

SAMPLEWEDDING TIMELINES

PLATED/INDIVIDUALLY SERVED MEAL

SAMPLE TIMELINE 1 PLATED W/CEREMONY

SAMPLE TIMELINE 2 PLATED W/O CEREMONY

3:30 PM	Guests Arrive for Ceremony	5:00 PM	Cocktail Hour
4:00 PM	Ceremony Begins	5:30 PM	Receiving Line
4:30 PM	Ceremony Ends	6:00 PM	Guests invited to be seated
4:45 PM	Cocktail Hour	6:05 PM	Reception Starts
5:45 PM	Guests invited to be seated	6:10 PM	Attendants' Introductions
6:00 PM	Reception Starts	6:15 PM	Couple's First Dance
6:05 PM	Wedding Party Introductions	6:20 PM	MC(s) Welcome
6:10 PM	Cake Cutting	6:25 PM	Blessing/Prayer/Toast
6:15 PM	MC(s) Welcome	6:30 PM	1st Course Served
6:20 PM	Blessing/Prayer/Toast	6:40 PM	Partner 1's Parents Speech
6:30 PM	1st Course Served	6:50 PM	Partner 2's Parents Speech
6:40 PM	Made/Matron of Honour Speech	7:00 PM	2nd Course Served
6:45 PM	Best Person Speech	7:10 PM	Made/Matron of Honour Speech
7:00 PM	Main Course Served	7:20 PM	Main Course Served
7:15 PM	Partner 1's Parents Speech	7:35 PM	Best Person Speech
7:25 PM	Partner 2's Parents Speech	8:00 PM	Dessert Served
7:45 PM	Dessert Served	8:15 PM	Couple's Speech
8:00 PM	Couple's Speech	8:25 PM	Cake Cutting
8:10 PM	Short Break before dancing	8:30 PM	Family Dances
8:20 PM	First Dances	8:45 PM	Dancing Begins
8:30 PM	Dancing Begins	11:00 PM	Late Night Food
10:30 PM	Late Night Food	12:45 AM	Last Dances
12:45 AM	Last Dances	1:00 AM	Reception Ends
1:00 AM	Reception Ends		



BUFFET OR FAMILY STYLE MEAL

SAMPLE TIMELINE 3 BUFFET

SAMPLE TIMELINE 4 FAMILY STYLE

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6:00 PM	Cocktail Hour	5:30 PM	Cocktail Hour
7:00 PM	Guests invited to be seated	6:30 PM	Reception Starts
7:05 PM	Reception Starts	6:35 PM	Attendants' Introductions
7:10 PM	Attendants' Introductions	6:40 PM	MC(s) Welcome
7:15 PM	MC(s) Welcome	6:45 PM	Blessing/Prayer/Toast
7:20 PM	Blessing/Prayer/Toast	6:50 PM	1st Course Served
7:25 PM	Head Table invited to buffet	7:05 PM	Made/Matron of Honour Speech
7:30 PM	All guests invited to buffet	7:10 PM	Best Person Speech
8:00 PM	Made/Matron of Honour Speech	7:20 PM	2nd Course Served
8:05 PM	Best Person Speech	7:35 PM	Partner 1's Parents Speech
8:10 PM	All guests invited for more food	7:50 PM	Main Course Served
8:25 PM	Partner 1's Parents Speech	8:10 PM	Partner 2's Parents Speech
8:35 PM	Partner 2's Parents Speech	8:30 PM	Dessert Served
8:45 PM	Dessert Served	8:45 PM	Couple's Speech
9:00 PM	Couple's Speech	8:55 PM	Cake Cutting
9:10 PM	Cake Cutting	9:00 PM	Couple's First Dance
9:15 PM	Couple's First Dance	9:05 PM	Family Dances
9:20 PM	Family Dances	9:15 PM	Dancing Begins
9:30 PM	Dancing Begins	10:30 PM	Late Night Food
11:00 PM	Late Night Food	12:45 AM	Last Dances
12:45 AM	Last Dances	1:00 AM	Reception End
1:00AM	Reception Ends		