it comes to wedding signs, you can have any signs you like. The most popular signs are table plans, welcome signs and order of events, however you can have unplugged ceremony signs, cake flavour signs, guestbook signs, and so on.

All of my large signs are printed onto foamex boards, and the only difference is the size you choose:

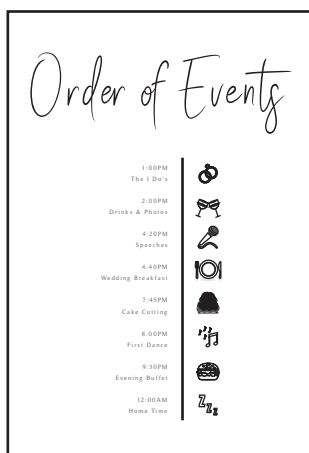
A1
594 x 841mm

A2
420mm x 594mm

A3
297mm x 420mm

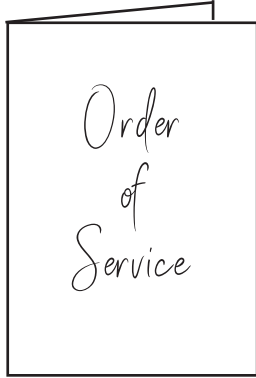


I recommend A1 or A2 for things such as table plans, welcome signs and order of events, for any other signs such as cake flavour signs A3 would suffice - alternatively you could get these printed onto A4/A5 card and put them in a nice frame to display.



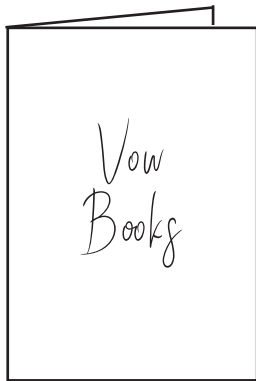
FOR THE CEREMONY

Ceremony stationery is crucial for guiding your guests through the most important part of your day. Items like order of service booklets and reserved seating tags ensure your ceremony proceeds without a hitch, while vow books and speech books add a personal and memorable touch to your special moments.



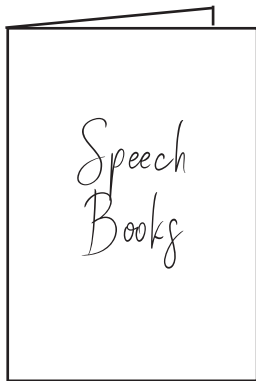
Order of Service

Ideal for a church ceremony, order of service books guide your guests through the ceremony, and allows them to follow along with readings, hymns and prayers. You can also add things such as your bridal party, order of the day and a thank you message.



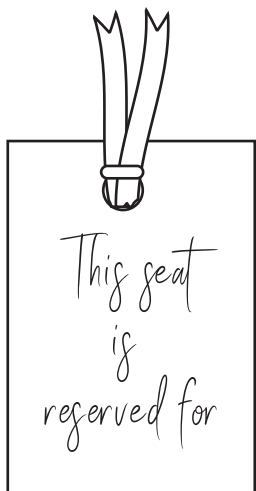
Vow Books

A beautiful book to write, and read your vows. Not only is it a beautiful keepsake but they add an incredible touch to your wedding photos.



Speech/Reading Books

Perfect for those either giving readings during the ceremony, or for those giving speeches during the wedding reception. These books not only keep your notes organised but they also look beautiful in photos.

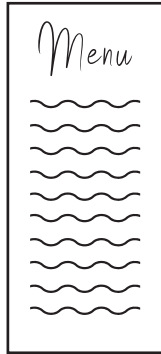


Reserved Seating Tags

Reserved seating tags ensures that specific seats are saved for the more important guests, such as the bridal party, family members or elderly members. They can be paired with a coloured satin or chiffon ribbon.

FOR THE TABLE

The table setting is where your guests will spend a significant portion of the reception, so it's important to make it both functional and beautiful. Items like menus, place cards and table numbers not only enhance the aesthetic but also guide your guests through the dining experience, ensuring everything runs smoothly.



Menu Card

Menus on the table inform your guests about the food they will be enjoying, displaying dietary preferences and adding to the dining experience.

If your guests have chosen their own meal you can combine your menus and place cards together, with their names either printed directly onto their menus, or attached with ribbon, wax seals or teardrop clips.



Place Cards

Direct guests to their specific seat, making them feel special and ensuring a smooth seating process. Place cards can either be flat, folded, or even flat with ribbon detail.

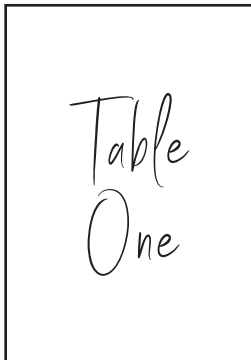


Table Numbers

Table names or numbers help your guests find their tables easily, ensuring a seamless transition during the reception. These are generally A5 sized and can be placed into a frame, stand or propped against your centrepieces.



Childrens' Activity Books

Keep the little guests entertained with wedding themed puzzles and activities. My books can be personalised with your names and wedding date, the child's name, and also can be adapted for same-sex weddings. Crayons can be added on.



Scratchcard Backing Cards

If you are choosing to have scratchcards for your wedding favours, you can have personalised backing cards in your wedding theme with a personalised message from the happy couple.

This guide is designed to make your wedding stationery journey enjoyable and straight forward. If there is any stationery you require that is not listed, please just enquire, Generally speaking, if it is created from card then I can do it.

If you have any questions or require further assistance or would like to work together, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Let's create something beautiful together.

Love,
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