

Miss to Mrs

AEE Tip: DO NOT book your honeymoon or any other flights or trips with your new name until you have matching identification. If you are leaving on a honeymoon right after the wedding, wait until you get back to the States to start this process.

- Get a certified copy of your marriage license ([How to Obtain a Marriage License](#))
 - You can buy one when you apply for your marriage license. It's an extra \$9 dollars and must be purchased with cash.
 - If you don't obtain one at your application, you can apply for one online for \$19 [here](#).
 - Or you can go to the same office you applied for your marriage certificate to obtain one.
- Change your Social Security card
 - Fill out this [application](#).
 - You can mail in the application or go in person. Find a location [here](#).
 - Bring:
 - your certified marriage certificate,
 - current I.D.
 - filled out application
 - If you mail it in, make copies of the documents and send it.
 - You will receive your new card with your updated name (but same number) in 10-15 business days.
- Change your license at the DMV
 - Wait at least 3-4 business days for government records to be updated to show your new Social Security card in the system (or wait to receive your new SS card in the mail).
 - Bring:
 - your old license
 - certified marriage certificate

- new Social Security card (if you have it)
- If your address has changed, bring proof of that by a piece of mail, etc and get it changed at the same time.
- Bring your checkbook or cash with you to pay for fees (usually \$7-15).
- You will receive a temporary paper I.D. and receive your new I.D. in the mail within 2-4 weeks.
- AEE Tip: While you're there, you can update the name on your Car Title, add your spouse as 'Transfer on Death' and update your voter registration. Check in with a desk agent as often times they'll do it automatically for you!
- Change/update your bank accounts
 - Bring
 - new Social Security card
 - updated I.D.
 - certified marriage license
 - necessary bank information
 - Request new checks and debit and credit cards
 - This is the time to create a joint bank account, update mortgage payments, investment accounts, and make other account updates.
 - AEE Tip: stop all auto payments/withdrawals that are connected to your credit/debit cards and bank account while going through this process.

Now that all of that is complete, you can move on to the rest! Don't worry - it (can be) fun!

- Update:
 - HR department at work.

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- Bring:
 - Social Security card
 - marriage license (just in case)
 - new I.D.
- Your payroll should be updated now and make sure to inform them of new addresses and any new routing for Direct Deposit due to a bank change.
- AEE Tip: as you update these items, remember to re-route any auto payments to your new credit/debit card or bank account.
- Post Office (fill out this [form](#))
- Passport (fill out an application [here](#) usually this entails a renewal fee)
- Voter Registration ([apply here](#))
- Email address (or at least the name that appears when you email others)
- Social Media accounts
 - Facebook
 - Instagram
 - LinkedIn
 - Twitter
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- Other monetary related items
 - Credit Cards separate from your bank (ask for an updated card to be sent to you, usually takes 5-10 business days)
 - Venmo
 - Paypal
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- Home / Living items
 - Utilities
 - Mortgage / Lease Agreements
 - Cell Phone
 - TV / Internet
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- Insurance
 - Car
 - Home
 - Life
 - Medical
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- Doctors' Offices (often can be changed on your next visit)
- School and Other Loans
- IRS (can be changed during tax season)
- Will / Trust (keep in mind you may need to update your parents' as well if you are listed as a beneficiary)
- Professional Licenses
 - contact the relevant licensing board to get your certificates updated with your new name [for doctors, nurses, lawyers, business owners, notaries]
- Miscellaneous
 - Streaming Services (Netflix, Hulu)
 - Online Subscriptions
 - Magazine Subscriptions
 - Clubs and Associations
 - Airline Miles, Loyalty Clubs
 - Gym Membership