

# TIPS FOR TIPPING



So, how do you show your appreciation to everyone who made your wedding day a magical success? Personalized notes of appreciation to all who were involved from the wedding planner to the vendors to family and friends go a long way! Additionally, your wonderful vendors will always appreciate a heartfelt and detailed review of their services. Glowing reviews are always greatly appreciated.

## PLANNER UP TO 20% OR GIFT

YOU WILL LIKELY BECOME GREAT FRIENDS WITH YOUR WEDDING PLANNER. A NICE BOTTLE OF WINE & A GLOWING REVIEW ON HER WEBSITE, GOOGLE+ & FACEBOOK MAKE THE BEST TIP.

## RELIGIOUS OFFICIANT GIFT OR \$100 DONATION

OFFICIANTS AREN'T USUALLY TIPPED, HOWEVER A THOUGHTFUL GIFT OR CHARITABLE DONATION TO THE PLACE OF WORSHIP IS ACCEPTABLE.

## NON-DENOMINATIONAL OFFICIANT \$50-\$100

## CIVIL OFFICIANT NONE

GENERALLY, LOCAL LAWS PROHIBIT TIPPING AND THE GIVING OF ANY GIFTS.

## EVENT MANAGER, CATERER, WAIT STAFF

THE PERCENTAGE MAY BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT SO IT IS ALWAYS A GOOD PRACTICE TO FIND OUT FIRST. IF IT IS NOT INCLUDED, TALK TO THE EVENT OR CATERING MANAGER TO SEE WHAT IS CUSTOMARY.

BARTENDERS  
IF GRATUITY IS NOT INCLUDED 15%-20% OF  
THE LIQUOR BILL.

MUSICIANS & DJ  
15%-20%

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THIS IS USUALLY PAID AFTER THE RECEPTION

CHAUFFEURS  
15%-20%

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THIS IS USUALLY PAID AT THE LAST RIDE

HAIRSTYLIST, MAKEUP ARTIST  
15%-20%

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THIS IS USUALLY PAID AFTER YOUR SESSION IS FINISHED

PHOTOGRAPHER & VIDEOGRAPHER  
15%-20%

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IT IS NOT CUSTOMARY TO TIP, THEY OWN THE BUSINESS,  
HOWEVER; IF THEY BRING AN ASSISTANT YOU SHOULD  
TIP \$20-\$25

ON SITE COORDINATOR  
\$50

PARKING VALETS  
\$1- \$2 PER CAR

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CONFIRM THAT THEY WILL NOT ACCEPT TIPS FROM  
GUESTS.