## PARTY PLANNING

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Event & Occasion: Theme: Decor: Activities: Party Favors:	Budget: \$  Day:  Date: / /  Time:  Place:
INVITATIONS: MAKE · EMAIL · CALL · BUY  Mailing date: / / Mail invites two-three weeks before.	ONE MONTH BEFORE: MAKE CATERER RESERVATIONS, BOOK BANDS OR LOCATIONS, RESERVE RENTALS. START DIY DECOR. SEND INVITES.
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ONE WEEK BEFORE: BUY NON-PERISHABLE FOODS.  START COMPILING PLAYLIST. MAKE SURE ALL  SERVING WARE IS READY TO GO. MAKE A GROCERY LIST FOR ALL REMAINING FOOD. CALL TO CONFIRM WITH RENTALS, CATERER, CAKE DECORATOR, ENTERTAINMENT, ETC. COMPLETE DIY DECOR. BUY  ONE DAY BEFORE: MAKE GROCERY RUN FOR PERISHABLE FOODS. START FOOD PREP. FINISH ANY MAKE-AHEAD RECIPES. CLEAN AND DECORATE. FINALIZE PLAYLIST. LAY OUT SERVING WARE WITH STICKY NOTES INDICATING WHICH MENU ITEMS GO WHERE. MAKE SURE CAMERAS ARE CHARGED.	DAY OF: MORNING: FINISH DECOR, LAST MINUTE ERRANDS. NOON: PICK UP CAKE, TAKE SHOWER. AFTERNOON: FINISH FOOD, LAST MINUTE WALK-THRU, TURN ON MUSIC, KEEP FOOD WARM IN OVEN, LIGHT CANDLES AND TURN ON ALL LIGHTS IN HOUSE. THIRTY MINUTES BEFORE, PULL WHITE WINE FROM FRIDGE