



# Baby Shower Checklist

YOUR BABY SHOWER PLANNING RESOURCE

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# Introduction

*"Make every moment  
count the most!"*

Baby showers are a unique time of celebration. Family & friends come together to create treasured memories & honor mom-to-be before she brings a new little life into the world.

But, planning & hosting a baby shower can feel stressful & overwhelming at times. From setting the tone to food & games & themes, your goal is to host a fun baby shower for your guests while pleasing mom-to-be.

This checklist will help you track the tasks that need to be done ahead of time, so you can relax & enjoy the baby shower too.

The schedule & activities in this checklist are NOT set in stone - you can & should customize it to your specific dates & outstanding tasks.



# Checklist

## *8 Weeks Before Baby Shower:*

- Pick a date: consult with mom-to-be & aim for a 1-2 months before the due date (or 1+ month after the baby comes home.)
- Make a guest list: get names, phone numbers & email addresses
- Choose a venue that will accommodate your guests & your date.
- Send save-the-dates (especially for out-of-town guests)

## *6 Weeks Before Baby Shower:*

- Choose a theme (if you're having one).
- Send invitations with registry details: using Evite is popular, free & saves paper!
- Shop around: look for decorations, disposable items & party favors online.
- Plan a menu that works with your theme, guest list & budget.

## *4 Weeks Before Baby Shower:*

- Plan & buy items needed for games, prizes & party favors
- Order cake, flowers & rent tables/chairs if needed
- Line up any extra help for cooking, serving, entertaining, or bartending(!).
- Remind mom-to-be to finish registering for gifts.



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## *1 Week Before Baby Shower:*

- Finalize guest list (follow-up with RSVP stragglers).
- Assign a photographer: ask a skilled guest or 2 to take photos & videos.
- Finish all shopping, cooking & prep for games, prizes & favors.
- Make a plan to get the gifts from the shower to the home of mom-to-be.

## *Last Minute To-Dos:*

- Clean & set up the space (arrange furniture, have trash bags handy, etc).
- Decorate & setup food, games & favors.
- Ask someone to record baby gifts & givers when mom-to-be opens gifts.
- Take a deep breathe & enjoy the moment!

## *Notes:*

# About Me

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## All About Saira

Hi, I'm Saira! I'm a wife & mom of 2 little girls, and we live in sunny South Florida USA. Before becoming a mom, I was an MBA in the rat-race. Now, I'm a stay-at-home mom & earn a full-time income blogging about my passion: "life hacks" for busy moms.



## More For Your Baby Shower

There is so much overwhelm online when it comes to baby showers: over-complicated food, over-the-top decorations & ridiculous party favors. I created the **Easy Breezy Baby Shower Planner** so hosting a baby shower will be less stressful for you & more fun for your guests. Get it here: [www.BathTimeFunTime.com](http://www.BathTimeFunTime.com)