
(NOTE: This form may be used in both civil and criminal cases.)
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Worksheet C is used when there is more than one child involved in the pending action and each parent has physical custody of at least one of the children.

Lines 1 through 4 of Worksheet C are calculated in the same manner as lines 1 through 4 of Worksheet A. On line 5a, enter the number of children living with each parent and the total number of children for whom support is sought. Divide the number of children living with each parent by the total number of children and enter the result in the appropriate column for each parent on line 5 b. (For example, if there are three children of the parties and one child lives with the plaintiff, divide one by three and enter $33.33 \%$ in plaintiff's column, then divide two by three and enter $66.67 \%$ in defendant's column on line 5b.) Multiply line 4 by line 5b for each parent and enter the results on line 5 c .

On line 6a, multiply defendant's line 5c by plaintiff's line 3 (plaintiff's percentage share of income) and enter the result in the column for plaintiff. Multiply plaintiff's line 5 c by defendant's line 3 and enter the result on line 6 b .

Lines 7a through 7d of Worksheet $C$ are calculated in the same manner as lines 5 a through 5 d of Worksheet A . On line 8, multiply line 7d (Combined) by line 3 for each parent and enter the result under the column for that parent. Subtract line 8 from line 7d for each parent and enter the result on line 9 (if negative, enter zero).

Subtract line 9 from line 6 a or 6 b for each parent and enter the result on line 10 under the appropriate column. In some cases, the result may be a negative number. If the result is negative, enter it as a negative number on line 10 , not as a positive number or as a zero. If plaintiff's line 10 is greater than defendant's line 10, enter the difference between these two amounts on line 11 under plaintiff's column and leave defendant's column blank. If defendant's line 10 is greater than plaintiff's line 10, enter the difference between these two amounts on line 11 under defendant's column and leave plaintiff's column blank. [Note that if either of the numbers on line 10 is a negative number, you must change the signs when you subtract. For example, $\$ 100$ minus negative $\$ 50$ equals $\$ 150$.]

NOTE TO PLAINTIFF AND DEFENDANT: The information required to complete the worksheet is known only to the parties. It is the responsibility of the parties to provide this information to the Court so that the Court can set the appropriate amount of child support. The Clerk of Superior Court CANNOT obtain this information or fill out this worksheet for you. If you need assistance, you may contact an attorney or apply for assistance at the IV-D agency within your county.

