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# Jewellery Quarter WEDDING *Guide*

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GET READY FOR YOUR DREAM DAY AND DISCOVER AN INSPIRING COLLECTION OF LOCAL WEDDING SUPPLIERS HERE IN BIRMINGHAM'S HISTORIC JEWELLERY QUARTER.



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# Welcome to a magical place...

Welcome to the historic Jewellery Quarter. With a name like that it's no surprise we're a famous pitstop for many bride and grooms planning their big day.

Renowned for our world-class jewellery designers, makers and retailers, you'll be able to find ever-lasting jewels to mark any chapter of your love story. Choose from engagement, wedding and eternity rings, or discover that special gift including watches, cufflinks, earrings and necklaces.

Whatever your style you're sure to find treasure here.

We're also a proud home to many independent retailers and craftspeople who will help you plan and complete your wedding dream including florists, cake makers, hair, beauty, tailors, and bridal gown shops. And of course not forgetting our stylish venues to host your big day, engagement party or hen/stag celebrations.

A city wedding with everything on your doorstep.

**WE INVITE YOU TO DISCOVER THE JEWELLERY QUARTER.**



# Wedding Florists

Whatever style you're aiming for, from blousy blooms to structural florals, our local florists are skilled designers of stunning bridal bouquets, button holes and floral accents for your venue.

**B2** **IN BLOOM**  
5 Spencer St,  
B18 6DD  
0121 554 4435  
inbloomflowers.co.uk

**A1** **RED ROSE  
FLORIST**  
43 Vyse St,  
B18 6HF  
0121 551 2002  
redroseflorist.co.uk

**B2** **LILY JONES  
FLOWERS**  
23 Augusta St,  
B18 6JA  
0121 448 7830  
lilyjonesflowers.co.uk

# Cakes & Sweet Treats

If you're dreaming of sky-high show-stoppers, or mini cupcakes, our local bakeries and cake designers have honed the skill of producing stunning cakes for weddings big and small. We're also home to a chocolatier, perfect for those table favours or special gifts for your wedding party.

**B2** **COFFEE TALES**  
*Scrumptious homemade  
cakes and tray bakes*  
Unit 2 Heritage Court  
17-21 Warstone Ln  
B18 6HP  
0121 212 3531  
coffee-tales.com

**B2** **THE CRAVERY  
CAKES**  
*Wedding Cake Specialists*  
Blackthorn House,  
Mary Ann St,  
St Paul's Sq, B3 1RL  
0345 257 2527  
thecravery.co.uk

**B2** **THE CHOCOLATE  
QUARTER**  
*Luxury chocolate gifts*  
1A Spencer St,  
B18 6DD  
0121 758 5151  
thechocolatequarter.com

# Wedding Photographers

Capture memories that will last forever by commissioning one of our resident wedding photographers. There to share your big day and snap those special once in a lifetime moments.

**A3** **AMY ROSE  
PHOTOGRAPHY**  
Studio 713, JQ Modern,  
120 Vyse St, B16 6NF  
07920 797 286  
amy-rose.co.uk

**A2** **DARRON PALMER  
PHOTOGRAPHY**  
23F Vyse St, B18 6LE  
07545 353 312  
darronpalmerphotography.co.uk

**A2** **TIANNA J WILLIAMS**  
14 Hylton St, B18 6HN  
07376 761 288  
tiannajwilliamsphotography.co.uk

**B6** **RAPHAEL LIONEL**  
Suite 10, Newhall Place,  
Newhall Hill, B1 3JH  
07811 270 511  
raphaellionelphotography.com



# Wedding Venues

If you're looking for somewhere to tie the knot, the JQ is host to a range of venues hosting both religious and civil ceremonies.

From historic places of worship to modern hotels, if you're set on a city centre wedding, then the Quarter offers so much. And when it comes to somewhere to celebrate, choose from our many restaurants and bars, from fine dining to craft breweries, there's an independent venue ready to offer you a friendly Brummie welcome and raise a toast for you.

# Venue Stylists

Planning the décor of your wedding venue can be an exciting, but also daunting experience. Luckily, we have a number of stylists in the Jewellery Quarter that are on hand to offer advice, guidance, and plenty of inspiration when planning your big day.

**BIRMINGHAM BALLOONS**  
*Balloon arches, backdrops & bubbles*  
Jewellery Quarter  
0121 554 6755  
birminghamballoons.co.uk

**A1 GOLDEN EVENTS**  
*Bespoke wedding decor*  
89 Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
0121 312 5333  
goldenevent.co.uk

**C3 IVY AND ROSE GIFTS**  
*Hampers, Bridesmaid gifts and personalised decorations*  
42 Caroline St, B3 1UE  
07480 444703  
@ivyandrosegifts

**A2 STYLE LODGE**  
*Style & pamper packages*  
Unit 18F Vyse St, B18 6LE  
07742 174 040  
stylelodge.co.uk

**A1 YACREATES**  
*Invitations, party favours & decorations*  
15c Pitsford St, B18 6LJ  
07928 521 223  
yacreates.com

**D5 ACTRESS & BISHOP**  
*Wedding reception*  
36 Ludgate Hill, B3 1EH  
0121 236 7426  
theactressandbishop.co.uk

**C6 COFFIN WORKS**  
*Wedding reception*  
13-15 Fleet St, B3 1JP  
0121 233 4790  
coffinworks.org

**D3 HAMPTON BY HILTON**  
*Accommodation*  
98-104 Constitution Hill, B19 3JT  
0121 227 1888  
hilton.com

**E1 HOCKLEY SOCIAL CLUB**  
*Wedding venue*  
60 Hampton St, B19 3LU  
hockleysocialclub.com

**D1 IRON HOUSE**  
*Wedding venue*  
Ground Floor, 174 Great Hampton Row, B19 3JP  
0121 517 0156  
iron-house.co.uk

**A4 PIG & TAIL**  
*Wedding reception*  
12-13 Albion St, B1 3ED  
0121 236 6676  
thepigandtail.co.uk

**B6 RAJDOOT**  
*Wedding reception*  
78-79 George St, B3 1PY  
0121 236 1116  
rajdootbirmingham.co.uk

**D4 SAINT PAULS HOUSE**  
*Wedding venue*  
15-20 St Paul's Sq, B3 1QU  
0121 272 0999  
saintpaulshouse.com

**D4 SOMEWHERE IN BRUM**  
*Wedding reception*  
30 Mary Ann St, B3 1RL  
0121 647 9051  
somewhereinbrum.com

**D4 ST PAUL'S CHURCH**  
*Wedding venue*  
St Paul's Sq, B3 1QZ  
0121 236 7858  
stpaulsjq.church

**A4 THE BUTTON FACTORY**  
*Wedding venue*  
25 Frederick St, B1 3HH  
0121 236 4653  
thebuttonfactory  
birmingham.co.uk

**C1 THE CHURCH INN**  
*Wedding reception*  
22 Great Hampton St, B18 6AQ  
07878 843 703  
thechurchinnjq.com

**E4 THE COMPOUND**  
*Wedding venue*  
80 Water St, B3 1HL  
0121 212 1245  
the-compound.co.uk



# Hair & Make-up

Make sure you're looking your best for your big day with some of Birmingham's most well renowned hair and make-up professionals located in the JQ.

**B2 BARBER JQ**  
3A Spencer St, B18 6DD  
07827 680 300  
@BarberJQ

**B2 BARBER THERAPY**  
58 Spencer St, B18 6DS  
07474 273273  
barbertherapy.co.uk

**B2 BEAUTY IN THE COURTYARD**  
Unit 5, 100 Spencer St, B18 6DB  
07852 173 982  
beautyinthecourtyard.co.uk

**D5 BLUNT BARBER**  
61 St Paul's Sq, B3 1QS  
0121 448 1230  
bluntbarber.com

**A4 COMMON INTERESTS**  
*Nails, lashes and brows*  
34 Tenby St, B1 3EE  
0121 448 7940  
@\_commoninterests

**C3 GLAMOUROUS BEAUTY SALON**  
15 Caroline St, B3 1TR  
07835 163 508

**A1 HAIR, NAILS & BEAUTY FOR YOU**  
87 Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
0121 523 7444  
hair-nails-beauty-for-you.  
business.site

**C3 HAZEL & HAYDN**  
25 Caroline St, B3 1UE  
0121 604 8886  
hazelandhaydn.co.uk

**D5 JAKE'S BARBERS**  
50-54 St Paul's Sq, B3 1QS  
0121 212 2231  
jakesbarbers.com

**B3 LUCKY\* BARBERS**  
1 Warstone Ln, B18 6BS  
0121 233 0376  
@lucky.bhx

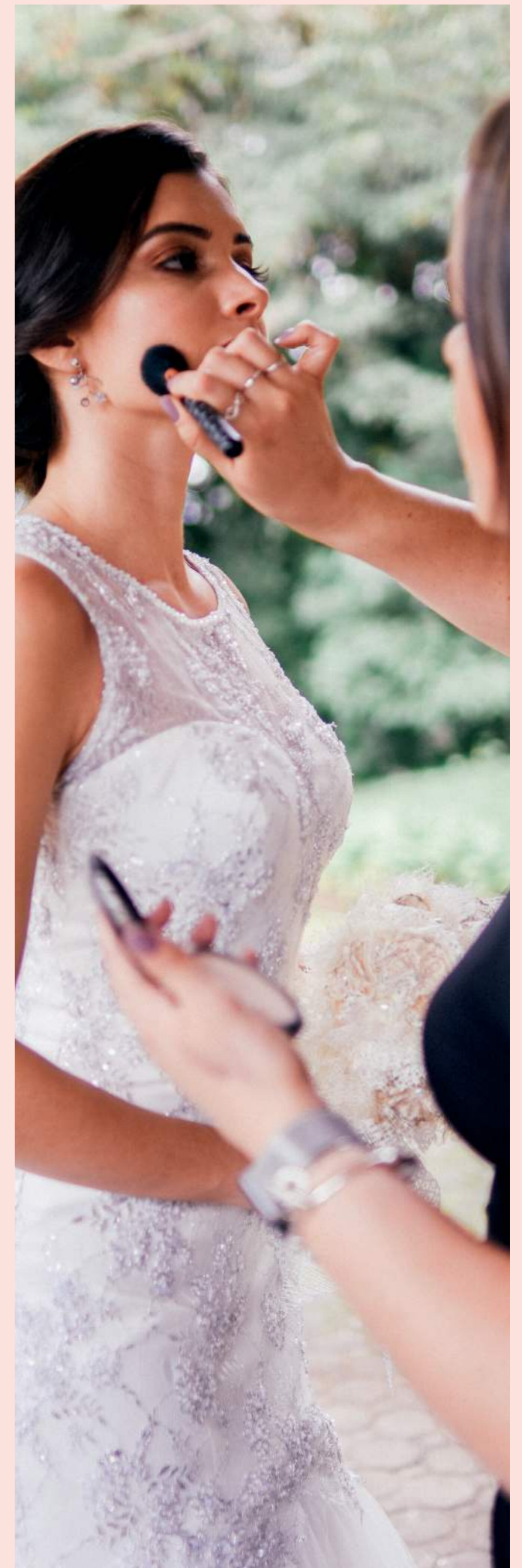
**C3 MEGATAN JEWELLERY QUARTER**  
47 Kenyon Street, B3 1UR  
07786 372371  
megatanonline.com

**C2 NAILS BAB**  
18a Hall St, B18 6BS  
0121 439 8188  
nailsbab.com

**C3 PICKLES AND CO**  
Ansty Court, Unit 11, 44 Kenyon St, B18 6AR  
0121 389 8498  
picklesandco.com

**C3 SPRING**  
*Curls only*  
18 Caroline St, B3 1TR  
0121 236 5598  
springisinthehair.com

**A4 THE ORB HAIR SALON**  
18 Albion St, B1 3ED  
0121 233 9645  
@orbhairltd



# Jewellery

## Makers & Shops

The Quarter contains Europe's largest concentration of manufacturing jewellers, between them producing more than 40% of UK jewellery output. Combining the very best of traditional craftsmanship with innovative designs and high-quality materials, they create beautifully crafted custom jewellery. No matter your style or the occasion, you're sure to find something special here in the JQ – after all, it's what our area is famous for! The streets are brimming with retailers and studios selling everything from unique antique jewels to bespoke handcrafted pieces. Whether it's a traditional or contemporary style, the friendly family-run businesses will help you to purchase your dream piece of jewellery.



**A3** **A & A JEWELLERY**  
34 Northampton St,  
B18 6DX  
0121 687 3363  
aajewellery.co.uk

**A3** **A & N JEWELLERY**  
32 Northampton St  
0121 236 2263  
aandnjewellery.co.uk

**B3** **AARIYA DIAMONDS**  
5 Warstone Ln, B18 6JE  
0121 638 0618  
aariyadiamonds.com

**B3** **ANDREEA DESIGN**  
197A (ground floor)  
Warstone Ln, B18 6JR  
0747 3920 793  
andreedesign.com

**A1** **ANEES MALIK**  
Unit 5, 100 Spencer St,  
B18 6DE  
@AneesMalikJewellery  
*Appointment only*

**A1** **ARDEN JEWELLERY**  
51 Vyse St, B18 6HS  
0121 554 3587

**ARTFUL EXPRESSION**  
Spencer St, B18 6JQ  
0121 212 0430  
artfullexpression.co.uk  
*Online only*

**B3** **ASPIRE DIAMONDS**  
35 Warstone Ln, B18 6JQ  
0121 236 5799  
aspirediamonds.com

**A2** **ASTELLA**  
15 Vyse St, B18 6LE  
0121 507 0259  
@astellajewellery

**A1** **AURORAS COLLECTION**  
87 Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
07967 161 745  
@auroras.collection

**B3** **AUSTEN AND BLAKE**  
37 Warstone Ln, B18 6JQ  
0121 271 0058  
austenblake.com

**A2** **BELLE JEWELLERY**  
15 Pitsford St, B18 6LJ  
0121 554 8055  
belle-jewellery.com

**A2** **BICKNELL'S JEWELLERS**  
12-13 Vyse St, B18 6LE  
0121 523 3417  
bicknells.com

**B2** **BIRMINGHAM STONE**  
36 Augusta St, B18 6JA  
0121 236 1418  
birminghamstonecutting.co.uk

**A2** **BOND & MARTIN JEWELLERS**  
17 Vyse St, B18 6LE  
0121 551 6806  
bondandmartin.com

**A3** **BOND JEWELLERY & DIAMONDS**  
11, JQ Modern, B18 6NA  
0121 238 9914  
bondjewellery.co.uk

**A3** **BRITANNIA JEWELLERY**  
42 Frederick St, B1 3HN  
0121 212 1715  
britannia-jewellery.co.uk

**B3** **CHESHIRE JEWELLERS**  
10 Warstone Ln, B18 6JB  
0121 200 3308  
cheshiresjewellers.co.uk

**A2** **CLASSIC DIAMONDS**  
16 Vyse St, B18 6LE  
0121 554 8877  
classicdiamonds.co.uk

**C2** **CRYSTALINK JEWELLERY**  
35 Hall St, B18 6BS  
0121 233 2547  
crystalink.co.uk

**A2** **DESIGN CENTRE**  
114 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 236 4491  
designcentrejewellery.com

**B2** **DESIGNER JEWELS**  
4 Augusta St, B18 6JA  
0121 233 9191  
designerjewels.uk

**A2** **DIAMOND CREATIONS**  
108 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 236 4567  
diamond-creations.co.uk

**B3** **DIAMOND DEALER**  
43 Warstone Ln, B18 6JJ  
0121 236 1907  
diamonddealerdirect.co.uk

**A2** **DIAMOND HEAVEN**  
115 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 200 1177  
diamond-heaven.co.uk

**A3** **DIAMOND QUARTER**  
The Golden Square,  
Warstone Ln, B18 6JW  
0121 638 0200  
diamond-quarter.co.uk

**A3** **DIAMONDS FACTORY**  
Shop 12, JQ Modern,  
Warstone Ln, B18 6NF  
0121 222 1567  
diamondsfactory.co.uk

**A3** **DISCOUNT GOLD AND SILVER**  
44 Warstone Ln, B18 6JJ  
0121 200 1344  
discountedgoldandsilver.co.uk

**A3** **DRIPGOLD LTD.**  
43 Vyse St, B18 6HF  
0121 554 4402  
dripgold.co.uk

**A2** **E.A.G ENGRAVING**  
17 Pitsford St B18 6LJ  
0121 554 2430  
eag-engraving.co.uk

**LANE JEWELLERY**  
07773 394413  
eanjewellery.com  
*Online only*

**B3** **ELEMENT BESPOKE JEWELLERY**  
3 Warstone Ln, B18 6JE  
0121 236 1119  
elementbespokejewellery.com

**A1** **GEMPORT JEWELLERY**  
Jewellery Business Centre,  
95 Spencer St, B18 6DA  
0121 448 5545  
gemportjewellery.co.uk

**A2** **GH MOORE & SON**  
19 Vyse St, B16 6LE  
0121 523 6488  
ghmoore.co.uk

**HELLCAT JEWELLERY**  
94 Spencer St, B18 6DB  
07896 049009  
hellcatjewellery.com  
*Online only*

**A2** **HOCKLEY JEWELLERS**  
103-104 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 728 8345  
hockleyjewellers.com

**B3** **HOUSE OF SOLUS**  
16 Hockley St, B18 6BL  
07920 404862  
houseofsolus.co.uk  
*Appointment only*

**A3** **J&M JEWELLERS**  
39 Warstone Ln, B18 6JQ  
0121 236 6343

**A1** **JAMES NEWMAN**  
49 Vyse St, B18 6HF  
0121 245 1555  
jamesnewmanjewellery.co.uk

**A2** **JQ DIAMONDS**  
112 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 236 4010  
jqdiamonds.com

**B3** **K.M.TAYLOR JEWELLERY**  
15 Warstone Mews,  
B18 6JB  
0121 212 4974  
kmtaylorjewellers.co.uk

**KATE SMITH**  
0121 240 8717  
katesmithjewellery.co.uk  
*Online only*

**A2** **KENSINGTON JEWELLERY**  
88a Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
0121 551 9933  
kensington-jewellers.co.uk

**A2** **KK JEWELLERS**  
40 Northampton St,  
B18 6DX  
0121 236 1380

**A2** **LA MONS JEWELLERY**  
18 Vyse St, B18 6LE  
0121 515 4726

**B3** **LLOYDS JEWELLERY**  
3 Warstone Ln, B18 6JE  
0121 233 1158  
@lloydsjewellersjq

**B3** **LORA LEEDHAM**  
23-24 Warstone Ln,  
B18 6JQ  
0121 236 4290  
loraleedham.co.uk  
*Appointment only*

**A2** **LYNALL & CO.**  
102 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 236 4611  
nigellynall.com  
*Appointment only*

**A3** **MARLOW'S JEWELLERS**  
46 Warstone Ln,  
B18 6JJ  
0121 236 4415  
marlows-diamonds.co.uk

**C3** **MICHELE DESIGNER JEWELLERY**  
85 Caroline St, B3 1UP  
0121 624 8624  
artisan-alchemy.co.uk

**A2** **MITCHEL & CO.**  
3-4, JQ Modern,  
Warstone Ln, B18 6NA  
0121 233 0511  
mitchelandco.com

**A2** **NEWY'S JEWELLERS**  
118 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 233 1846  
neweysjewellers.co.uk

**B3** **PAUL GREEN JEWELLERS**  
27 Warstone Ln, B18 6JQ  
0121 200 1139  
@paulgreenjewellers  
birmingham

**A2** **PLATINUM JEWELLERS**  
40 Vyse St, B18 6JY  
0121 523 6900  
platinumjewellers.co.uk

**B3** **QUARTER JEWELLERY**  
29 Warstone Ln, B18 6JQ  
0121 236 5279

**B3** **S.P.GREEN & CO. LTD.**  
34 Warstone Lane, B18 6JQ  
0121 233 0486  
spgreen.com

**A3** **SAMSON GOLD**  
9 Vyse St, B18 6LT  
0121 236 7075  
samsongold.co.uk

**B2** **SELECTIVEGOLD**  
40 Augusta Street, B18 6JA  
0121 236 3880  
selectivegold.com

**A2** **SHIRLEY'S**  
30 Northampton St, B18 6DX  
0121 236 7822  
arnettcreations.co.uk

**A1** **SILVERFISH JEWELLERY**  
48 Vyse St, B18 6HF  
0121 554 4575  
silverfishjewellery.co.uk

**A2** **SONNY'S JEWELLERS**  
105 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 236 2426  
sonnysjewellers.com

**A2** **STANLEY'S JEWELLERS**  
113 Vyse St, B18 6LP  
0121 236 7806  
stanleysjewellers.co.uk

**A1** **SUMMER & SILVER**  
88 Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
0121 448 5335  
summerandsilver.co.uk

**B3** **THE DIAMOND CENTRE**  
36 Warstone Ln, B18 6JQ  
0121 236 6803  
the-diamond-centre.uk

**103** **THE GEM STUDIO**  
60 Frederick St, B1 3HS  
07702 403336  
thegemstudio.co.uk  
*Appointment only*

**C6** **THE QUARTER WORKSHOP**  
13-15 Fleet St, B3 1JP  
thequarterworkshop.com  
*By appointment only*

**A1** **THE STONE ROOM AT 93**  
93 Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
0121 523 6100  
thestoneroomat93.co.uk

**B3** **TIFFANY'S DIAMONDS**  
3 Augusta St, B18 6JA  
0121 233 1234

**A3** **TOP JEWELLERY**  
Shop 8, JQ Modern,  
Warstone Ln, B18 6NA  
0121 236 9429  
topjewellery.co.uk

**A2** **TOUCHSTONE JEWELLERY**  
36 Northampton St, B18 6DX  
0121 236 5511  
touchstonejewellery.co.uk

**B2** **UNIVERSAL GEMS LIMITED**  
7 Warstone Ln, Augusta St,  
B18 6JB  
0121 236 1334  
universalgems.co.uk

**A2** **VAULT 88**  
89 Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
0121 523 7389  
vault88.com

**A1** **VICTORIA JAMES**  
39 Vyse St, B18 6JY  
victoria-james.co.uk

**C2** **VICTORIA MANSIONS**  
34 Hall St, B18 6BS  
@victoria\_mansions

**A1** **WARDS**  
22 Vyse St, B18 6LE  
0121 554 0258  
wardsmandjgems.co.uk

**B3** **WARSTONE JEWELLERS**  
33 Warstone Ln, B18 6JQ  
0121 236 3936  
warstonejewellers.co.uk

# Wedding Dresses & Tailors



Looking to say yes to the dress? Choose from one of our many Bridal boutiques and discover a huge range of gorgeous gowns. And for the groomsmen, why not commission a bespoke piece of tailoring for your big day?

- A2 DOLLS OF DECADENCE**  
*Bridesmaid's dresses*  
Studio 18F Vyse St, B18 6LE  
07507 164810  
dollsofdecadence.co.uk
- B1 FRONTIER RAAS**  
*Asian Bridal Superstore*  
90 Great Hampton St, B18 6EU  
0121 227 5400  
frontierraas.com
- A1 HONOR GOLD**  
*Bridesmaid's dresses*  
86 Vyse St, B18 6JZ  
0121 523 2063  
honorgold.co.uk
- A2 KARLUS G TAILOR**  
*Tailoring*  
17F Vyse St, B18 6LE  
0121 603 6114  
karluscg-tailor.co.uk
- B2 LOTTIE MARIE BRIDAL**  
*Curve Specialists (sizes 12-32)*  
95 Spencer St, B18 6DA  
07931 424566  
@lottiemariebridal
- C3 ROMANTIC DREAMS**  
*Bridalware*  
29 Caroline St, B3 1UQ  
0121 236 4970  
romanticdreams.co.uk
- A3 ZIGGI MENSWEAR**  
*Tailoring*  
35 Frederick St, B1 3HH  
07814 429428  
ziggimenswear.com

# Hen Party & Stag Do Ideas

From jewellery making classes and chocolate workshops, to whisky tasting and escape rooms. Make your hen or stag weekend one to remember with plenty of unique experiences that can only be found in the Jewellery Quarter.



- E5 ACTRESS AND BISHOP**  
*Live music*  
36 Ludgate Hill, B3 1EH  
0121 236 7426  
theactressandbishop.co.uk
- E5 ARCH 13 AT CONNOLLY'S**  
*Wine tasting*  
220 Livery St, B3 1EU  
0121 794 6636  
arch13bar.co.uk
- ESCAPE ROOMS**  
*Across the Jewellery Quarter  
Five escape rooms to choose  
from including: Escape Live,  
Escape Brum, Escape Reality,  
Clue HQ, Exciting Game*
- A1 GRAIN & GLASS**  
*Whisky tasting*  
75-80 Vyse St, B18 6HA  
0121 551 5942  
grainandglass.co
- B2 GULP**  
*Sensory food experience*  
Unit 9, First Floor,  
58 Spencer St, B18 6DS  
07834 244609  
kayewinwood.com
- D4 SAINT PAULS HOUSE**  
*Cocktail masterclass*  
15-20 St Paul's Sq,  
B3 1QU  
0121 272 0999  
saintpaulshouse.com
- B2 THE CHOCOLATE QUARTER**  
*Chocolate making classes*  
1A Spencer St, B18 6DD  
0121 758 5151  
thechocolatequarter.com
- E5 THE HIDEOUT**  
*Board Game Bar and Café*  
Arches 20 & 21,  
Lionel St, B3 1AG  
0333 335 0030  
thehideoutbirmingham.co.uk
- C6 THE QUARTERWORKSHOP**  
*Jewellery making classes*  
13-15 Fleet St, B3 1JP  
thequarterworkshop.com
- D5 THE RECTORY & 180 CLUB**  
*Darts*  
50-54 St Paul's Sq, B3 1QS  
0121 605 1001  
therectorybirmingham.co.uk

# Wedding Ring Guide

A wedding ring should be an individual as you are, and the Jewellery Quarter is full of designers, makers and retailers who can help you both find the perfect wedding rings.

## METAL CHOICE

The most important thing when considering the right metal choice, is simply personal preference. Many rings are also made from two metals which can look beautiful.

### Platinum

Platinum is the most durable option for a ring. It has a naturally white colour which means it won't fade like other pieces can. Thanks to its strength, weight and colour, it is the metal most likely to stand the test of time. Due to its array of qualities, it also has the highest value of the metals listed.

### White Gold

This metal is the most popular choice for wedding rings. Due to its striking white colour, it is one of the best choices for allowing diamonds to stand out.

### Yellow Gold

This metal is a very traditional choice and is perfect for someone looking for an elegant, classic ring that will never go out of style.

### Rose Gold

This option has become much more popular in recent years, making it a modern choice popular for those with a unique style.

### Titanium

Titanium is an affordable and hypoallergenic metal and rings won't crack under pressure as it is very durable. However, titanium rings can't be resized and are dull compared to platinum.

## WIDTH & WEIGHT

The width of ring you choose is also personal preference. A thicker ring might suit your style or be more practical if you have concerns about wear and tear. Ring widths vary between very narrow (2mm) and very wide (8mm). There are lightweight, mediumweight and heavyweight ring options available, depending on the thickness of the band.

## SHAPE

The main decision is whether to have a plain band or one which is shaped.

Some shapes such as wishbone and ribbon shaped rings are very popular. You may also have a bespoke ring shape created to perfectly match an engagement ring. Diamond set and patterned wedding bands are also very popular.

The profile of wedding bands come in a number of different shapes, these are some of the most common. There are also many other options such as as D shaped, flat, bevelled and convex rings. We recommend trying them on to see what suits you and feels comfortable.

### Traditional court

This ring profile is rounded on both the exterior and interior. This is a classic and timeless shape for wedding bands.

### Soft court

A soft court is rounded but this shape is less pronounced on the exterior, whilst still being nicely rounded on the inside for comfort.

### Flat court

A flat ring profile on the exterior of the ring, but still rounded on the inside of your finger.



### MAKING IT YOUR OWN

Many couples now choose to add diamonds or other favourite gemstones to their rings, and there are different options for settings which can be delicate or durable depending on your needs.

You can also personalise your ring with different finishes – most wedding bands have a traditional bright finish but sandblasted and hammered finishes are popular too.

Engraving names and wedding dates inside the ring is also a beautiful personal touch.

A very personal ring can be created by choosing a fully bespoke service or even by remaking an existing piece of jewellery such as a family heirloom into a new wedding band.

### DIAMONDS

When it comes to purchasing your diamonds, always remember the 4 Cs:

#### Colour

An evaluation of the absence of colour. The highest colour grade is D which is the whitest. Z has the most colour presence.

#### Cut

The cut grade refers to the way the chosen diamond interacts with light. The more accurate the cut, the brighter the diamond will appear.

#### Clarity

A test for clarity identifies any blemishes within the stone. This is tested under a magnification loupe as some are too small for the human eye to see! The more blemishes, the lower the quality.

#### Carat

This is a measurement of weight and not perceived size. Although the larger the carat, the larger the diamond generally is.

### STONE SHAPE

-  Round
-  Princess
-  Oval
-  Pear
-  Marquise
-  Emerald
-  Radiant
-  Cushion
-  Heart
-  Asscher



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