

Best Wedding Trends of 2019 (This Far)

Mix & Match Bridal Party Dresses

Let's face it, your bridal party is not one size fits all. No one is, for that matter. What better way to allow a bit of flexibility for your best friends to find a dress that they feel comfortable in to help you celebrate in the best way they can. Not only does this allow you to choose to mix up dress style, but you can incorporate a slight variation on color as well, which turns out beautiful for those full group photos.



The Sweetheart Table

The sweetheart table has been a growing trend. A private space for you and your new husband/wife to spend a few moments alone amidst a day of mingling with guests, a sweetheart table also gives you some more creative freedom. While it can be expensive to amp up the decor on all of your guest tables (especially with a larger wedding), you can go a little crazy with your table for two.



Hanging Floral

Floral is by far one of the elements that, should you choose to invest in, can really go a long way in sprucing up your space. Traditionally, floral is found in bouquets or small clusters on tables, or maybe wrapped around an entryway. New trends, however, have taken this up another notch, with hanging floral.



Velvet

Whether it's your linens, ties, silverware wraps or other small elements, velvet is a great way to bring in some dimension to your décor and attire. Particularly for those fall/winter weddings, it adds an element of warmth, but we're seeing more and more velvet year round. Channeling all 70's vibes...



Moody, Dark, Edgy Décor

Last year, we saw light, airy, minimalism when it came to décor. While the minimalistic touch is still popular, we're seeing more and more moody and dark décor, really setting the mood for the evening, especially in an urban space like SKY.



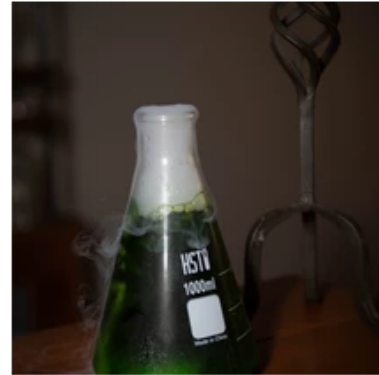
Completely customized invitations

According to [Wedding Wire](#), the average cost spent on wedding invitations and stationery in 2019 is \$550. That's a significant amount, so it's no wonder couples are choosing to bring customized elements into their invitation suites and save-the-dates. These pieces often serve as the first glimpse into your wedding, giving guests an idea of what's to come, and can be the perfect place to tie in aspects of your theme or venue.



Themes

If you think a color scheme personalizes an event, you've probably never seen a themed wedding. After all, what better way to bring an important element or interest that the two of you share into your day. Include subtle elements, or go all out like this couple did.



Sparkler Exits

You might have heard that throwing rice at weddings has been banned because of the harm it can cause birds. As it turns out, that myth is false, but rice can still be messy and dangerous to guests. A great way to go out with a bang, and one that is becoming more-and-more popular, is a sparkler show much like the ones pictured below. This still allows your guests to get in on the action, and provides one last photo opp for your wedding album.

