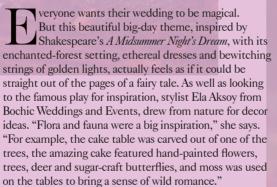








"Flora and fauna were a big inspiration. The cake featured hand-painted flowers, trees, deer and sugar-craft butterflies"



The fairy-tale woodland theme continued with fun details such as stags, antlers, gold-painted donkeys, tiny gold keys and wooden mushrooms nestled between tree stumps, while hundreds of lanterns and candles cast a romantic glow over the setting. Even the fabulous food and natural stationery looked as if it could have been made from the surrounding woodland.

A look like this calls for free-flowing blooms, and florist Willow & Thyme achieved the perfect forest-style arrangements by contrasting large roses and lots of foliage with more dainty flowers and soft mosses. "The overall style was wild, overflowing and unstructured," says Ela. "Flowers featured everywhere, from the lush bouquets and oversized flower crown to the pretty flowers in the bride's plait."





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CEREMONY SETTING

If you've chosen a woodland-wedding setting, space is on your side. Make the most of it by having a dedicated ceremony area and go to town with standout details, like the beautiful boho tepee frame and willow arbour the team created for this shoot. Use festoon lights and candles to lighten up the aisle, and think about fun details that will look great in the photos, such as a pretty rope swing hanging from a tree and wooden toadstools.



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