Parent A:	Parent B:

This Parenting Plan is for the following children:

Child's Name	Age	Child's Name	Age
1.		4.	
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1. The best interests of the minor child(ren) will be maintained through the ongoing involvement of both the parents.
2. The best interests of the minor child(ren) will be maintained by ensuring regular and continuous school attendance and progress for school-age child(ren).
3. The parents will remain active and involved in parenting the child(ren)
4. The purpose of this Plan is to establish custody, parenting time and other access arrangements, to determine parenting time to be spent with each parent, and to decide how to deal with any future disagreements between the parents regarding this Plan.
5. The needs of the child(ren) may change as the child(ren) get(s) older and the parents will interpret and apply this Plan in a way that best serves any changing needs of the child(ren)
6. **Legal Custody.** The responsibility for making major decisions affecting the child(ren)'s welfare including education, health, legal, and spiritual or religious upbringing.

   The legal custody of the child(ren) shall be:

   - ❑ **Joint Legal Custody.** Both parents have the ability to communicate and make joint decisions regarding the child(ren)'s welfare including education, health, legal, and spiritual or religious upbringing.

     Final decision making authority. If the parents are unable to agree on major decisions that will extend past their regular parenting time, the final decision shall be made by:

- ❑ Parent A
- ❑ Parent B
- ❑ The parties must attend mediation to attempt a resolution or petition the Court in case of emergency.

❑ **Sole Legal Custody.** Sole legal custody of the child(ren) shall be with:

- ❑ Parent A
- ❑ Parent B

As such, that parent (the custodial parent) shall have sole legal responsibility to make final decisions regarding the child(ren)'s welfare, education, and health.

7. **Physical Custody.** The mutual authority and responsibility of the parents regarding the child(ren)'s place of residence and continuous blocks of parenting time by each parent for significant periods of time.

❑ **Joint Physical Custody.** Physical custody of the child(ren) should be jointly with both parents on the following schedule:

- ❑ Alternating weekly with exchanges occurring on _____ at ___:____ a.m./p.m. This arrangement shall continue through the year keeping in mind the Holiday Parenting Time. Holiday Parenting Time shall trump regular parenting time but shall not interfere with the weekly rotation.
- ❑ A rotating biweekly schedule alternating Week A and Week B throughout the year, subject to Holiday Parenting Time. This arrangement shall continue through the year keeping in mind the Holiday Parenting Time. Holiday Parenting Time shall trump regular parenting time but shall not interfere with the biweekly rotation.

	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
Week A							
Week B							

❑ Other:_____

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_____
_____
_____

- ❑ **Sole Physical Custody.** The sole/primary place of residence shall be with:
  - ❑ Parent A
  - ❑ Parent B
    - ❑ Parenting time with the non-custodial parent shall be as follows (check all that apply):
    - ❑ Every other week(end) from ___:___ a.m./p.m. on _____ to ___:___ a.m./p.m. on _____.
    - ❑ Weekdays from ____:____ a.m./p.m. on _____ to ___:___ a.m./p.m. on _____.
    - ❑ Other:_____
      _____
      _____
      _____

8. **Holiday Parenting Time.** Holiday Parenting Time takes priority over the regular weekend parenting time schedule. Not all holidays are required. No parent shall have the child(ren) for more than two (2) weekends in a row. For example, if the non-custodial parent has a weekend visitation and the following weekend is a holiday, which is the non-custodial parent's as well, the third weekend shall be the custodial parent's parenting time and the rotation will reset. Unless otherwise agreed to by the parents, Holiday Parenting Time is as follows:

Holiday	Even Years	Odd Years
Mother's Day: From ____:____ a.m./p.m. on _____ until ____:____ a.m./p.m. on _____.		
Father's Day: From ____:____ a.m./p.m. on _____ until ____:____ a.m./p.m. on _____.		

Easter: This holiday includes that period of time when the child(ren) are excused from school before the Easter holiday, including Easter Sunday, and will begin at ____:____ a.m./p.m. on the day the child(ren) is/are released from school and end at ____:____ a.m./p.m. on the day before the child(ren) return(s) to school.		
Memorial Day Weekend: This holiday includes only that weekend when Memorial Day is nationally recognized and will begin at ____:____ a.m./p.m. on the Friday before the holiday and end at ____:____ a.m./p.m. on Monday, Memorial Day.		
Fourth of July: This holiday will begin on July ___at ____:____ a.m./p.m. and end on July ___ at ____:____ a.m./p.m.		
Labor Day Weekend: This holiday includes only that weekend when Labor Day is nationally recognized and will begin at ____:____ a.m./pm. on the Friday before the holiday and end at ____:____ a.m./p.m. on Monday, Labor Day.		
Thanksgiving: This holiday includes that period of time during which the child(ren)		

is/are excused from school for the Thanksgiving holiday, including Thanksgiving Day, and will begin at ____:____ a.m./p.m. on the day the child(ren) is/are released from school and end at ___:___ a.m./p.m. on the day before the child(ren) return(s) to school.		
Christmas: This holiday includes that period of time during which the child(ren) is/are excused from school for the Christmas holiday and will begin at ___:___ a.m./p.m. on the day the child(ren) are released from school and end at ___:___ a.m./p.m. on December 27.		
New Years: This holiday includes that period of time from ___:___ a.m./p.m. on December 27 and ends the day before school begins at ___:___ a.m./p.m.		
Other Holidays, Breaks, or Birthdays:		

Note: The Holiday Parenting Time schedule will follow the school calendar of the oldest child. If the child(ren) is/are not enrolled in school the Holiday Parenting Time will follow the public school calendar for the district in which the children live.

9. **Summer Parenting Time:**
   - ❑ Parenting time remains as set throughout year.
   - ❑ Beginning _____, the parties shall alternate week on/week off parenting time with exchanges occurring on ___:___ a.m./p.m. This schedule shall end on _____ when the routine parenting time

schedule shall resume. Summer Parenting Time cannot take away Holiday Parenting Time.

- ❑ Non-custodial parent is given _____ days each summer. During this period, the custodial parent is entitled to the same parenting time the non-custodial parent would have if the children were with the custodial parent. The non-custodial parent is to notify the custodial parent not later than _____ of each year of the dates of Summer Parenting Time. Failure to provide these dates, in writing, by this deadline shall result in a forfeiture of the Summer Parenting Time.

10. **Vacation Parenting Time: (Joint Physical Custody Only)**
    - No summer parenting time is specifically awarded based upon the joint parenting rotation agreed upon in this Plan. However, each parent shall have uninterrupted vacation parenting time of _____ days each year. Each parent shall notify the other parent not later than _____ of the dates, if any, they intend to exercise this time. If the parents select the same dates, Parent A's time shall control in (circle one) odd/even years and Parent B's time shall control in (circle one) odd/even years. Vacation Parenting Time cannot take away Holiday Parenting Time.
11. **Telephone/Virtual Parenting Access.** The parent who does not have the child(ren) will have telephone parenting time with the child(ren) on:
    - ❑ On _____ between ____:____ a.m./p.m. for not less than _____ minutes.
    - ❑ At any reasonable time so long as it does not interfere with the child(ren)'s school or activities or the relationship with the other parent.
    - ❑ The child(ren) has/have their own electronic device(s), so either parent may contact the child(ren) directly at any time.
12. **Temporary Changes.** The parents can temporarily change the terms of this Plan so long as they both agree to it.
13. **Permanent Changes.** This Plan may be changed by mutual, written agreement of the parents, however, any permanent changes must be approved by the Court in order to be binding and enforceable.
14. **Resolution of Future Disputes.** Unless an emergency exists, in the event one or both parents wish to change the terms of this Plan in the future and are unable to agree on the terms of the change, the parents must attempt to resolve their disagreements through a mediator, attorney, or mutually agreeable third-party prior to Court intervention.
15. **Being on Time.** Both parents understand that they have a responsibility to be on time. If either parent will be late for some reason, or will be unable to

exercise parenting time, that parent will notify the other parent as soon as possible. The parents understand that fifteen (15) minutes is a reasonable time to wait in order to pick up or return the child(ren).

16. **Transportation/Exchanges.** (Check the box that applies)
    - ❑ Each parent will pick up the child(ren) at the beginning of their parenting time from: _____.
    - ❑ Parent A will provide all transportation to and from all parenting time. The location of the exchange shall be:_____.
    - ❑ Parent B will provide all transportation to and from all parenting time. The location of the exchange shall be:_____.
    - ❑ The parents agree to the following exchange plan:

      _____

      _____

      _____
17. **Scheduling Activities.** One parent may not plan or schedule activities during the parenting time of the other parent without reasonable notice to and consent of the other parent.
18. **Child(ren)'s Events.** The parents will inform each other, reasonably in advance, of all events where a parent may participate in the child(ren)'s activities or events (i.e. school plays, athletic events, teacher conferences, music recitals, and the like). Notice will be provided in such a way that the other parent has the maximum opportunity to attend that activity or event.
19. **Parenting Behavior.** The child(ren)'s best interests require the utmost cooperation between the parents. To this end, neither parent will talk badly about or in any way be negative about the other parent in front of the child(ren) or in any activity or communication involving the child(ren). Neither parent will ask about the other's personal affairs through the child(ren). The parents will cooperate with each other, to the fullest extent necessary, in order to encourage a safe, secure, and loving environment for the child(ren).
20. **Access to Information.** Each parent shall continue to have full and equal access to the education and medical records of the child(ren). The names of both parents will appear on all school, governmental, law enforcement, medical, and health-related records and both parents will be provided full and equal access to all teachers, government officials, and doctors.
21. **Emergency Medical.** Either parent may make emergency decisions affecting the health or safety of the child(ren) while the child(ren) is/are in the physical

custody of that parent. In event of an emergency, the non-present parent shall be notified immediately by phone.

22. **Notification Requirement for Current and Change of Address and Contact Information.** If there is a change of address or contact information, each parent will notify the other parent. **Exception:** If one parent has a confidential address under Nebraska or Federal Law, the address or return address shall only include the County and State for a party who is living or moving to an undisclosed location.
23. **Out-of-State Change of Residence.** The child(ren)'s residence will not be changed from the State of Nebraska without prior order of the Court.

Parent A **Parent B**

Signature:_____ Signature:_____

Date:_____ Date:_____

Parenting Plan Summary

(For Court Use Only)

Parent A:	Parent B:

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The terms of this Plan may be temporarily changed if the parties both agree to it

1. **Legal Custody.**

   - ❑ **Joint Legal Custody**. With the final decision-making authority:
     - □ Parent A
     - □ Parent B
   - ❑ **Sole Legal Custody**.
     - □ Parent A
     - □ Parent B

2. **Physical Custody.**

   - ❑ **Joint Physical Custody.**
     - □ Alternating weekly with exchanges occurring on_____ at ___:____ a.m./p.m.
     - □ A rotating biweekly schedule

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   - ❑ Other:_____
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     _____
   - ❑ **Sole Physical Custody.** Shall be with:
     - □ Parent A
     - □ Parent B

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  - ❑ Other:_____

3. **Holiday Parenting Time.**

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Father's Day		
Easter		
Memorial Day Weekend		
Fourth of July		
Labor Day Weekend		
Thanksgiving		
Christmas		
New Years		
Other Holidays/Breaks		

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     _____
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