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TITLE/THEME: RACE CAR FIESTA!

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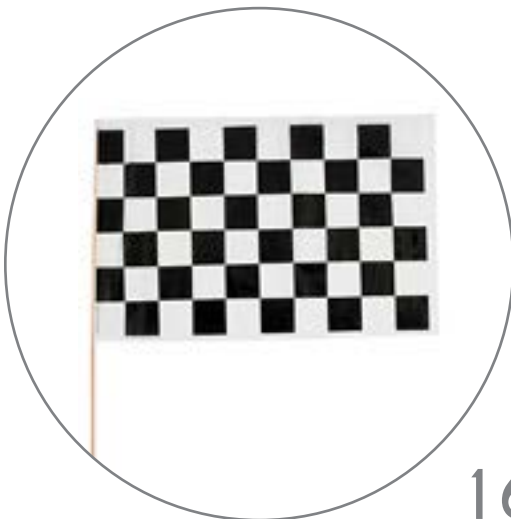
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① **[Race car invitation printables](#)**. Ordering printable invitations are a great \$ and time savings, but you still get something much more original than you'll find in a local store. They're personalized, and many designers will customize a bit too! You just have them printed at your local staples, fedex office, or even at home. Print on card stock, and these are meant to be double sided. Make sure to give that instruction to the printers. You can print as many as you need, and then pick up coordinating envelopes (usually at the same store!).

I also love that this set comes with coordinating details for the party. Little flags, goodie bag tags, etc. Have them printed at the same time and it adds instant coordination to the party. Instructions are on each of the PDFs once you get them.

② It's nice to have something more than a plate for kids food. Especially when eating outside. They can easily carry this [kraft concession tray](#) wherever they want to sit down to eat and it can hold everything for them - food, drink, treat, napkins, & utensils!

③ [This small dish](#) is a nice companion to the concession tray, perfect for fruit, salad, pasta - whatever might need it's own little compartment. And it fits nicely in the tray with a lid even!

④ [Napkins with gold foil Happy Birthday](#) are pretty sweet - and it's a good thing they come in our color scheme. You can mix these with more standard napkins and keep the effect!

⑤ Just because it's a racecar theme, doesn't mean there has to be a car on everything! These blue and red star [cups](#) and [plates](#) coordinate so well with the theme, and will work for adults and kids! Because you have the concession trays, you won't need quite as many plates, but there's still dessert you've got to consider! The plates are appetizer/dessert size, so we'll supplement with the following plate.

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⑥ [Big plates](#) are good for the adults, who won't really be using the concession trays (but you can always order more of those instead if you want!). The black and white of these add a complementary pattern and plays off of a checkered flag well.

⑦ [These parasols](#) are really just icing on the decor cake. Not necessary, but a fun addition if you'll be serving any adult beverages.

⑧ [8-10 mini balloons](#) give some dimension and unexpected cuteness to the party. By having these in contrast to the giant ones, you really get some decor bang for your buck.

⑨ [2 giant balloons](#) will give some really high impact party goodness. Go with color-theme coordination or confetti filled!

⑩ because you have to have a runway! well, not always, but how great is this [race track](#)? It has double sided tape on the back, so will stick down wherever you want it. Kids just love to race down it!

⑪ [This pinata](#) is a fun activity for the kids, and you can fill it with whatever you like. For this theme, try little cars, tire erasers, pencils, etc. Or just go with candy...you can't lose there.

⑫ If you're going to go for the fiesta part of the theme, [these Mexican blankets](#) make a simple, but high impact addition. Use them for a picnic blanket, or like I did, over the tables!

⑬ [Adorable goodie bags!](#) I put a couple cars in there (see 14 and 15), but then gave all the kids their bags right before we did the pinata. They were able to fill up their bags when it finally broke open.

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⑭ [These small wooden cars](#) (just a couple inches) are fun for the kids to decorate with markers. Then use them to race!

⑮ [These are fairly cheap](#) (yes, they can fall apart...but be put back together!), but a fun toy to play with. Because the coordination of blowing the balloon up, holding it so the air doesn't go out, and then setting it down to race, they seem to be a big hit!

⑯ [checkered flags](#). enough said! put these on the sides of a banner you hang, on kids seats, to mark a race track...or in the goodie bags!

⑰ [These pom pom picks](#) are a simple way to add some color - but also an easy one to leave off if you're not going all in for the fiesta theme.