

Utah Statutory Guidelines for Visitation
For Children Younger Than 5 Years
Utah Code Ann. 30-3-35.5, rev. 3 May 2023

Non-custodial parent is entitled to the following minimum parent-time:

BIRTH – 4 MONTHS

- 3 two-hour visits per week
- 2 hours on each holiday specified in 30-3-35
- Custodial home, established child care setting, or other familiar setting

5 – 8 MONTHS

- 3 three-hour visits per week
- 2 hours on each holiday specified in 30-3-35
- Custodial home, established child care setting, or other familiar setting

9 – 11 MONTHS

- 1 three-hour visit per week
- 1 eight-hour visit per week
- 8 hours on each holiday specified in 30-3-35
- Brief phone contact or virtual parent-time 2 times per week

12 – 17 MONTHS

- 1 three-hour visit per week
- 1 eight-hour visit on alternating weekends*
- 1 overnight visit on opposite weekends, 6 pm Friday – 12 noon Saturday
- 8 hours on each holiday specified in 30-3-35
- Brief phone contact or virtual parent-time 2 times per week

18 MONTHS – 35 MONTHS

- One weekday evening per week, 5:30 to 8:30 pm**
- Alternating weekends, 6 pm Friday – 7 pm Sunday
- Holidays as per 30-3-35, as if children were 5-18 years
- Brief phone contact or virtual parent-time 2 times per week
- Summer extended time: Two 1-week periods separated by at least 4 weeks***

3 & 4 YEARS OLD

- Same as above; extended time consists of two 2-week periods separated by at least 4 weeks***

ALL AGES

- 30 days advance notice for extended time or vacation week
- Phone/virtual parent-time only if technology available, and for reasonable times and lengths

* To be specified by non-custodial parent

** If child is in daycare, non-custodial parent may pick up earlier w/ advance notice to custodial parent

*** One period uninterrupted, one period subject to parent-time for custodial parent