

DESTINATION WEDDING PLANNING BLUEPRINT

A clear, calming guide to help you compare destinations, clarify logistics, and stay focused as you plan.



Start With Your *Vision*

What vibe do you want your guests to feel?

e.g. relaxed, intimate, romantic, luxurious

How many people do you imagine attending?

Estimate your guest count below

Is there a season or date that feels meaningful?

When would your dream destination wedding take place?

Month/Season: _____ Date (if known): _____

What does a successful destination wedding look like for you?

Think about the experience you want for yourself and your guests.

Pro Tip: Don't overthink - this page is just about capturing your heart's vision. Practical planning comes next.

Compare Destination Regions

Region	Travel Ease	Budget Range	Planning Flexibility
Mexico	Easy (short flights)	\$ - \$\$	High
Caribbean	Moderate (varies by island)	\$\$	Packages + some flexibility
Europe	Long-haul	\$\$ - \$\$\$	Medium to Low; more a la carte
Bucket List	Varies (may require connections)	\$\$\$	Low

Which destination region(s) feel most aligned with your vision? Why? _____

Are you more drawn to convenience, unique experiences, or something in between?

Note: Your perfect fit might be a balance between guest ease and dream experience. There's no wrong answer—only what works best for you.

Top Planning Considerations Worksheet



Guest Count & Group Size

How many people do you imagine inviting?

Estimated Guest Count:



Travel Preferences

What's a comfortable travel time for your guests?



Season & Climate

What season or type of weather do you envision?

Preferred season/month:

Climate preferences:



Guest Affordability

How important is it that your guests can afford to attend?

Very important

Somewhat important

Not important

Notes: _____



Wedding Investment (Budget)

What is your comfort range for the total wedding budget?

Under \$15k

\$15k - 30k

\$30k - 50k

\$50k +

Priorities within your budget:



Customization Style

Do you want a turnkey package or a more custom experience?

Predesigned with small tweaks

A la carte or fully custom

Not sure yet

Notes: _____

Details

You May Not Have Considered

Passports Required

Guests may need to factor passport applications and renewals in the cost of travel. Passports should be valid for a minimum of 6 months of travel.

Local Holidays & Festivals Timing

Your desired season and destination may have local holiday or cultural events that affect crowds, noise, availability, and pricing.

Marriage Requirements

Some countries require legal documents, translations, or even blood tests—symbolic is often the better route.

Vendor & Resort Policies

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Which of these might affect your plans or need more research? _____

Your *Next Step*



Ready to confidently move forward?

You've explored your destination personality and reviewed important planning details— now let's turn that clarity into action. Book a complimentary session and we'll:

- Discuss your quiz results and travel preferences
- Compare destinations that fit your style and priorities
- Help you avoid hidden planning pitfalls



[Book your complimentary planning session](#)

Prefer to explore on your own for now?

That's perfectly okay. You've already taken a huge step by clarifying your destination style. Keep this guide close, and revisit it as your ideas evolve.

Want to dive deeper into real wedding costs around the world?

Download: Hidden Wedding Costs by Region (Bonus resource)

PRO NOTE: “Whether you're ready to take action or still exploring your vision, you're one step closer to a celebration that's deeply personal and beautifully planned.”