



PET ADOPTION APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in adopting a pet! To help find the best match possible, please complete this form. *This is the first step in the process of adopting a pet from HSSM. The application provides important information regarding decisions on permanent and responsible "forever homes" for our animals and this information will be held in the strictest confidence. PLEASE NOTE: We reserve the right to accept or deny adoption to any applicant. No animal will be adopted to persons who mislead or fail to provide accurate information on the adoption application.*

Name of pet you are interested in: _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Primary phone # _____

Email _____

Please tell us about your household:

How many people live in your home: _____ How many children? _____

Are any of them under 5 years of age and if not, do you have small children who frequently visit your home?
Yes _____ No _____

Are the people in your home ready and willing to add a dog member to your family?
Yes _____ No _____

Do you own your home? Yes _____ No _____ How long? _____

If not, please list your landlord's name and phone number below:

Name _____

Phone # _____

Our home is: Active _____ Quiet/Low-key _____ Somewhere in between _____

We understand an average cost of caring for a pet can exceed \$1,500 and are prepared for these expenses
Yes _____ No _____

Have you had a pet before/now? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please list your pet's name, species and age below.

Please list your current/past veterinary clinic and phone number below. Should you do not have a veterinarian, please provide a reference other than a family member.

Dogs

Please tell us about a dog you would like to adopt:

_____ Easy to walk _____ playful _____ quiet _____ loves other dogs
_____ Is okay being alone _____ special needs _____ active _____ likes cats
_____ Likes kids

Please tell us unacceptable traits:

_____ Plays rough _____ jumps _____ destructively chews _____ is anxious

Would you be willing to train a dog with these issues? ___ Yes _____ No

If yes, how will you do training? _____

We are adopting for

_____ Our family _____ Our children _____ Campion for another pet _____ Security

When we are not at home, our dog will spend time

_____ In a crate _____ loose in the house _____ confined in a room
_____ In the yard (needs to be fenced) _____ other (please explain) _____

Our dog exercise plans are: _____ leash walks _____ hiking, jogging, ect.

_____ dog park _____ obedience or agility training

Please understand it may take a new pet 2 weeks or more to adjust to a new home and/or to other pets and visitors.

Please consider adopting this animal. Animals are not a short-term commitment; they do require daily attention. Make sure your lifestyle allows time, emotional commitment, and financial responsibility this pet will need over its life span.

I certify that I have read the above information and all the information I have given is true, accurate, and subject to verification by HSSM. I understand that any falsification may result in the nullification of an adoption.

Signature **Printed name** **Date**

Driver's License State and Number _____
Please be prepared to show ID.

CATS

What is your past and/or current experience with cats?
_____ 1st time owner _____ have had 1 or 2 cats _____ had a cat as a child

Who will care for this primarily (feeding, playtime, vet visits)?

Why do you want a cat? (Check all that apply) _____ Mouser/barn cat _____ Companionship
_____ Children _____ travel companion _____ other (please explain) _____

Where will you keep this cat? (Check all that apply) _____ Free run of house _____ In garage
_____ Crate in house _____ Basement _____ Other (explain) _____