

ADOPT-210 Adoption Agreement

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① Your names (*adopting parents*):
a. _____
b. _____
Relationship to child: _____
Your address (*skip this if you have a lawyer*):
Street: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Your phone number: (____) _____
Your lawyer (*if you have one*): (*Name, address, phone number, and State Bar number*): _____

Fill in court name and street address:

Superior Court of California, County of

Fill in case number:

Case Number:

② Child's name:
Before adoption: _____
After adoption: _____
Date of birth: _____ Age: _____

③ I am the child listed in ② and I agree to the adoption.

Date: _____

Type or print your name

▶ _____
Signature of Child (child must sign at hearing if 12 or older; optional if child is under 12)

④ *If only one adopting parent, read and sign below:*

- a. I am the adopting parent listed in ①, and I agree that the child will:
- (1) Be adopted and treated as my legal child (Fam. Code, § 8612(b)); and
 - (2) Have the same rights as a natural child of mine, including the right of inheritance.

Date: _____

Type or print your name

▶ _____
Signature of Adopting Parent (sign at hearing)

- b. I am the spouse or state-registered domestic partner of the adopting parent listed in ①, and I agree to his or her adoption of the child.

Date: _____

Type or print your name

▶ _____
Signature of Spouse or State-Registered Domestic Partner



Your name: _____

5 *If two adopting parents, read and sign below:*

We are the adopting parents listed in **1**, and we agree that the child will:

- (1) Be adopted and treated as our legal child (Fam. Code, § 8612(b));
- (2) Have the same rights as a natural child of ours, including the right of inheritance;

and I agree to the other parent's adoption of the child.

Date: _____

Type or print your name

▶ _____
Signature of Adopting Parent (sign at hearing)

and I agree to the other parent's adoption of the child.

Date: _____

Type or print your name

▶ _____
Signature of Adopting Parent (sign at hearing)

6 For *stepparent/domestic partner* adoptions only:

*If you are the legal parent of the child listed in **2**, read and sign below:*

I am the legal parent of the child and the spouse or state-registered domestic partner of the adopting parent listed in **1**, and I agree to his or her adoption of my child.

Date: _____

Type or print your name

▶ _____
Signature of Legal Parent (sign at hearing)

7 Executed:

Date: _____

▶ _____
Judge (or Judicial Officer)