

ADOPTION APPLICATION

Johnston County Animal Protection League (JCAPL)
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Please Print

Date: _____ Time _____ Pet you wish to adopt: _____
Name: _____ Home phone: _____
Address: _____ Work phone: _____
City, St., Zip: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Driver's license #: _____ Ages of children in your home: _____
Do you own or rent your home? _____ If renting, how many pets are allowed? _____
E-mail address: _____

List all pets you own now, or have owned in the last five years:

Name	Dog/cat/other	Age	Spayed/Neutered (yes/no)	Is pet still with you?
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Who is your veterinarian? _____ Phone: _____
Street, City: _____ Are your current pets up-to-date on their yearly
vaccinations? _____ If no, please explain _____

Please note: JCAPL must speak with your veterinarian before committing to an adoption.

How many hours a day will your pet be left alone? _____
Who will look after your pet when you go on vacation? _____

Why are you looking to adopt this pet? (check all that apply)
_____ companion _____ guard dog _____ company for another pet
_____ gift _____ watch dog _____ mouser

Where will this pet spend daytime hours? inside/outside/dog house/crate/kitchen/barn/other _____
Where will this pet be kept during the night? _____

The average dog or cat may live more than 10 years. Are you ready to accept such a long-term
commitment? _____

If you move, what happens to your pet? Will you look for a place that accepts pets? Will you find
your pet another home? Please explain: _____

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The average healthy pet costs over \$200 per year just for routine visits/vaccinations. Larger animals can cost much more. Are you prepared for this much of a financial commitment? _____

For Dog Adoptions:

Is your property fenced? _____

If yes, what type of fence? circle one: wood / chain link / underground / other

Have you ever obedience-trained a dog? _____

Do you plan to train this dog? _____

Have you ever crate-trained a dog? _____

Will you crate this dog? _____

Do you plan to give this dog heartworm preventative? _____

If your adopted dog shows negative behavior, would you consider formal training? _____

For Cat Adoptions:

Have you owned any declawed cats? _____

Do you plan to declaw this cat? _____

Do you plan to let this cat outdoors? _____

Please note: JCAPL prohibits declawing of their cats older than 1 year, and strongly discourages declawing of cats at any age. Ask your JCAPL adoption counselor about alternatives to declawing.

This document is an application for adoption. Completing this application does not constitute a promise of pet adoption. The JCAPL screening process can take one or more business days to obtain approval. All animals available for adoption will be spayed or neutered prior to going to their new home. In some cases, there may be a short wait until surgery for the pet. JCAPL will always work as quickly as possible to have pets join their new families.

By filling out this application, you are giving JCAPL and its representatives the right to check any references given. JCAPL reserves the right to refuse adoption to any individual for any reason.

Pets are not "adopted" until the JCAPL Adoption Agreement is signed, the adoption fee is paid, and the pet leaves with its new owner. Adopted pets may be returned to JCAPL within 7 calendar days for a full refund. After 7 days, JCAPL will accept returned pets, but no refund will be given.

I understand and accept the terms of this JCAPL adoption application.

Signature

Date