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## Party Planning Checklist

Occasion $\qquad$

| ONE MONTH BEFORE | THREE WEEKS BEFORE | TWO WEEKS BEFORE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| __ Create a party budget <br> __ Choose Theme <br> __ Make the Guest List <br> __ Make or Buy Invitations <br> __ Create Menu <br> __Choose Activities <br> /Games <br> __ Order Supplies \& Favors <br> __Book Entertainment | $\qquad$ Send invitations $\qquad$ Rent any equipment $\qquad$ Make shopping list $\qquad$ _ Order food/catering | $\qquad$ Order c $\qquad$ Buy pinata \& fillers $\qquad$ Order flowers |


| ONE WEEK BEFORE | TWO DAYS BEFORE | ONE DAY BEFORE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| __ Do major cleaning <br> __Buy food \& beverages <br> _ Buy candles / matches <br> __ Buy thank you cards <br> __ Order balloons <br> __ Call non-RSVP guests <br> __ Make party timeline | __ Clean party area <br> __Clean bathrooms <br> __ Buy garbage bags <br> - Arrange party favors / bags <br> __ Confirm Entertainment <br> __Choose party music / playlist | $\qquad$ Charge camera /video camera $\qquad$ Decorate for party $\qquad$ Set up games / activities $\qquad$ Set out party favors $\qquad$ Prepare food that can refrigerate well $\qquad$ Bake cake |


| PARTY DAY! | DAY AFTER PARTY | NOTES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\qquad$ Pick up cake, ice, <br> balloons $\qquad$ Frost homemade cake Prepare food Finish decorating Prepare cake table $\qquad$ If presents, set up <br> receiving area $\qquad$ Prepare a gifts rec'd list Get camera Ready <br> _ <br> Don't forget to smile | $\qquad$ Return rented / borrowed equipment $\qquad$ Put reusable items away $\qquad$ Throw away whatever you you don't intend to use again $\qquad$ Download photos $\qquad$ Vacuum floors $\qquad$ Break out those thank you cards |  |

