



# DOG ADOPTION REQUEST

## WHICH PET(S) WOULD YOU LIKE TO MEET?

PET NAME:	COMMENTS:

In order to be considered for an adoption you must:

- Have the knowledge and consent of all adults living in your household
- Have a valid photo I.D. present

## PLEASE FILL OUT BOTH SIDES OF THIS APPLICATION COMPLETELY

1. NAME: \_\_\_\_\_
  2. NAME OF SPOUSE/ROOMMATE(S): \_\_\_\_\_
  3. NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN HOME: ADULTS \_\_\_\_\_ CHILDREN \_\_\_\_\_ AGES OF CHILDREN \_\_\_\_\_
  4. IS ANYONE IN THE HOUSEHOLD ALLERGIC TO ANIMALS?  YES  NO  
IF YES, WHO? \_\_\_\_\_ TO WHAT? \_\_\_\_\_
  5. JOB TITLE(S): \_\_\_\_\_
  6. ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_
  7. MAILING ADDRESS (if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_
  8. TELEPHONE: HOME: \_\_\_\_\_ WORK: \_\_\_\_\_  
MOBILE: \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL ADDRESS(S): \_\_\_\_\_
- May we email you animal story updates and shelter news?  Yes  No
9. TYPE OF DWELLING:  HOUSE  CONDO  APARTMENT  OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_
  10. DO YOU:  RENT  OWN  LIVE WITH PARENTS
  11. LANDLORD/ PARENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_
  12. PRIMARY REASON FOR ADOPTING THIS DOG?  Companion for self  Protection  
 Companion for other dog  Gift  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  13. ARE YOU LOOKING FOR INDOOR, OUTDOOR, OR INDOOR/OUTDOOR DOG? \_\_\_\_\_
  14. WHERE WILL THE DOG BE WHEN YOU'RE NOT AT HOME?  Indoors  Outdoors  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  15. WHERE WILL THE DOG SLEEP? \_\_\_\_\_
  16. HOW MANY HOURS A DAY WILL THE DOG BE LEFT ALONE? \_\_\_\_\_
  17. WHAT OUTDOOR SPACE IS AVAILABLE TO THE DOG?  FENCED YARD  KENNEL  GARAGE  
 UNFENCED YARD  OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_
  18. HEIGHT OF FENCE: \_\_\_\_\_ APPROXIMATE AREA OF YARD: \_\_\_\_\_

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19. HOW MUCH TIME ARE YOU WILLING TO SPEND HELPING THIS PET ADJUST TO YOUR HOME AND LIFESTYLE?

\_\_\_\_\_

20. UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD YOU NOT KEEP THIS DOG?

\_\_\_\_\_

21. WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF THE DOG WAS DESTRUCTIVE? (CHEWING, BARKING, HOUSE SOILING):

\_\_\_\_\_

22. WHAT DO YOU FEEL IS AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOR? \_\_\_\_\_

23. WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF THIS BEHAVIOR OCCURRED? \_\_\_\_\_

24. HOW DO YOU PLAN TO HOUSE TRAIN YOUR DOG? \_\_\_\_\_

25. DO YOU OWN A PET NOW?  Yes  No (If yes, please list below.)

26. HAVE YOU HAD PETS IN THE PAST?  Yes  No (If yes, please list the animals owned in the past 5 years.)

Type of animal	How & why obtained?	How long kept?	Where is the animal now?

27. WHO IS/WAS YOUR VETERINARIAN FOR THE ABOVE ANIMALS?

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE INITIAL AFTER EACH STATEMENT:

I understand that adopting an animal is a financial commitment and may incur costs associated with feeding, licensing, and providing veterinary care for the animal. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that a dog may live 15 years or more. \_\_\_\_\_

By signing below, I certify that the information I have given is true and that I recognize that any misrepresentation of the facts may result in my losing the privilege of adopting a pet. I understand that an incomplete application will not be processed. I authorize investigation of all statements on this application. I understand that this application is the property of the Humane Society of Southwest Missouri and will not be returned to me.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

STAFF NOTES:

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INFORMATION VERIFICATION:

LANDLORD CHECK: \_\_\_\_\_ STAFF INITIAL: \_\_\_\_\_

VET CHECK: \_\_\_\_\_ STAFF INITIAL: \_\_\_\_\_

APPLICATION:  A  D  DNA

Application denied? Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

ENTERED INTO PETPOINT: \_\_\_\_\_ ENTERED BY: \_\_\_\_\_