

Feline Adoption Information

Initial Adoption Costs (Unless Otherwise Marked on Kennel Card)

\$145 – Kittens between 2 - 9 months

\$ 95 - Cats 10 Months to 7 years

\$ 25 – Senior Cats over 7 years

\$ 6.60 – Cardboard Carrier

****all cats must leave the shelter in a carrier***

IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR AN ADOPTION TODAY, YOU MUST:

1. Be at least 18 years of age.
2. Have legal identification with your current address.
3. Be able and willing to spend the time and money necessary to provide the training, medical treatment and proper care for this Cat.
4. Understand that the Auburn Valley Humane Society reserves the right to deny the adoption of any Cat for any reason.



Animal guardianship is a major responsibility, and one that should not be taken lightly. In Auburn Valley Humane Society's ongoing effort to find the best possible homes for its animals, we ask that you take the time to fill out this questionnaire and expect to spend time discussing it with one of our adoption representatives before the adoption can be considered and completed.

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Your Name: _____ DOB: _____ Gender: _____

Address: _____ Apt. # _____ How long? _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Address Type: House Apartment Condo Manufactured Home Other Do not Mail

Home Phone #: _____ Cell Phone #: _____

2nd Cell Phone #: _____ Work Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Type: Personal Work

Cat you are interested in Adopting: Name: _____ Animal Number: _____

Where did you hear about this pet? Shelter Walk in AVHS Website AVHS Facebook At Event
 Other organization Website or Facebook

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Do you live in a House Apartment Condo Manufactured Home Other? _____

Do you own the dwelling in which this Cat will live? Yes No

Do you reside with your parents or other adults who own the dwelling? Yes No

Did you secure permission from the property owner or your landlord to adopt a cat for this residence? Yes No

1. Why do you want to adopt a cat? Companionship For My Children As a Companion for my Pet
(Please check all that apply) For Me Exercise for Myself Other _____
2. Have you ever adopted from AVHS or any other shelter before? Yes No
If yes, when and where? _____
3. Have you ever turned an animal into any shelter? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
4. Does anyone in the household have an allergy to cats? Yes No
5. Who will be primarily responsible for the cat? _____
6. Who will take care of the cat in your absence (i.e. vacation, emergencies)? _____
7. How much time do you plan on spending with this cat each day? _____
8. Do you plan to have this cat declawed? Yes No If yes, do you understand that declawing involves removal of the 1st knuckle and not just the nail tip as well as the potential side effects of such an operation? Yes No
9. How long do you plan to provide a home for this cat? _____
10. How much do you think it will cost each month to care for this cat? _____
11. Do you have pets at home? Yes No If yes, are they spayed or neutered? Yes No
12. If yes, please list your animals. Cats: _____ Dogs: _____ Other: _____
Have they ever lived with cats before? Yes No
13. Do you have pet experience other than your current animals? Yes No
14. If yes, please explain: _____
15. Do you have children in your home? Yes No If yes, how many? _____
Please check ages of children: 0-6 7-9 10-12 13-16 17+
16. Other adults? Yes No How many? _____
17. Please rate your household activity level, by checking the most appropriate number below:
(1=Very Quiet, 3=Varies Daily and 5=Very Active)
Quiet 1 2 3 4 5 Active

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(Please circle all that apply below)

18. What age cat are you interested in? Kitten (0-12 mos.) Adolescent (12mo.-2 yrs.) Adult (2-8 yrs.) Senior (9+ yrs.) Depends on the cat
19. I want my new cat to be: Active Calm Confident/Outgoing Independent Lap Cat
 Good w/Other Cats Playful Able to Travel Good w/Kids Other: _____
20. What qualities are important to you in a cat?
 Easygoing Easy Care Easily Trained Ready to go, go, go! Happy Go Lucky Housebroken
 Responds to Commands Cuddly/Snuggly Loves All People Loves Other Animals Quiet doesn't Meow A Lot
21. What times of day will your cat be alone (i.e. a.m./p.m.)? _____ For How Long: _____
22. Have you ever had a cat that:
 Did Not Use the Litter Box Was Shy/Hid A Lot Played Rough Was Destructive
 Nipped When Petted Was Aggressive Towards People
How did you handle it? _____
Was it successful? Yes No
23. Where will this cat stay? Indoor/Outdoor Indoors at First, then Indoor/Outdoor
 Outdoors Only Indoors Only
If outdoors:
a. What type of outside shelter will you provide this pet during winter months? _____
b. What type of outside shelter will you provide this pet during the summer months? _____
24. Do you have a veterinarian? Yes No
Name of Vet: _____ Phone Number: _____

Please keep in mind that your home will seem foreign to this cat for several weeks. Extra precautions will need to be taken to ensure that this animal does not run away because the animal does not realize it is home. Windows, doors and escape routes must be given extra attention until your new pet adjusts to its new home.

SCHEDULING THE RETURN OF ADOPTED ANIMALS

We understand that not all adoptions are a perfect fit to your family. Before considering returning an animal, which you have adopted from AVHS, within the initial 30 day period, you MUST schedule an appointment by calling 253-249-7849.

AVHS is not responsible if your new pet runs away and will not refund your money based on this action alone. I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND THAT ANY FALSE INFORMATION MAY RESULT IN NULIFYING THIS AND/OR FUTURE ADOPTIONS.

Adopter's
Signature _____ Date _____

AVHS Representative (please print) _____ Date: _____

AVHS Signature _____