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When two people are planning to get married, they can choose to have a **religious ceremony** or a **civil ceremony**.

On the wedding day, the **groom** is helped by a **best man** who brings the rings to the wedding ceremony.

The **bride** may have one or more **bridesmaids**.

During the ceremony bride and groom exchange **vows**

The Priest (or minister, or justice of the peace, or someone legally entitled) marry them and invites the guests to congratulate the **newlyweds**

Afterwards, there is a **reception** for the couple and the **wedding guests.**

It's traditional for the best man and the groom to **make speeches**.

Then everyone **drinks a toast to the couple**, and wishes them a long and happy marriage.

Alter the reception, they usually **go on their honeymoon**.

On the same day every year after that, the couple celebrate their **wedding anniversary**.

We wish them a long and happy **marriage**.