Affordable Wedding Décor

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Ready To Rose

Save on the bouquet by staying away from an over-the-top arrangement. A smaller cluster of flowers (sold ready to go), wrapped in simple satin ribbon and dotted with three-to-a-pack jewel scatters, makes an elegant statement—one that won't steal the show from you and your carefully chosen dress.

First Chair

Chair covers can feel stuffy, but this inexpensive embellishment is light as air. Catch plain white tulle between basic wooden embroidery hoops. Then glue on strips of assorted ribbons to float on the breeze. Accompanying bride and groom signs: blue paper, glittered ribbon and a silver leaf pen.

Take The Cake

Custom cake stand solution: a plain foam cake base, embellished with strips of ribbon. Use straight pins to hold them in place.

Well Lapel

Quick groom accessory: rose boutonnière with a ribbon-wrapped stem

Once Upon a Card

A decorative birdcage–embellished with ribbon, feathers and a handmade banner–offers style and charm as well as a way to corral cards and well wishes. After all, functional décor is the best décor.

Arbor Day

You can customize a plain white wedding arch without investing in a bower of floral garlands. Ribbon, wrapped round and round the metal, is great for adding color. And for personality? A playful arrangement of simple paper pompoms—we hung a variety of sizes at various lengths for interest—is a trendy fix.

Show Me A Sign

For an upscale take on a paper banner, use readymade chipboard pennants. You can cover them with paper to match your décor. The secret to making this project look more expensive than it is: letters cut from glittered cardstock and crystal-inspired acrylic droplets taken from a decorative garland.

Sweet & Greet

We brought an indoor table outside to create this pretty little sign-in station. And we touched up a simple guestbook with leftover ribbon and a tiny coral rose. Our strategic splurge: a brand new decorative birdcage. It was a fun way to corral cards for the bride and groom—and it added some much-needed drama to the setup.

Best Vase Scenario

Instead of buying new containers, round up all the clear vases (or bottles) you can find. Then unify them by embellishing with decorative tape or ribbon.

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8.97	Sand (3)
29.99	Arch
46.40	Ribbons
33.92	Pompoms
10.98	Plates
6.98	Napkins
14.99	Guestbook
19.99	Birdcage
10.98	Tulle
2.99	"&" sign
9.99	Letter "S"
9.99	Letter "J"
9.99	Coral rose garland
9.99	Server ware
29.99	Sand glass set
9.99	Champagne flutes
11.97	Glitter silver tape (3)
35.96	Frame
40.00	Bouquet
21.99	Foam cakestand
19.99	Cake topper
11.98	Party favor bags (2)
7.99	Wood plaque
2.99	Boutonniere
3.99	Bubbles

Budget-Friendly Essentials:

sand ceremony set and unity sand frame, embellished as desired

Make basic glass canisters wedding worthy with tulle, glitter tape and a little bridal **bling.**

Coordinating Embellishments:

ribbon, feather pick, glitter tape and a single coral flower

Easy Centerpiece:

paper-maché letters glued to a wooden plaque

UPSCALE DETAIL:

simple satin ribbon topped with elegant jewel scatters

Toss Spot:

birdseed-filled favor bags and bubbles with ribbon add-ons

Simplicity With Panache:

lush floral embellishments and a sweet ready-to-go cake topper.

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