

Dating Checklist

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- Before Dating
 - Write down what is most important to you in a mate.
 - Determine if age matters.
 - Contemplate how important the person's financial status is to you.
 - Decide if having children is a priority with you.
 - Determine your ideal mix of looks and personality when it comes to a date.
 - Determine if what your family thinks matters to you.
 - Ponder if your date is educated enough to suit you.
 - Have a positive mental attitude.
 - Set yourself some do's and don'ts for dating.
- Looking for a Date
 - Broaden your social network.
 - Take up a new hobby or activity.
 - Let your friends and family know you're ready to date.
 - Try online dating.
- Dating
 - You have to be willing and ready to meet your perfect mate.
 - Be confident.
 - Walk into a room with a smile on.
 - Date slowly.
 - Date with realistic expectations.
 - Do not be afraid to show your likes and dislikes, thoughts and feelings.
 - Be a good listener.
 - Maintain good eye contact.
 - Show an interest in what your mate is interested in.