

A Bride's Big Day

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There are three main events to any wedding. Most brides will have three very different outfits for three very different occasions. In my experience the following pattern is the most common.

Registry Day

Colors most commonly worn for the registry are White, Ivory, and any pastel shade. Usually teamed up with lots of diamonds and crystal.

Most brides will be having the ceremony at the local registry office. This usually takes place during the day. Therefore it is vital that the make up that is applied to not too heavy. Foundation should be kept light and make the face look fresh. Eyes should be kept light also with just a touch of light liner and mascara. False eyelashes are very effective for this kind of look. A light shimmer on the cheeks and a nude or very pale lip color topped off with a gloss.

A good look for the hair would be all swept up onto the head and loose curls and to top it all of a tiara would set off the whole look.

The Wedding Day

The traditional red, white gold, burgundy sari or lengha complimented by traditional bridal jewellery.

The wedding day however is usually kept quite traditional. The usual colors tend to be reds, whites and a lot of gold. Foundation should be a clean matte finish and emphasis should be on the eyes and lips. For this day reds and gold for the eyes and lips would be more effective. Please make sure that all eye make up and lips colors match with the outfit. Also bindis will add to the effect of the overall look.

Hair for the wedding day should be kept simple as most of it would be covered with a duppatta. If the duppatta is heavy then a solid base for the duppatta is vital to keep it on the head.



The Reception

Any color can be worn for the reception.

This is where the fun begins. Receptions are usually during the evening so this is the point anything goes. Foundation can normally be heavier and also slightly shimmery. Eyes can be matched with the color of the outfit. Eye make up should generally be heavier as this is an evening look so should be more dramatic. Glitter eye liner can also give very glamorous look. Cheeks can be slightly glittery also. Lips tend to be darker and glossy.

Hair should be something that the bride feels comfortable with. Open hair with a matching tiara or hair accessories can be very effective.

Like they say "Its time to let your hair down and enjoy the party.

By this point the bride has been through a life changing experience. The perfect look can mean a lifetime of great memories of the biggest day in you life.