Examples of Custody Schedules

Standard possession – Dad has every other weekend, Friday after school until Monday at school. If there is no school, usually 5pm Friday to 8am Monday. Time is specified in decree. One parent 88%, other 11%

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 2	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad
Week 3	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 4	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad
Week 5	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom

Extended Standard possession – If Dad asks, almost always granted. Standard plus Thursday night, but not overnight. Generally, after school until 9pm. One parent 82%, other 18%.

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 2	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Dad
Week 3	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 4	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Dad
Week 5	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom

2-2-5 schedule – Mom and Dad pick 2 days of the week they always have and swap weekends. Typically, this is set up with standard M-F workweek. If parents are fully employed over the weekend and go through a non-court trial other agreements could be reached. With this arrangement, one parent has 50.1% of the timeshare while the other parent has 49.9%.

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom
Week 2	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad
Week 3	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom
Week 4	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad

Week	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom
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50/50 Week schedule – Full week with Mom, then Dad. Typically, Monday through Sunday. The split may be on a different day, such as Wednesday or Friday. With this arrangement, one parent has 50.1% of the timeshare while the other parent has 49.9%.

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1	Mom	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad
Week 2	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 3	Mom	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad
Week 4	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 5	Mom	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad

3-3-4 schedule – Mom and Dad pick 2 days of the week they always have and a single weekend swap. Typically this is set up with standard M-F workweek. If parents are fully employed over the weekend and going through a non-court trial other agreements could be reached. One parent gets 50.3% of the timeshare while the other parent gets 49.7%. Saturday is the common rotation.

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1	Dad	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad
Week 2	Dad	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 3	Dad	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad
Week 4	Dad	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
Week 5	Dad	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom	Mom	Dad

2-2-3-2-2 schedule – This is one example, the days could shift, however this swapping of weekends is common. This is the most common for cases where children are under 5 years of age and not enrolled in public school. One parent 51%, the other 49%. When the child is of public school age, parents often petition the court for a different schedule which meets

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom
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Week	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad
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Week	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom
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Week	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad
4							
Week	Dad	Mom	Mom	Dad	Dad	Mom	Mom
5							