



Finding Your Headpiece Style

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You're about to find out your headpiece style, so use these words for your search:

- * *Tiara*: A small or large piece that may be adorned with crystals, pearls or gemstones, or fashioned from intricate silver braiding or design
- * *Headband*: A full headwrap or slide-on clip, the headband may be solid fabric such as a shiny satin, or a pearl or crystal-adorned width.
- * *Crown*: As the name implies, a small and simple or larger and more ornate, jewel-studded full crown that attaches to your head via hair combs or clips. Your personality will decide the size – small and delicate for a touch of regal look, or large and dramatic.

* *Wreath*: A full circle made from flowers and greenery. For a more up-to-date and less bulky look, beads and crystals interspersed with tiny blossoms, such as hyacinth blossoms, is gorgeous.

* *Profile*: A jeweled piece, much like a barrette in wide or thin design, attached appropriately to your hairstyle, most often to the side of your hair's part.

* *Hat*: From brimmed garden hat to pillbox hat, this one may be adorned with ribbon or flowers.

* *Juliet cap*: A circular cap that fits over the top of your head, usually unadorned.

* *Snood*: A patterned, lace or crocheted 'bun holder' that secures an up-do in style. (We told you we'd get to this!)

* *Hairpins and hair accents*: Your hair stylist will attach jeweled, crystal or pearl pins to the perfect spots in your updo, chignon, or throughout a loose and flowing hair style. Pins may be used on their own or to attach individually wired fresh flower blossoms.

What does it say about you if you wear a tiara for your wedding?

What does the traditional headpiece signify to you?

Do you prefer plain or adorned headpieces or clips?

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