

BAY COUNTY STANDARD PARENTING TIME POLICIES

- The parenting time schedule will be exercised in a prompt manner. In the event of an unforeseen circumstance, a 30-minute delay is allowed for picking up and returning the child(ren).
- Absent agreement otherwise, transportation for parenting time shall be shared equally between the parties. The parent receiving the child(ren) shall be responsible for picking up the child(ren) from the other parent's residence.
- Absent an order of no contact or of confidentiality, each party shall provide the other with current contact information, including address and telephone number.
- A parent may designate a third party to transport the child(ren) for parenting time as long as the person designated has a valid driver's license and is known and familiar to the child(ren).
- A general itinerary and emergency telephone number will be provided to the other parent if out of town travel with the child(ren) is planned.

BAY COUNTY HOLIDAY PARENTING POLICY

The holiday schedule takes precedence over any other regular parenting schedule of the child(ren), regardless of their ages.

1. In odd-numbered years the mother shall have the following holidays:
 - a. Thanksgiving from 6 p.m. on Wednesday until 6 p.m. on Friday if it is not the parent's regular parenting time weekend, and from 6 p.m. on Wednesday until 6 p.m. on Sunday if it is the parent's regular parenting time weekend.
 - b. Christmas Day from December 24 at 9 p.m. until December 25 at 9 p.m.
2. In odd-numbered years the father shall have the following holidays:
 - a. Christmas Eve from December 23 at 6 p.m. until December 24 at 9 p.m.
 - b. Halloween from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m.
3. In even-numbered years the mother shall have the following holidays:
 - a. Christmas Eve from December 23 at 6 p.m. until December 24 at 9 p.m.
 - b. Halloween from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m.
4. In even-numbered years the father shall have the following holidays:
 - a. Thanksgiving from 6 p.m. on Wednesday until 6 p.m. on Friday if it is not the parent's regular parenting time weekend, and from 6 p.m. on Wednesday until 6 p.m. on Sunday if it is the parent's regular parenting time weekend.
 - b. Christmas Day from December 24 at 9 p.m. until December 25 at 9 p.m.
5. Mother's Day. Each year the mother shall have Mother's Day from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.
6. Father's Day. Each year the father shall have Father's Day from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.
7. Memorial Day/Labor Day: The child(ren) shall remain with the parent exercising the regular weekend schedule until 7 p.m. on these days.
8. Easter/4th of July: The parent having parenting time on that day has the holiday.
9. Child(ren)'s birthday(s) - Each year: For a three-hour time period established by the parent not having the child(ren) in their care. Birthday parenting time includes siblings.

A holiday that falls on a weekend should be spent with the parent who is supposed to have the child(ren) for that holiday. However, the balance of the weekend is to be spent with the parent who would normally have the child(ren) for that weekend.

BAY COUNTY EXTENDED PARENTING TIME POLICY

1. Summer Vacation:

Alternating weeks of parenting time from 6 p.m. Friday until 6 p.m. the following Friday.

Summer parenting time shall begin on the first Friday after school recesses; beginning with the parent who would normally have parenting time on that weekend. Summer parenting time shall conclude on the Friday immediately preceding the next school year beginning.

2. Christmas School Vacation:

In the odd-numbered years, the father shall have the Christmas school vacation. In the even-numbered years, the mother shall have the Christmas school vacation.

Christmas school vacation is defined as 6 p.m. the day school recesses until 6 p.m. the day before school resumes.

3. Spring School Break:

In the even-numbered years the mother shall have the spring school break. In the odd-numbered years the father shall have the spring school break.

Spring school break is defined as 6 p.m. the day school recesses until 6 p.m. the day before school resumes.

Miscellaneous Information

1. During any period of extended parenting time, the holiday schedule continues as specified.
2. Summer school necessary for the child(ren) to pass to the next grade must be attended.

BAY COUNTY LONG-DISTANCE PARENTING TIME POLICY

1. The non-custodial parent shall have the spring school vacation in odd-numbered years. Spring school break is defined as on or before 6 p.m. the day after school recesses until on or before 6 p.m. two days before school resumes.
2. Each year, the non-custodial parent shall have summer vacation commencing on or before 6 p.m. the third Saturday of June until on or before 6 p.m. the third Saturday of August.
3. The non-custodial parent shall have the Thanksgiving holiday in even-numbered years. Thanksgiving shall be defined as on or before 6 p.m. on Tuesday until on or before 6 p.m. on Sunday.
4. The non-custodial parent shall have the Christmas school vacation in odd-numbered years. Christmas school vacation is defined as on or before 6 p.m. the day after school recesses until on or before 6 p.m. two days before school resumes.
5. Responsibility for transportation costs for spring, summer, Thanksgiving, and Christmas parenting time shall be shared equally. The parent receiving the child(ren) shall be responsible for picking the child(ren) up from the other parent's residence, the parents shall meet at an agreeable mid-way point, the parent receiving the child(ren) shall provide for one way airline ticket, or the cost for round-trip airfare shall be split equally.
6. Additional parenting time upon a minimum of seven days' advanced, written notice whenever the non-custodial parent is in the geographical area of the child(ren).
7. Whenever the child(ren) are in the area of non-custodial parent, the custodial parent must notify the non-custodial parent and offer time for the child(ren) to be with that parent.
8. The non-custodial parent shall have weekend parenting time whenever the child(ren) have a Friday or a Monday school holiday. The non-custodial parent shall be solely responsible for transportation during these parenting time periods. The custodial parent shall provide a copy of the school calendar to the non-custodial parent every fall so that arrangements for extended weekend parenting time can be made in advance.