<u>Instructions for RESPONDING to</u> a Petition for Divorce – With Children- AGREE

Read these directions carefully and completely.

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- 1. These forms are basic forms for simple divorces. They do not deal with every situation. If your divorce is complicated, using legal forms without an attorney's help can harm your legal rights.
- 2. The Clerk of the District Court cannot help you prepare these forms or give you legal advice. The Clerk can only give very limited information about the process. If you have any questions, you should contact an attorney.
- 3. These forms are not for sale. If you paid a company for these forms, contact the Attorney General's consumer complaint hotline and the Kansas Judicial Council.
- 4. Courts require anyone filing a divorce case to follow court rules. Self-represented persons are expected to know the rules as if you were an attorney.
- 5. If your spouse is active-duty military, you should consult an attorney because you must meet specific additional requirements.
- 6. Property decisions are binding on you and your spouse and may not be changed. Agreements are NOT binding on, and do not affect the rights of anyone other than you and your spouse. Property includes all assets, real estate, personal property, liquid accounts, retirement accounts, and any other things that were owned by either spouse during the marriage. Agreements that are not binding can include mortgages, promissory notes, debt obligations or other contracts involving third persons or entities.
- 7. If one spouse is to receive part of the other spouse's retirement benefits, additional documents may be needed to complete the transfer. Consult an attorney. This type of situation is too complicated for use of these forms.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- ❖ To get a divorce in Kansas, you or your spouse must have lived in Kansas for at least sixty (60) days before the Petition for divorce is filed.
- Filing for divorce starts with filing certain documents, and paying a filing fee, with the Clerk of the District Court in the county where you or your spouse lives. The office of the Clerk of the District Court is in the county courthouse.
- ❖ Make sure to tell the Clerk of the District Court every time your mailing address changes.
- ❖ The Clerk of the District Court cannot help you prepare any legal documents or provide any legal advice.
- ❖ The district court where you file for divorce may have local court rules that apply to your case. Contact the Clerk of the District Court to ask how you can find a copy of the local court rules. Some courts have their local court rules available on their website.

COMMON TERMS

Case Caption = The section above the title of every document is called the case caption. It says which county the case was filed in, the case number, and the names of the people involved in the case. The case number is assigned by the court when the Petition for Divorce is filed.

Example:

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF <u>SMITH</u> C	COUNTY, KANSAS
In the Matter of the Marriage of	
John Doe ,	
and	Case No. <u>20 DM 555</u>
Mary Doe .	

- Clerk of the District Court = A person at the courthouse who is responsible for taking the papers you give to the court.
 - You can find the Clerk's phone number on the Kansas Judicial Branch website.
- **❖ Decree** = A final order of the Court.

- ❖ File Stamped = When you give documents to the Clerk of the District Court, the Clerk of the District Court will stamp each document showing that it was officially filed on the date printed on the stamp. The documents are now "file stamped." This stamp shows the documents were received by the Clerk of the District Court and are now part of the court's file.
- ❖ Filing Fee (or Docket Fee) = The money the person who files the Petition for Divorce pays to start the case.
- ❖ Parties = A general word meaning both Petitioner and Respondent.
- **Petitioner** = The person who files the Petition for Divorce.
- **Respondent** = The person served with a Petition for Divorce and who may file an Answer.
- ❖ Real Estate Legal Description = A legal description of a property is the geographical description of the real estate that identifies its precise location, boundaries, and any easements. You can get the legal description from the local Register of Deeds office.
- ❖ Service of Process = The procedure by which Petitioner gives appropriate notice of the legal action to the Respondent.

FORMS

To get a form online, go to www.kansasjudicialcouncil.org and click on the "Legal Forms" tab. Scroll down and click on the "Divorce" box. Forms are available in PDF. You may type on the forms or print the form and write on it. If you write on the forms, write neatly in ink.

You can find an explanation of each form in Appendix A.

RESPONDING TO A PETITION FOR DIVORCE

You have the right to file an Answer to a Petition for Divorce, but you do not have to do so. If you decide to file an Answer, the Answer must be filed within the number of day (either 21 days or 30 days) stated in the Summons after you received a copy of the Petition for Divorce.

If you are on active military duty you should seek the advice of an attorney.
 ☐ Step 1: If your spouse gave you file-stamped copies of the Petition for Divorce, Summons, and Voluntary Entry of Appearance form, fill out the Voluntary Entry of Appearance form
 ❖ Do not sign this form until you are in front of a notary public.
 ❖ If you received copies of the Petition for Divorce and Summons from the sheriff, the sheriff will fill out a form telling the court you got the

- ❖ If your spouse did not give you a copy of the <u>Voluntary Entry of Appearance</u> form, you can download the form from the Judicial Council website.
- ☐ Step 2: Read the Petition for Divorce and Summons

paperwork.

- ☐ Step 3: Decide whether you will file a response to the Petition for Divorce
 - You do NOT have to file a response (called an Answer to Petition for Divorce). The judge can order the divorce even if you do not file a response.
 - If you want to file a response to the Petition for Divorce, you must complete Steps 4 to 9 below within 21 days after receiving the Petition for Divorce.
- ☐ Step 4: If you AGREE with all the information in the Petition for Divorce, fill out the Answer to Petition for Divorce AGREE form

Do not sign this form until you are in front of a notary public.

OR

If you DO NOT agree with all the information in the Petition for Divorce, fill out the <u>Answer to Petition for Divorce – DISAGREE (with children)</u> form

Do not sign this form until you are in front of a notary public.

☐ Step 5:	Fill out the <u>Domestic Relations Affidavit</u> form
☐ Step 6:	Find a notary public and sign your Answer to Petition for Divorce - <u>Disagree</u> or <u>Agree</u> the <u>Voluntary Entry of Appearance</u> form (if needed) in front of the notary public
	You must sign the Answer to Petition for Divorce in front of a notary public. You may have to pay a fee.
	Here are the most common types of businesses where you can find a Notary Public.
	Banks, Law Firms or Law Offices, Real Estate Firms or Real Estate Offices, Tax Preparer or Accountant Offices, Photocopy Shops, Parcel Shipping Stores, Auto tag and license service centers, Colleges and Universities, or Public Libraries.
☐ Step 7:	Call the Clerk of the District Court's office in the county listed at the top of the case caption on the first page of the Petition for Divorce
	❖ The Clerk of the District Court's phone number is (913) 573-2901.
	Call the Clerk of the District Court's office to ask how many copies of each document you need to give to the Clerk when you file the documents.
☐ Step 8:	File your completed documents with the Clerk of the District Court's office
	Go to the Clerk of the District Court's office in the county listed at the top of the case caption on the Petition for Divorce. The Wyandotte County Courthouse is located at 710 N 7th St, Kansas City, Ks 66101
	Give the original and all copies of the following documents to the Clerk of the District Court:
	☐ Answer to Petition for Divorce – <u>Disagree</u> or <u>Agree</u> (if you chose to file an Answer)
	☐ <u>Voluntary Entry of Appearance</u> (if needed)
	☐ <u>Domestic Relations Affidavit</u> (you must file this)
	❖ The Clerk of the District Court will stamp each document showing that it was filed on the date printed on the stamp. The documents are now "file stamped." The Clerk will give you back a "file stamped" copy of your documents.

- ☐ Step 9: Mail a file-stamped copy of your Answer to Petition for Divorce <u>Disagree</u> or <u>Agree</u> (if applicable), <u>Voluntary Entry of Appearance</u> (if applicable), and <u>Domestic Relations Affidavit</u> to your spouse and your spouse's attorney, if your spouse has an attorney
 - On the same day you file the documents with the Clerk of the District Court's office, you must mail file-stamped copies of the documents to your spouse and your spouse's attorney, if your spouse has an attorney.
 - You may be able to find the mailing address for your spouse or your spouse's attorney on the Petition for Divorce.
- ☐ Step 10: Complete any required parenting, co-parenting, or other required class
 - ❖ If required by local rules, attend and complete any required parenting, coparenting, divorce or other required classes before your final divorce hearing.
 - You may find a copy of your local court rules on the district court's website or by calling the Clerk of the District Court's office.
- ☐ Step 11: Receive a Notice of Hearing telling you when the court hearing will be.
 - ❖ Your spouse should give or mail you a document telling you when and where there will be a hearing to finalize the divorce.
- ☐ Step 12: If you and your spouse AGREE on how property, debts, or real estate will be divided or a parenting plan for your children, work with your spouse to write out what you have agreed on.

Personal Property & Debts

- ❖ If you and your spouse agree about how you will split your personal property (items you own, such as furniture, appliances, electronics, clothes, etc) and debts, complete paragraphs 12-17 of the <a href=Decree of Divorce, or write out your agreement on a separate piece of paper to give to the judge.
- If you and your spouse DO NOT agree about how you will split your personal property (items you own, such as furniture, appliances, electronics, clothes, etc) and debts, DO NOT complete paragraphs 12-17 of the Decree of Divorce. The judge will decide how to split your personal property.

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Real Estate

- If you and your spouse agree on who will keep the real estate, in the Decree of Divorce check the box in paragraph 19 for Petitioner or Respondent.
- ❖ If you and your spouse DO NOT agree on who will keep the real estate, in the <u>Decree of Divorce</u>, DO NOT check the box in paragraph 19 for Petitioner or Respondent. The judge will decide how to split your real estate.

Children

- ❖ If you and your spouse agree on the parenting plan, fill out paragraphs 24 – 28 of the <u>Decree of Divorce</u> or complete the <u>parenting plan</u> form and give it to the judge.
- ❖ If you and your spouse **DO NOT agree** on the parenting plan, DO NOT fill out paragraphs 24 28 of the <u>Decree of Divorce</u>. The judge will decide what the parenting plan will be.

☐ Step 13: Before the hearing, complete the Child Support Worksheet

- The Child Support Worksheet must be completed before your hearing.
- ❖ A copy of the <u>Child Support Guidelines</u> is available on the <u>Kansas Judicial Branch website</u> (www.kscourts.org/About-the-Courts/Programs/Child-Support-Guidelines).
- Free child support calculator:
 - If the total yearly income of both you and your spouse combined is less than \$50,000, you can use <u>Kansas Legal Services' interactive</u> Child Support Worksheet to calculate child support.
- Fee-based child support calculator:
 - You can pay a fee and use the <u>Kansas Child Support Calculator</u> (childsuppporttools.com) if any of the following situations apply:
 - the total yearly income of both you and your spouse combined is more than \$50,000;
 - you or your spouse have children with other people;
 - if you and your spouse live in different states; or
 - vou need to calculate an income tax adjustment.

When using these online forms, sign in and create an account because you need to save your answers often while completing the forms.

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☐ Step 14:	Go to the final divorce hearing.
	Plan to arrive at the courthouse early.
	❖ Be prepared to go through security when entering the courthouse.
	❖ Wear clean and appropriate clothing.
	Do not bring children with you to the courthouse.
☐ Step 15:	Take the following things with you to the final divorce hearing:
	☐ Copies of any documents you previously filed.
	☐ Any documents you received from your spouse.
	☐ The blank <u>Decree of Divorce</u> form.
	☐ The partially completed <u>Decree of Divorce</u> form.
	Any written property and debt division agreement signed by you and your spouse.
	☐ Any written parenting plan agreed to and signed by you and your spouse.
	☐ If you have not already filed it, take 3 copies of your completed Domestic Relations Affidavit (you will need to give one copy to the judge, and one copy to your spouse).
	☐ A completed Child Support Worksheet.
	☐ Any certificate showing you completed any required parenting, co-parenting, or divorce or other classes required by local court rule.
☐ Step 16:	Talking to the judge in the hearing
	There may be multiple families in the courtroom waiting for the judge. The judge will say the name of your case you when it is your turn.
	❖ Be polite to the judge and other party. Don't interrupt.
	❖ Be calm and logical. Don't yell or object on the grounds that the other side is lying.

Speak only when asked to. Don't talk unless the judge instructs you to do so.

- Always stand if you are asked to speak.
- ❖ The judge will ask you and your spouse questions about the divorce. Only answer the questions the judge asks directly to you.
- **...** Be prepared to tell the judge:
 - o about the facts stated in the Petition for Divorce.
 - o that you and your spouse are incompatible, and
 - why you are asking the judge to approve your proposed agreements about your property, debts, and children.
- When the judge is done questioning each party, the judge will decide the issues in your divorce case and tell you what orders they are making.

☐ Step 17: After the final divorce hearing

- ❖ Your ex-spouse should give you a file-stamped copy of the Divorce Decree, any parenting plan and child support worksheet.
- ❖ If the judge ordered that child support and/or spousal maintenance to be paid through an Income Withholding Order in paragraph 34, issuing the Income Withholding Order is outside the scope of these forms. You may want to ask the Clerk of the District Court if there is a local procedure for getting the Income Withholding Order (see below).
- If the judge ordered you or your ex-spouse to pay child support, you can have the child support order enforced (issuing Income Withholding Orders) through:
 - the <u>local district court trustee's office</u> (if your judicial district has a court trustee). You can get information about your local district court trustee by contacting the Clerk of the District Court.

OR

 Kansas Department for Children and Families Child Support Services (DCF CSS). You may contact DCF CSS by calling toll free at 1-888-757-2445.

APPENDIX A

EXPLANATIONS OF FORMS

Answer to Petition for Divorce – AGREE	This form tells the judge you agree with everything in the Petition for Divorce.
Answer to Petition for Divorce - DISAGREE (with children)	This form tells the judge you do not agree with everything in the Petition for Divorce.
□ Voluntary Entry of Appearance	This form tells the court that your spouse got a copy of the Petition for Divorce and Summons from you and your spouse does not want the sheriff to serve the same paperwork to you.
Domestic Relations Affidavit	This form gives the court information about the money you have, your income, expenses, debts, property, and health insurance.
Child Support Worksheet	This form shows how child support is calculated.
☐ Parenting Plan	This form sets out how you and your spouse will make decisions about your children and when your children will be with you or your spouse.
□ Decree of Divorce ■	This form is where the judge grants your divorce and makes orders about your property, support, and children.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WYANDOTTE COUNTY, KANSAS

In	the Matter of the Marriage of			
•	rst Name) (Middle Name) (Last Name) (Jr./Sr./III) nter your spouse's legal name above)			
an	d Case Number			
•	rst Name) (Middle Name) (Last Name) (Jr./Sr./III) nter your full legal name above)			
	ANSWER TO PETITION FOR DIVORCE (Agree)			
1.	What is your name? (Enter your full legal name on the lines below)			
	(First Name) (Middle Name) (Last Name) (Jr./Sr./III)			
2.	I agree with all the information in the petition.			
If you do NOT agree with everything in the petition, do not use this form. Use the form named: Answer to Petition for Divorce (disagree - with children) or Answer to Petition for Divorce (disagree - without children).				
3.	If there is information about children of the relationship listed in the petition, I agree the information is true and correct. I adopt and incorporate by reference each of those statements.			
4.	Do you want spousal support (also known as alimony or maintenance)? (Check one of the two boxes.)			
	The court may also call spousal support "maintenance." The court can decide whether to order your spouse to pay you spousal support for up to 121 months.			
	☐ Yes. ☐ No.			

5.	 Do you want to change your fill in the blanks, if any.) 	Do you want to change your name back to your former name? (Check one of the two boxes and fill in the blanks, if any.)						
	The court can only change you your name to something differen	r name back to your ent than a name you h	maiden or former nam nave used before.	e. The court cannot change				
	☐ Yes. I want my name to I	Yes. I want my name to be changed back to my former name of						
	(First Name)	(Middle Name)	(Last Name)	(Jr./Sr./III)				
Sig	Sign Below in the Presence o	f a Notary Public						
	Here are the most common typ	es of businesses who	ere you can find a Not	ary Public.				
	Offices, Photocopy Shops, Par	Banks, Law Firms or Law Offices, Real Estate Firms or Real Estate Offices, Tax Preparer or Accountant Offices, Photocopy Shops, Parcel Shipping Stores, Auto tag and license service centers, Colleges and Universities, or Public Libraries.						
X								
(Si	(Sign above in the presence of a N	otary Public)	Print your name)					
Yc	Your mailing address:							
	necessarily the same as the ac which you live, you must give t	This is the address the court will use to send information about your case to you. This address is not necessarily the same as the address at which you live. Even if you do not want to give the address in which you live, you must give the court a mailing address. If you want to change your mailing address, you must tell the clerk of the district court your new mailing address.						
	(Street)							
	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)					
	(Telephone Number with Area	Code) (Email	Address)					

VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS			
COUNTY OF			
I swear or affirm that the state person filing this petition.	ements made in this	Petition are true	and that I am the
X(Sign above in the pre			
(Sign above in the pre	esence of a Notary Pu	blic)	
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before	•	blic, this	day of
	Notary Publ	ic	
<u>CERTIFIC</u>	ATE OF SERVICE A	AND MAILING	
I certify that on this	_ day of	, 20	, I sent a true copy of
this Answer by depositing it in the U	nited States mail, po	stage prepaid, ad	ddressed to:
Your Spouse's Name and Address:			
(Your spouse's name)			
(Street)			
(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)	_
(Telephone Number with Area Code	(Email Addre	ss)	

(Your Spouse's Attorne	ey's Name)		
(Street)			
(City)	 (State)	 (Zip Code)	
/Talanhana Number w	th Area Code) (Emai	l Address)	
(Telephone Number wi	ili Area Code) (Emai	Addressy	
ın your name.)		(Print your name above)	

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WYANDOTTE COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Marriage of

		(Middle Name) (Last Name) full legal name above)	(Jr./Sr./III)	
an	d		Case Number	
	rst Name) nter your full legal i	(Middle Name) (Last Name) name above)	(Jr./Sr./III)	
		VOLUNTARY ENTR	Y OF APPEARANCE	
1.	What is your na	me? (Enter your full legal nam	e on the lines below)	
	(First Name)	(Middle Name) (Last Nam	e) (Jr./Sr./III)	
2.	Where do you r	eceive mail?		
			ormation about your case to you clerk of the district court your nev	
	(Street or P.O. Be	ox Number)		
	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)	
3.	What is your tel	ephone number?		
	(Telephone N	Number with Area Code)		
4.	What is your en	nail address?		
	(Email Addre	ss)		

5.	Are you on active duty with the United States military? (Check one of the three boxes.)				
	If you are on active duty in the armed forces of the United States, the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (SCRA) may apply. You should contact a lawyer about this situation before filing this Voluntary Entry of Appearance.				
	☐ Yes. ☐ No. ☐ I do not know.				
6.	If you are on active duty with the United States military, do you give up your rights under the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act for this case? (Check one of the three boxes.)				
	If you are on active duty in the armed forces of the United States, the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (SCRA) may apply. You should contact a lawyer about this situation before filing this Voluntary Entry of Appearance.				
	☐ Yes. ☐ No. ☐ I do not know.				
7.	How do you want to get documents and notifications about this divorce case: (Check \underline{one} of the two boxes.)				
	 ☐ mailed to me (paper copies will be mailed to the address given in #2 above). ☐ emailed to me (documents will be emailed to the email address given in #4 you will not receive paper copies of documents in the mail). 				
8.	B. I received a copy of the petition filed in this case. I am not requiring that the sheriff or other person hand me the summons and petition as Kansas law may require.				
Sign Below in the Presence of a Notary Public					
Hei	re are the most common types of businesses where you can find a Notary Public.				
Off	nks, Law Firms or Law Offices, Real Estate Firms or Real Estate Offices, Tax Preparer or Accountant ices, Photocopy Shops, Parcel Shipping Stores, Auto tag and license service centers, Colleges and iversities, or Public Libraries.				
v					
X_ (Si	gn above in the presence of a Notary Public.) (Print your name above.)				

Your address:		
(Street)		
(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
(Telephone Number with Area Code)	(Email Address)
	VE	RIFICATION
STATE OF KANSAS		
COUNTY OF		
I swear or affirm that the state person filing this petition.	ements	s made in this affidavit are true and that I am the
X		
(Sign above in the pre	esence (of a Notary Public.)
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before		, a Notary Public, this day of
		Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AND MAILING

I certify that on this	_ day o	f	, 20	_, I sent a true copy o
this Voluntary Entry of Appearance	by dep	ositing it in the Un	ited States	mail, postage prepaid
addressed to:				
Your Spouse's Name and Address:				
(Your Spouse's Name)				
(Street)				
(City)	(State)	(Zip C	Code)	_
(Telephone Number with Area Code)	(Email Address)		
and				
Your Spouse's Attorney's Name and	Addre	ss, if any:		
(Your Spouse's Attorney's Name)				
(Street)				
(City)	(State)	(Zip C	Code)	_
(Telephone Number with Area Code)	(Email Address)		
X				
(Sign your name.)		(Print your	name above) .)

Domestic Relations Affidavit

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WYANDOTTE COUNTY, KANSAS

IN TI	HE MATTER OF)			
Party	Name)			
	and)		Case N	lo
)			
Party	Name	ý			
DOM	IESTIC RELATIONS AF	FIDAVIT OF			
			(name)		
1.	Party Name Resi	dence			
	Party Name	Birth Month/Year	XXX-XX Social Security Number		Telephone
2.	Party Name Resi	dence			
	Party Name	Birth Month/Year	XXX-XX Social Security Number		Telephone
3.	Date of Marriage:				
4.	Number of Marriages:		<u></u>		
	_	Party Name	Party Name		
5.	Number of children of	the relationship:			
5.	Names, Social Security the relationship:	y Numbers, the month an	d year of each child's birth and	l ages of n	ninor children of
	Name	Social Security Num XXX-XX-	nber Birth Month /Year	Age	Custodian

7.		es, Social Security Numbers, and a dy and support payments paid or re			rious relationships and facts as	s to
N	lame	Social Security No. XXX-XX	Age	Custodian		
					\$	
					\$	
					\$	
8.	<u>Party</u>	Name is employed by (name)				
		(address)				
		(ddd1055)				
	Party	Name is employed by (name)				
		(address)				
with 1	nonthly	income as follows:				
A.	Wage	e Earner		Party	Name Party Name	
	1.	Gross Income		\$	\$	
	2.	Other Income		\$	\$ \$	_
	3.	Subtotal Gross Income		\$	\$\$	
	4.	Federal Withholding		\$		_
	т.	(Claiming exemptions)		Ψ	ΨΨ	_
	5.	Federal Income Tax		\$	¢	
	5. 6.	OASDHI			Φ	_
				\$	\$	_
	7.	Kansas Withholding		\$		_
	8.	Subtotal Deductions		\$	<u>\$</u>	
	9.	Net Income		\$	<u> </u>	_
B.	Self-	Employed		Party	Name Party Name	
	1.	Gross Income from				
		self-employment		\$	\$\$	
	2.	Other Income		\$	\$	-
	3.	Subtotal Gross Income		\$	* \$	
	4.	Reasonable Business Expenses	s (-)	\$	\$	
	••	(Itemize on attached exhibit)	\ <i>)</i>	¥ <u></u>	~ ~	_
	5.	Self-Employment Tax (-)		\$	\$	
	6.	Business Net Income		\$ \$	\$ \$	_
	7.	Estimated Tax Payments		\$ \$	\$ \$	_
	/ •	(Claimexemptions)		φ	ΨΨ	_
	8.	Federal Income Tax		\$	¢	
					<u>\$</u> \$	_
	9.	Kansas Withholding		\$		_
	10.	Subtotal Deductions		\$	<u>\$</u>	_

	11.		e B.3. minus Line B.9.)	\$	_\$
Pay p	eriod:		D N		N
			Party Name	Party	Name
€.	The li	iquid ass	ets of the parties are:		
			Item	Amount	Joint or Individual (Specify)
	A.		king Accounts (Do not list acc	count numbers): \$ \$	
	В.		ngs Accounts (Do not list acco	unt numbers): \$	
	C.	Cash Party	Name Name	\$ \$	
	D.	Other		\$ \$	
10.			expenses of each party are: (Pl ual figures taken from records	ease indicate with an asterisk all t	figures which are estimates
	A.		Item	Party Name (Actual or Estimate	Party Name ed) (Actual or Estimated)
		1. 2. 3.	Rent Food Utilities/services: Trash Service Newspaper Telephone Cell Phone Cable Gas Water Lights Other Insurance: Life Health Car House/Rental Other	\$	\$
		5. 6. 7	Medical and dental Prescriptions drugs Childrage (work related)	\$ \$	\$ \$

	8.	Childcare (non-work-re			
	9. 10.	Clothing School expenses	\$ \$	\$ \$	
	10.	Haircuts and beauty	\$ \$		
	12.	Car repair	\$		
	13.	Gas and oil	\$	\$	
	14.	Personal property tax	\$	<u> </u>	
			Party N		Party Name
		Item	(Actual or Esti	imated) (Actua	al or Estimated)
	15.	Miscellaneous (Specify)			
			<u> </u>	\$	
		-	\$	\$	
	16.	Debt Payments (Specify)		
			\$	\$	
		Total	\$	\$	
		Total	Ψ	Ψ	
*Shov	w house pa	ayments, mortgage paymen	nts, etc., in Section 10.B.		
B.	Month	ly payments to banks, loan	n companies or on credit acc	ounts: (Indicate ac	tual or estimated
		ary amount in each columi	n; use asterisk for secured.) I OVE.	DO NOT LIST AN	IY PAYMENIS
	When	n Amount of D	Pate of	Respons	sibility
Creditor		ed Payment Last Paym		respond	nomey
		, ,		Party Name	Party Name
			\$	\$	\$
		_	\$		\$
			\$\$ \$	\$	\$ \$
			\$\$ \$\$	\$ \$	\$ \$
		-	\$\$	\$	\$ \$
			Subtotal of Payments	 \$	\$
			Total	\$	\$
C. Total	Living Ex	penses			
	S	1	Party Name	Party 1	Name
			(Actual or Estim	nated) (Actual	or Estimated)
	1. To	otal funds available to	\$		
		Both Parties			
	2 T	(from No. 8)	ф	φ.	
	2. To	otal needed (from No. 10.A and B)	\$	\$	
		(HOIH NO. IU.A alia B)			
	3 N.		\$	2	
		et Balance rojected child support	\$ \$	\$ \$	

D.	D. Payments or contributions received, or paid, for support of others. Specify source and amount.			
	Source (+/-) (+/-)	Party Na \$ \$	me	Party Name
	(+/-)	\$		\$
11.	How much does the party who provides hea per How much does it cost the provider to furni	alth care pay for fan	nily coverage? only on the provider?	
	\$ per			
FURNI	SH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IF	APPLICABLE.		
12.	Income and financial resources of children.			
	Income/Resources			Amount
13.	Child support adjustments requested.		·	
	 □ parenting time adjustment □ income tax consideration □ special needs □ other: 	□ long distance pa	arenting time	
14.	All other personal property including retirent as profit-sharing, pension, IRA, 401(k), or of deferred income plans), and ownership there identified as to nature or description, ownership	other savings-type e eof (joint or individ	employee benefits, non lual), including policie	qualified plans, and s of insurance,
	Joint or Individual		Amount	(Specify)
		_	\$ \$	
		_ _ _	\$ \$	
THE F	OLLOWING NEED NOT BE FURNISHED	IN POST JUDGMI	ENT PROCEDURES.	
15.	List real property identified as to description	n, ownership (joint	or individual) and actu	al or estimated value.
	Property Description	Ownership	Actu	ual/Estimated Value

16.	Identify the property, if any, acquired by each of the parties prior to marriage or acquired during mar by a will or inheritance.						
	Property Descriptio	n	Ownership	Sourc Owne	ce of ership	Actual/ Estimated Value	
17.	List debt obligations name or names of p identify the encumb	ayor or payors	and payees, balan				
Debt Obligati		ayor	Payee		ayment Rate	Encumbered Property	
8.	List health insuranc §§ 1161-1168 (1980 covered employee g	6), to continued group.		spouse who is no	ot a member of	f the	
	Health Insurance	<u>ce</u>		<u>Ye</u> s	OBRA Continu <u>No</u> ———	<u>Unknown</u>	
I declar		perjury unde	r the laws of the	State of Kansa	s that the fore	egoing is true, correc	
	Executed on the_	day o	of				
			Name	(Print):			
			Signat	ure			

Child Support Worksheet

IN TI	НЕ МАТ			DISTRICT KANSAS		
		and		CASE NO		
CHIL	D SUPP	PORT WORKSHEET OF (name)				_
A.	INCO	OME COMPLITATION WAGE EARNED		Party Name	Party	Name
Α.	1.	OME COMPUTATION – WAGE EARNER Domestic Gross Income (Insert on Line C.1. below)*		\$	\$	
B.	INCO	OME COMPUTATION – SELF-EMPLOYED				
	1. 2. 3.	Self-Employment Gross Income Reasonable Business Expenses Domestic Gross Income (Insert on Line C.1. below)*	(-)			
C.	<u>ADJI</u>	USTMENTS TO DOMESTIC GROSS INCOME				
	1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	Domestic Gross Income Court-Ordered Child Support Paid Court-Ordered Maintenance Paid% Court-Ordered Maintenance Received% Child Support Income (Insert on Line D.1. below)	(-) (-) (+)			
D.	<u>COM</u> 1.	MPUTATION OF CHILD SUPPORT Child Support Income			_ +	
	2.	Proportionate Shares of Combined Income (Each parent's income divided by combined income Gross Child Support Obligation** (Using the combined income from Line D.1., find the amount for each child and enter total for	e)			<u></u> %
	Num	all children) of Children 0-5 6-11 ber Per Age Category 1 Amount +		12-18	=	Total
**Mu Pai	st of Livin ultiple Farenting T	ng Differential Adjustment? amily Application? Time Adjustment and the Child Support Schedule calculation used	Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes	No No No No		%

Cas	se No		_		Party Name	Party Name		
	4.	Proport	ionate Share (Line D.3 x Line D.2)					
	5.	Parentin	ng Time Adjustment% x Line D	.4 (-)		_		
	6.	Proport	ionate Shares after Parenting Time Adjus	tment				
	7.	Health	and Dental Insurance Premium		\$	+ \$		
	8.	Proport	ionate Shares Health Insurance Premium			_		
	9.	Work-Related Child Care Costs Formula: Amt. – (Amt. x %) for each child care credit Example: 200 – (200 x 30%)						
	10.	Proport	ionate Shares Work-Related Child Care C	Costs				
	11.	Proportionate Child Support Obligation for Each Parent (Line D.6 + D.8 + D.10)						
	12.	Credit f	for Insurance or Work-Related Child Care	Paid (-)				
	13.		rarental Child Support Obligation 11-Line D.12); Insert on Line F.1. below)					
E.	<u>CHILD</u>	SUPPO	RT ADJUSTMENTS					
AP:	PLICABLE	N/A	CATEGORY	PART	ΓΥ NAME	PARTY NAME		
1.			Long Distance Parenting Time Costs	(+/-)		(+/-)		
2.			Income Tax Considerations	(+/-)		(+/-)		
3.			Special Needs	(+/-)		(+/-)		
4.			Agreement Past Majority	(+/-)		(+/-)		
5.			Overall Financial Condition	(+/-)		(+/-)		
6.	TOTAL (In	sert on Li	ne F.2. below)	_				

F. <u>DEVIATION(S) FROM REBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION AMOUNT</u>

AMOUNT ALLOWED

			Party Name	Party Name
1.	Basic Parental Child Support Obligation (Line D.13. from above)			
2.	Total Child Support Adjustments (Line E.6. from above)		(+/-)	
3.	Adjusted Subtotal (Line F.1. +/- Line F.2.))		
4.	Equal Parenting Time Obligation (☐ EPT Worksheet or ☐ Shared Expense	e Formula)		
5. a	Ability to Pay Calculation Child Support Income (D.1) Po	verty Guidelines	s for Household o	of One =
5. b.	Subtotal (lesser amount of F.3 and F.5.a)			
6.	Social Security Dependent Benefits		(-)	(-)
6. b.	Final Subtotal			
7.	Enforcement Fee Allowance** (Applied only to Nonresidential Parent) ((Line F.3. x Collection Fee %) x .5) or (Monthly Flat Fee x .5)	Percentage Flat Fee \$	(+)	(+)
8.	Net Parental Child Support Obligation (Line 5.b. + Line F.4.)			_
**Parent paying	g support.			
Prepared By (Si	ignature)	Judg	e/Hearing Office	er Signature
Prepared By (Pr	rint Name)			
Date Submitted	<u> </u>	Date	Approved	

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WYANDOTTE COUNTY, KANSAS

In the	Matter of			
	lame) (Mic your full legal nam	Idle Name) (Last Name) le above)	(Jr./Sr./III)	
and			Case Number	
		ldle Name) (Last Name) legal name above)	(Jr./Sr./III)	
		<u>PARENT</u>	ING PLAN	
1.	This Parenting	Plan is ☐ temporary ☐	permanent. (Check one of the two boxes)	
2.	This Parenting	Plan is: (check one of the t	three boxes)	
	☐ Agre	(Print your name) eed to by both parties. eloped by the Court.		
Section	on 1. General	Information		
1.1	For the purpose	es of this parenting plan,	the following definitions apply:	
	Parent A is	/rite the name of one parent	, and	
	Parent B is	/rite the name of the other p	parent.)	

Parent	A is	Parent B is				
1.2	This parenting plan applies to the fo	ollowing children: <i>(Fill out the chart.)</i>				
	Child's Initials	Year of Birth				
Section	on 2. Legal Custody (Decision-	Making)				
2.1	B.2. as needed.) A. Joint Legal Custody. Parents "Joint legal custody" means that bot to, and have responsibility for mat interests. Neither parent's rights are cooperate to determine what is in the	s shall have joint legal custody of their minor th parents have equal rights to participate in, ters of health and education in their child(re superior to the other parent's rights, and their children's best interests.	child(ren). contribute en)'s best			
0	R					
	B. Sole Legal Custody. Joint lega	al custody is not in the child(ren)'s best intere	ests.			
	"Sole legal custody" means that the	e parent given sole legal custody has the pri	mary right			
	to decide matters of health and edu	ucation in the child(ren)'s best interests.				
	The parent not given sole legal custody may make emergency decisions affecting the					
		e child(ren) is in that parent's physical care a				
	Even if one parent has sole legal	custody the other parent can still access in	nformation			

regarding the child(ren) unless the court specifically orders a restriction in B.2. below and

states the reasons for that determination.

Parent A is	Parent B is
B.1.	Sole legal custody is granted to Parent A Parent B for the following reasons: a. Agreement of the parents.
	 □ a. Agreement of the parents. □ b. The other parent is unable or should not be allowed to exercise decision-making because:
	☐ c. There is a danger to the child(ren) because:
	d. Other:
B.2.	☐ Restriction of Information Regarding the Child(ren) to Non-Legal Custodian. ☐ Parent A ☐ Parent B is restrained from accessing the child(ren)'s health, educational and other personal information because of the following specific reasons:

Parent A is	Parent B is
Section 3. Parenting Time Sched	lule. (Physical Custody)
3.1 Parent A Parenting Time	
Parent A shall have parenting time be properties pm as follows: Parent A's Weekday Schedule	ginning at am _ pm ending at am
Parent A's Weekend Schedule	:
Parent A's Other Times:	
3.2 Parent B Parenting Time	
Parent B shall have parenting time be	ginning at am _ pm ending at am
pm as follows:	
Parent B's Weekday Schedule	:

Paren	t A is _		Parent B is	_
	Parer	nt B's Weekend Schedule:		
	Parer	nt B's Other Times:		
3.3		ay & Special Occasion Parenting	g Schedule	
	□ A.		in the (name co	
		•	holiday parenting time. The holiday schedul	
			kday and weekend schedule. A copy of the ho	•
			(name county) are attached uded in the guidelines, then the regular sch	
		controls.	ided in the guidelines, then the regular son	caule
			ay schedule to this Parenting Plan. Do not comple elow.)	ete the
	OR			
	□ B.	The holiday schedule is as follows	s:	
		The holiday schedule will take	priority over the regular weekday and wee	kend
		schedule. If a particular holiday i	is not specified below, then the regular sch	edule
		controls.		
			chart. You may want to look at your child(ren)'s s is or school breaks to include in the "other" se	

Parent A is	Parent B is

HOLIDAY PARENTING SCHEDULE	Parent A	Parent B
New Year's Day (January 1): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (3rd Monday of January): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
President's Day (3rd Monday in February): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Spring Break: From(day) at(time) until(day) at(time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Spring Break: From(day) at(time) until(day) at(time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Memorial Day/Weekend (last Monday in May): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Mother's Day/Weekend (2nd Sunday in May): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Father's Day/Weekend (3rd Sunday in June): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Independence Day (July 4): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year

Parent A is	Parent B is

HOLIDAY PARENTING SCHEDULE	Parent A	Parent B
Labor Day/Weekend (1st Monday in September): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Halloween (October 31): From(day) at(time) until(day) at(time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Thanksgiving Day/Weekend (4th Thursday in November): From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Winter Break: From(day) at(time) until(day) at(time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Winter Break: From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Parent A's Birthday: From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Parent B's Birthday: From(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Child's Birthday: Child's name(day) at(time) until (day) at(time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Child's Birthday: Child's name From(day) at(time) until(day) at(time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year

Parent A is	Parent B is

HOLIDAY PARENTING SCHEDULE	Parent A	Parent B
Other:(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Other:(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Other:(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Other:(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Other:(day) at (time) until(day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year
Other: (day) at (time) until (day) at (time)	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year	☐ Even years ☐ Odd years ☐ Every year

Parent	A is Parent B is
3.4	Vacation Schedule (Check all boxes that apply.)
	☐ No specific weeks will be set aside for vacations.
	Each parent may designate (number) of week(s) each year during which they will have exclusive parenting time of the child(ren) and the regular schedules do not apply. However, during this period, the Holiday Schedule still applies. Parent A will have first choice of weeks in odd-numbered years. Parent B will have first choice of weeks in even-numbered years. The parent with the first choice of weeks must designate the vacation weeks by March 31st of each year. The parent with the second choice of weeks must designate the weeks by April 15 of each year.
	☐ Other:
3.5	Child(ren) Exchange
	If a specific location for an exchange is not stated in the parenting time schedule above, then the exchange will happen at the following location: (Check the box that applies.)
	All exchanges will happen at the child(ren)'s school or childcare provider when school or childcare is in session. If, or when, school or childcare is not in session, all exchanges will happen at the locations as follows:
	☐ All exchanges will happen at the residence of ☐ Parent A or ☐ Parent B.
	☐ Exchanges will happen as set out below:

Parent	A is Parent B is
3.6	Transportation Costs for Parenting Time (Check the boxes that apply.)
	☐ Each parent will pay the expenses associated with his or her own transportation to and from the exchange location unless otherwise indicated in this parenting plan.
	☐ Transportation costs shall be split equally between both parents.
	☐ Transportation costs shall be split proportionally as shown on Line D.2 of the current child support worksheet.
	☐ All transportation costs shall be paid by ☐ Parent A or ☐ Parent B.
	Other:
3.7	Communication Between Parents
	All communication regarding the child(ren) shall be between the parents. The parents shall
	not use the child(ren) as a messenger to convey information, ask questions, or set up
	schedule changes.
	Parents shall communicate with each other: (Check all boxes that apply.)
	in person
	☐ by telephone
	☐ by text
	☐ by email
	other:

3.8 Changes to the Parenting Time Schedule

The plan may be changed by mutual, written agreement of the parents. Both parents understand that any permanent changes must be approved by the court to be binding and enforceable.

Parent	f A is Parent B is	
Section	on 4. Dispute Resolution Process	
4.1	Disputes between the parents, other than about child support, shall be submitted to: (Check one of the two boxes)	
	☐ Mediation by:	
	(name of mediator)	
	☐ The following dispute resolution method:	
Section	on 5. Military Deployment, Mobilization, or Unaccompanied Tour	
5.1 notice	☐ Parent A ☐ Parent B is a military servicemember and the following shall apply upo of deployment, mobilization, temporary duty, or unaccompanied tour:	n
	A. A parent receiving deployment, mobilization, temporary duty or unaccompanied tour orders from the military shall be considered a "deployed parent."	
	B. The absence, relocation or failure to comply with a parenting order by a "deployed parent," shall not by itself constitute a material change in circumstances to make any permanent change to the parenting plan.	/
	C. Any court order limiting previously ordered parenting rights due to the parent's deployment, mobilization, temporary duty, or unaccompanied tour shall state that event as its basis and shall constitute only a "temporary order."	
	D. The nondeploying parent shall give the court and deployed parent at least 30 days advance written notice of any change of address or telephone number.	
	E. The nondeploying parent shall reasonably accommodate the deployed parent's leav	е

schedule.

Parent	A is Parent B is
	F. The nondeploying parent shall assist with telephone and electronic communication between the child(ren) and the deployed parent.
	G. The deployed parent shall give the nondeployed parent timely information about the deployed parent's anticipated deployment, leave during deployment, and release from deployment.
	H. During deployment, mobilization, temporary duty, or unaccompanied tour, the parents shall make decisions about the child(ren) by the following methods:
	 I. During deployment, mobilization, temporary duty, or unaccompanied tour, the child(ren) shall live with: Parent A Parent B Other and the deployed parent shall have the following parenting time with the child(ren) when available:

Section 6. Address Change

- **6.1** Each parent shall tell the other parent of any address change in writing at least 30 days before changing address by sending written notice to the other parent by certified mail restricted delivery, return receipt requested, at that other parent's last known address.
- **6.2** Each parent shall tell the other parent of any plan to remove any child(ren) from the State of Kansas for more than 90 days by sending written notice to the other parent by certified mail restricted delivery, return receipt requested, at that other parent's last known address.
- **6.3** A parent is not required to give written notice of removal to the other parent under either (A) or (B) if the other parent has been convicted of a crime specified in Article 34 (crimes against

Parent A is	Parent B is
persons), Article 35 (sex offenses), or Article 36 (crimes affecting family relationships and children) of Chapter 21 (Crimes and Punishments) of the Kansas Statutes Annotated to which the child(ren) was the victim.	
Section 7. Other Requirements	
7.1 Other requirements for this parenting plan:	
Section 8. Signatures: Required if agreed upon by the parties.	
Parent A	Parent B
Signature:	Signature:
Name:	Name:
Address:	Address:
Phone Number:	Phone Number:

Email:

Date Signed:

Attorney's Signature (if any):

Attorney's Name (if any):

Email:

Date Signed:

Attorney's Signature (if any):

Attorney's Name (if any):