WELCOME **THEME** WHAT IS THE PARTY BASED ON? WHAT ARE VARIOUS GAMES OR ACTIVITIES WHILE CHILDREN ARE ARRIVING, WHAT CAN KEEP THEM WHAT'S THE COLOR SCHEME? TO ROTATE THROUGH? LOCATIONS FOR ACTIVITIES? WHO WILL SUPERVISE DIFFERENT ACTIVITIES? BUSY AND EXCITED WHILE OTHERS ARE ARRIVING? FACE PAINTING, COLORING PARTY RELATED ITEMS, BLOW UP BALLOONS, ETC. **CAKE** INVITATIONS PHOTO OP **HOMEMADE OR PURCHASED? BACKDROP? LOCATION?** PURCHASED, ONLINE IDEAS, HOMEMADE IF HAND-DELIVERED, WHAT CAN BE INCLUDED? CAN IT BE DECORATED WITH CANDY, PROPS OR COSTUMES? IF MAILED, HOW CAN THEY BE DRESSED UP? TAGS, PAPER TOPPERS, ETC. **SURPRISE FOOD** DÉCOR WHAT WILL "WOW" THE BIRTHDAY CHILD & THE GUESTS & HAVE THEM TALKING FOR DAYS? SPECIAL GUEST, MAGIC SHOW, ANIMAL, OUTSIDE ACTIVITY WILL YOU SERVE A MEAL, SNACKS OR TREATS? TISSUE POMS, LANTERNS, WHAT CAN BE MADE AHEAD OF TIME? PAPER FLOWERS, PENNANT BANNERS, ETC. **MAIN TABLE PARTY FAVORS** MUSIC WHAT SONGS WILL ADD WHAT IS A PERSONALIZED WAY TO THANK GUESTS? WHAT CAN ADD IMPACT, HEIGHT & DRAMA? TO THE AMBIENCE & THEME? KEEP WITH THEME OR COLOR SCHEME, PERSONALIZED CAKE STANDS, DESSERT TRAYS, GLASS JARS, APOTHECARY JARS, ETC. PLAY FROM IPOD OR PHONE? SPEAKERS? TAGS, PACKAGING