



Who Pays What at a Bachelorette Party?

Quick Responsibility Checklist by Role

The Bride

- Pays for her own travel (if destination)
- May cover personal lodging
- Usually does not pay for group events
- Typical contribution: 0–20%

Maid of Honor

- Pays all her own expenses
- May cover upfront deposits or bookings
- Often spends more on planning materials or surprises
- Contributes slightly more to the bride's share
- Typical contribution: 10–20% more than other guests

General Guests

- Responsible for their own travel, meals, and lodging
- Contribute to the cost of group activities they join
- May help cover bride's portion of shared events
- Should discuss costs early if joining major activities

Bridesmaids

- Pay for their own travel and accommodation
- Share cost of group meals and activities
- Chip in for decorations or party favors
- May contribute to a group gift or surprise
- Typical contribution: Own costs + shared bride expenses

Mother of the Bride

- Covers her own costs
- May sponsor a meal or special activity as a gift
- Contribution is similar to general attendees
- Optional: Adds to the bride's expenses

NOTES :

★ Clear planning creates space for joy. When everyone feels included and knows what to expect, the celebration becomes meaningful and easy to enjoy. 🍷

