

Hindu Marriage / Wedding Items List

(please double check with priest well before the event)

Preparations before start of event

1. Keep a mantap/seat facing east and keep one stool for the ritual
2. In a plate with 4 bowls/slots, place turmeric, sandal powder and Akshata (see below) in three of those bowls/slots.
3. Akshata - uncooked rice mixed with turmeric and 2 drops of ghee
4. Arrange all fruits in a plate or tray
5. Cut all the flowers and arrange in plate or tray
6. Keep all the Pooja samagri around

Items List

#	Item	Notes	Clarifications
1	Turmeric powder 100 gms		
2	Kumkum powder 100 gms		
3	Agarbhati 1 packet		
4	Sandal powder 1 packet		
5	Camphor 1 packet		
6	Coconut 3 nos	Fresh coconuts	
7	Rice 2 lbs		
8	Rice powder 1 small packet		
9	Beetle (Pan) leaves 10		
10	Beetle nuts 15		
11	Flower garland 2	For bridge/groom	
12	Flower bunches/boquets 4		
13	Fruits 5 types 5 each		
14	Milk 1/2 gallon		
15	Sindoor / Kum Kum 1 pack		
16	Mangal sutra/cloth/shawl		As per your custom

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17	Coins	\$10 worth - mix of quarters and pennies.	
18	Oil lamp and wick		
19	Deepam 2		
20	Panchapatra and Uddirini	Silver base and spoon for doing rituals	
21	Paper cups, plates, spoons	Can be used if Panchapatra/Uddirini is not available	
22	Ghee 1 lb	For havan/homam.	If not performing havan/homam, just a few drops enough for Akshata.
23	Lajja (puffed rice) small pack	For havan/homam.	
24	Dried coconut 2 nos	For havan/homam.	Used for less smoke.
25	Dry sand - A small amount	For havan/homam.	Homam/Havan will be performed in the aluminum trays placed on the dry sand
26	Aluminum trays 4 nos	12x6 size tray or slightly larger.	Used for havan/homam and for the custom of washing legs
27	Fire lighter	For havan/homam.	Matchstick is acceptable
28	Big aluminum foil sheet roll	For havan/homam.	
29	Wood sticks (samith) - 1 bag / 1 lb	For havan/homam.	