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<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<events>
  <event>
    <week>-mtwtf-</week>
    <starttime>06:00</starttime>
    <endtime>11:59</endtime>
    <playlist>morning.m3u8</playlist>
  </event>
  <event>
    <week>SMTWTF</week>
    <starttime>12:00</starttime>
    <endtime>20:59</endtime>
    <playlist>afternoon.m3u8</playlist>
  </event>
</events>
```

As an App developer, you might want to be able to schedule your app from long distance. For example, your app might be running at all of your customer's stores across the country. You define an XML Schedule Protocol and program your app to read and perform the commands in an XML schedule file that you create. Once an XML Schedule file has been created, it can be uploaded over the internet to each device. In this way, the schedule on which your app runs can be managed remotely.

This sample file is used by Video Kiosk to schedule playback times for media files. The structure of the configuration file was determined by the developer of the app. A user can then follow the Syntax Guide to create an XML file and then use it to control the playback behavior of Video Kiosk.

How to Create an XML file

When you create an XML file, follow these guidelines.

- Follow the **General XML Specification rules** so that your XML file complies with the XML Standards. In particular, note that an **XML file must be a Plain Text file** so that it is machine-readable.
 - For more information about the general XML Syntax rules, see <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/XML>
- Follow the **Syntax Guide (content requirements)** for the type of XML file you are creating. A syntax guide should be available from the developer or standards body that created the XML File. Most often a sample file or an app to create the file is available.
 - For example, here is the Video Kiosk Schedule XML file Syntax Guide available in the [Video Kiosk Users Manual](#).

XML Element	Description	Required
<events> />	A list of all playback events	Required
<event> />	A single playback event	Required for event
<week> />	Events occurs on multiple days of the week. Define days using the string "SMTWTF", using the letter to include the day and a "-" to skip the day. Use all 7 characters or the event will be ignored.	Use either <week> or <dayofweek> for each event, not both
<dayofweek> />	Event occurs for a single day. Valid Values: Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat	Use either <week> or <dayofweek> for each event, not both
<starttime> />	The time the event starts (24hour clock, format "99:99")	Required for event
<endtime> />	The time the event ends (24hour clock, format "99:99")	Required for event
<playlist> />	A playlist to use for this event	Optional
<path> />	A path to use for this event	Optional

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- Create the File** using a text editor. An easy way to do this is by starting with an existing file of the type you are creating and edit it.
 - For example, to create a Video Kiosk Schedule XML file, download the [Video Kiosk Schedule XML File Sample Kit](#) and edit the sample file in it. (Just remember to also edit the filename.)
 - <https://burningthumb.com/wp-content/uploads/video-kiosk-xml-schedule-file-sample-kit.zip> Syntax Guide available in the [Video Kiosk Users Manual](#).

How to create an XML file - Mac

To create a plain text file on Mac, use an editor like TextEdit. (We used TextEdit because it comes free with your Mac.)

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2. Create your .XML file

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<events>
  <event>
    <name>start</name>
    <start time="08:00" />
    <end time="11:00" />
    <playlist morning.<name>/playlist>
  </event>
  <event>
    <name>start</name>
    <start time="11:00" />
    <end time="12:00" />
    <playlist afternoon.<name>/playlist>
  </event>
</events>
```

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3. Enter the commands as documented in the Syntax Guide
4. Format it as plain text (TextEdit > Format > Make Plain Text)
5. Save your file and change the extension to ".XML" (TextEdit > Save)
6. When it prompts you about the file extension, confirm "Use .XML"

How to create an XML file – Windows

To create a plain text file on Windows, use an editor like Notepad. (We used Notepad because it comes free with your PC.)

1. Open Microsoft Notepad



2. Create your .XML file
3. Enter the commands as documented in the Syntax Guide
4. Save your file and change the extension to ".xml" (Notepad > Save)

Video Kiosk and XML files

Video Kiosk uses XML files to store configuration data for a variety of Video Kiosk features. If you're planning on using XML files with Video Kiosk, please be aware of the file naming conventions by Video Kiosk that change the file extension.

To edit the XML file, you need to name it with the file extension ".xml". To deploy it with Video Kiosk, you need to add the corresponding Video Kiosk file extension to the end of the filename.

Here's an example:

1. You create a schedule file for the Video Kiosk at your gym and name it "gym-videoloop-2021.schedule.xml". You use the ".xml" file extension so your computer knows which app to use to open the file.
2. Once you're ready to deploy the file on Video Kiosk, change the filename to "gym-videoloop-2021.schedule" and copy it to your device. You use the ".schedule" file extension so Video Kiosk knows how to use the file.
3. When you need to make changes to the schedule file, rename it "gym-videoloop-2021.schedule.xml" and make your changes.
4. Once you're ready to deploy the modified file on Video Kiosk, change the filename back to "gym-videoloop-2021.schedule" and copy it to your device.

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For more information about the valid syntax for each Video Kiosk XML File, refer to the [Video Kiosk Tutorials](#) or the [Video Kiosk Users Manual](#)

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