

PRINTABLE CO-PARENTING AGREEMENT

Location: _____ Date: _____

Parent 1 Information:

Full Name: _____

Government ID / Driver License No.: _____

Address: _____

Phone/Email: _____

Parent 2 Information:

Full Name: _____

Government ID / Driver License No.: _____

Address: _____

Phone/Email: _____

Child Information:

Full Name(s): _____

Date(s) of Birth: _____

1. Purpose of Agreement

This Co-Parenting Agreement (the "Agreement") is entered into between the parties identified above for the benefit of their child(ren) named herein. The parties agree to cooperate and communicate in good faith to raise their child(ren) in a supportive, stable, and loving environment, in accordance with the best interests of the child(ren) and Australian family law.

2. Custody and Living Arrangements

The parties agree to share the parenting responsibilities as follows: The child(ren) shall reside primarily with [Parent 1 / Parent 2 / shared equally]. Parenting time, visitation schedules, holidays, school vacations, and transportation responsibilities shall be agreed upon in writing by both parties or as ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.

3. Decision Making

The parties shall consult and make joint decisions regarding major issues affecting the child(ren), including health care, education, religious upbringing, and extracurricular activities. In the event of disagreement, the parties agree to seek mediation before pursuing court intervention.

4. Child Support and Expenses

Both parties acknowledge their legal obligation to support the child(ren). Child support payments, if any, shall be made in accordance with the Child Support Agency guidelines or as agreed in writing between the parties. The parties shall share in the reasonable costs of health care, education, childcare, and other necessary expenses related to the child(ren) as mutually agreed.

5. Communication

The parties agree to keep each other informed of the child(ren)'s welfare, health, education, and activities. Communication shall be respectful and focus on the best interests of the child(ren). Electronic communication (email, text) is acceptable for routine matters.

6. Dispute Resolution

If a dispute arises concerning this Agreement or the care of the child(ren), the parties agree first to attempt to resolve the matter through good-faith negotiation. If negotiation fails, the parties agree to attend mediation with a qualified family dispute resolution practitioner before initiating any court proceedings.

7. Modification

This Agreement may be modified or amended only by written agreement signed by both parties. Any modification shall be made in the best interests of the child(ren) and comply with applicable Australian laws.

8. Confidentiality and Privacy

The parties agree to maintain the confidentiality of information obtained in connection with this Agreement, except as required by law or necessary to protect the welfare of the child(ren). Personal information shall be handled in accordance with Australian privacy laws.

9. Governing Law and Jurisdiction

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Australia and the relevant state or territory. The parties agree to submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the applicable state or territory for any disputes arising out of this Agreement.

10. Legal Advice and Understanding

Each party acknowledges that they have had the opportunity to seek independent legal advice regarding the terms and effect of this Agreement and that they enter into this Agreement voluntarily and with full understanding of its contents and legal consequences.

11. Signatures

By signing below, both parties agree to the terms contained in this Co-Parenting Agreement and acknowledge their commitment to uphold it in the best interests of their child(ren).

PARENT 1 SIGNATURE

PARENT 2 SIGNATURE

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

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