

Below is an example of a co-parenting plan.

Note that each plan should be customised to fit your specific needs and circumstances. This example covers various key components, but it's important to adapt it to the unique requirements of your situation.

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This example serves as a starting point only. It's advisable to consult with a family law professional or mediator during the creation of a co-parenting plan to ensure that it meets legal requirements and addresses all relevant issues.

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Legal fees: £750.00

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Total: £900.00

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Co-Parenting Plan

1. Custody and Visitation Schedule:

- The children will reside with Parent A every other week, from Sunday evening to the following Sunday evening.
- Holiday and special occasion visitation will be alternated annually, with clear start and end times.

2. Legal Custody and Decision-Making:

- Both parents will share joint legal custody, and major decisions regarding the children's education, healthcare, religion, and extracurricular activities will be made jointly.
- In the event of a disagreement, both parents agree to attend mediation to reach a resolution.

3. Communication Guidelines:

- Both parents will maintain open and respectful communication regarding the children's well-being.
- Primary communication will occur through a designated co-parenting app, with the understanding that urgent matters may require direct contact via phone or email.

4. Emergency Protocols:

- In case of emergencies, both parents will be promptly notified. The parent with physical custody at the time will make immediate decisions, keeping the other parent informed.

5. Information Sharing:

- Both parents will have access to school records, medical information, and other important documents. These will be shared promptly and transparently.

6. Consistency in Rules and Discipline:

- Both parents agree to maintain consistent rules and discipline between households to provide stability for the children.

7. Extracurricular Activities:

- Both parents will support the children's participation in extracurricular activities. Decision-making regarding enrollment, attendance, and financial responsibilities will be shared.

8. Child Support and Financial Agreements:

- Parent A will provide child support to Parent B in the amount of £X per month, paid on the first of each month. Additional financial responsibilities will be discussed and shared as needed.

9. Relocation Guidelines:

- If either parent plans to relocate, a minimum of 60 days' notice will be provided to the other parent. A discussion will follow to address potential adjustments to the visitation schedule.

10. Dispute Resolution Process:

- In case of disputes, both parents will attend mediation to resolve issues amicably. If mediation is unsuccessful, legal action may be pursued as a last resort.

11. Introduction of New Partners:

- Both parents will inform each other about the introduction of a new partner to the children. The timing and manner of introductions will be discussed to ensure a gradual and supportive transition.

12. Parental Communication:

- Communication between parents will be conducted respectfully and constructively. Disparaging remarks about the other parent in the presence of the children will be avoided.

13. School and Event Attendance:

- Both parents are encouraged to attend school events, parent-teacher conferences, and other important activities. If one parent cannot attend, they will provide a summary of the event.

14. Therapy or Counseling:

- If therapy or counseling is deemed necessary for the children, both parents will discuss the options and agree on a suitable plan.

15. Review and Modification Process:

- This co-parenting plan will be reviewed annually, or sooner if significant changes occur. Both parents agree to work collaboratively to modify the plan as needed.