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Description of material	Quantity
Material For Annaprashan Pooja	
Silver Bowl and Silver Spoon for feeding the baby (if possible brand new). 	1 set
Golden Chain for baby	1
Any other golden article like ring, bracelet etc...	optional
New dress for the baby	1
Round/Rectangle Silver/Stainless Steel Plate/Tray  	1
Different articles like Calculator, Dollar Bill (\$5, \$10, \$100), Pen, Pencil, Cell Phone, Crayons, painting brush, musical instrument, book, writing pad etc... All these articles which indicate different professions are kept in the plate in front of the Baby. It is believed that which ever object the baby picks up or touches may be the career for the baby; so add any other items creatively as you wish.	
Red Yellow, Green, Rangoli Colors. Decorate the entrance of your house with an attractive Rangoli Design. You can also use colored chalks or crayons. 	1 Small Bowl each
Rangoli (fine powder of white stone, used to create decorative designs in front of the door of the house)	1 Small Bowl
Rice Grains	2 bowls
Door Hanging 	1
Material for Anna Prashan Vidhi Dais (Stage/Platform)	
Chaurang - 4 legged wooden square stool (approx. 18"X18"X6-8"). (Small rectangular folding coffee tray, or even a square or rectangular corrugated box will serve the purpose) 	1
Shankha - Conch 	1
Ghanta – Bell (Silver/Stainless Steel) 	1
Ganesh Murti (Silver/Brass/Copper/Stainless Steel)	1
Kul-Devata (Family Deity), Lakshmi Murti (Silver/Brass/Copper/Stainless Steel), photos or coins.	1 each
Decorative cloth on the Chaurang (Dais) table cloth, shawl etc...	1
Samai (Brass/Stainless Steel/silver Lamp) 	1-2

Description of material	Quantity
Seating Mattresses (1 for Panditji, 2 for host couple)	3
Match Box or Gas Lighter	1
Cello Tape	1
Scissor/knife for cutting thread etc...	1
Paper Napkins	1 Roll
(3) Material for Host for performing Annaprashan Pooja	Quantity
Kalash/Loti (Silver/Copper/Stainless Steel). Traditional Indian pot used for keeping drinking water during lunch or dinner, can also be used if Pooja Kalash is not available. 	1
Tamhan/Purnapatra (7-8" diameter) (Silver/Copper/Stainless Steel Plate traditionally used in Pooja one is used for keeping on Kalash & other is used for Pooja Vidhi) 	2
Panchpatra/Bhande (Silver/Copper/Stainless Steel – traditional Indian pot used for drinking water during lunch or dinner, it is about 3 inches in height & 2.5 inches in diameter) & Pali (Silver/Copper/Stainless Steel – traditional spoon used in pooja) 	1 set
Niranjan (Silver/Brass/Stainless Steel Lamp with one wick used with ghee) 	1
Water Jar/Jug/Bottle (½ Gallon) (Stainless Steel/Plastic)	1
Utensil/Bowl (½ Gallon) (Stainless Steel/Plastic) for keeping used water 	1
5 types of Fruits (Mango, Banana, Apple, Orange, Pear, Peach etc...)	5 each Total 25
1 Dollar Bills	8
Quarter Coins	8
Cotton Balls (Approximately 1-2" diameter cotton balls) 	3-4
Janve (Janeu) (Holy Thread) 	2 pairs
Red thread (Moli) 	1 Reel
Tray/Plate #1 - Gandhakshata	Quantity
Akshata (Rice Grains mixed with Kumkum)	1 Small Bowl
Haldi (Turmeric Powder)	1/2 Small Bowl
Kumkum (Red Powder)	1/2 Small Bowl
Sandalwood Powder or tablets.	1 small packet
Ashtagandha (Scented Orange Powder)	1/4 Small Bowl
Tray/Plate #2 - Dhoop Aarti (Prayer)	Quantity
Agarbatti (Thin Incense Sticks)	1 box
Dhoop (Thick Incense Sticks/Cones/crystals etc...)	1 box
Kapur (Camphor)	1 Box
Tray/Plate #3 - Naivedya (Offering)	Quantity

Description of material	Quantity
Beatle leaves with stem 	12
Beatle Nuts 	25
Pancha khadya - (5 types of dry fruits) e.g. Kharik (Dry Dates), Kaju (Cashews), Badam (Almonds) Manuka (Resins), Piste (Pistachio)	7-8 each
Dry Coconut small triangular pieces 	7-8
Gud (Jagary) small pieces 	7-8
Khadisakhar (Sugar Crystals)	1 Small Bowl
Naral/Nariyal - (Coconuts with water) 	5
Tray/Plate #4 - Naivedya (Offering)	Quantity
Panchamrut (Mixture of Milk, Curd, Ghee, Honey, Sugar)	1 bowl
Any one sweet of your choice e.g. Pedhe / Barphi / Ladu / khir etc...	As needed
Tray/Plate #5 - Pushpam - Flowers	Quantity
Flowers Assorted (Rose, Marigold etc...)	5-6
Tray/Plate #6 - Miscellaneous	Quantity
Ghee for Niranjana & Oil for Samai	1 small bowl each
Attar - (Scent) small bottle	1
Disposable Plates / Tray	7-8
Important	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anna Prashan Vidhi is about one and half hours Vidhi (routine). • Please ensure that all the material is available and kept well organized near the Pooja dais (stage/platform) on the right side. • If you have any shortage or facing difficulties in understanding any description please contact Panditji. • Ensure that the vidhi begins in time so that it can be completed in time. • Ensure that you have some relatives/friends to help you on the Pooja day right from the beginning till end. 	
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