

Application for cat/kitten adoption



1 Applicant details

Title _____ First name _____ Family name _____
Street _____ Suburb _____
City _____ Postcode _____
Phone-home _____ Phone-work _____
Mobile _____ Email _____

What is your NZ residency status?

NZ citizen Permanent resident Other, please state _____

2 Your household

How many people live in your household? _____ Please provide ages of any children under 18 _____

What best describes your current living situation?

Renting Own your own home live with family Other, please state _____

If renting you require your landlord's permission:

Landlords name: _____ Contact: _____

Is a new baby expected in your family? No Yes

Does anyone in the home suffer from animal related allergies? No Yes

3 Planning for a cat in your household

Have you owned a cat before? No Yes

If yes, what happened to it? _____

Please describe the current pets in your household: _____

Have your current pets been vaccinated? No Yes

If yes, approx. when? _____

It may take several weeks for your cat/kitten to adjust to its new home. Where will you keep your cat until it settles? _____

Are you aware how often to vaccinate, de-worm and de-flea a cat? No Yes

(We would be happy to provide help and advice with this. SPCA cats are currently up-to-date with vaccinations.)

Do you know where your local vet clinic is? No Yes

If yes, where? _____

How will your cat be cared for if you go on holiday? _____

If your cat developed a behavioural issue, what would you do? _____

What is the main reason for you adopting a cat today?

Gift for family or friend Family pet Companionship Pest control purposes

Other, please state _____

Are you aware of the responsibilities and cost of owning a cat? No Yes

(We would be happy to discuss this with you. Cats can live 15 years or more so you need to be prepared for a long term commitment.)

4 Signature

We appreciate your cooperation in completing this form. Our aim is to adopt each cat to the most suitable owner. We reserve the right to decline any application at our discretion and to request proof of ID. You must be over 18 to adopt a cat or kitten.

Please sign below to indicate your understanding of this.

Signature: _____ DATE: _____ / _____ / _____

Cat/kitten adoption agreement



Date _____/_____/_____

Details of adopted cat/kitten #1

ID no: _____

Name: _____

Colour/markings: _____

Microchip number: _____

Room no. _____

Comments: _____

Estimated age: _____

Breed: _____

Sex: male female

Details of adopted cat/kitten #2

ID no: _____

Name: _____

Colour/markings: _____

Microchip number: _____

Room no. _____

Comments: _____

Estimated age: _____

Breed: _____

Sex: male female

Conditions of animal adoption

I understand and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. I accept full responsibility for the animal I have chosen to adopt and for its welfare.
2. I understand that at the time of the adoption SPCA is acting in good faith and is not aware of any health concerns affecting the animal. However, if SPCA is aware of any existing health issues, these will be clearly disclosed and explained to me, and I choose to adopt the animal with knowledge of these health issues.
3. I understand that I may have rights and remedies available to me under the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993. Subject to that Act, if the adopted animal shows signs of ill health within 14 days of the date of this agreement, SPCA may, in its sole discretion, refund you part of the veterinary costs you incur, provided:
 - a. SPCA is given immediate notice of the illness;
 - b. you take the animal to a veterinary facility of SPCA's choice; and
 - c. SPCA agrees in writing to provide the refund prior to the commencement of any treatment.
4. I will abide by all relevant laws of New Zealand, including the Dog Control Act 1996 (where applicable) and the Animal Welfare Act 1999. I understand that I must provide the animal with suitable and sufficient animal food, water, shelter and veterinary treatment and that I commit an offence if I do not do so.
5. I will ensure all details for the animal on the microchip database remain current.
6. If I need to rehome the animal, I shall ensure this is done with due diligence, care and skill to ensure the best outcome for the animal.
7. I have read, understand, and agree to SPCA's Privacy Policy (available on www.spcan.z/privacy). I authorise SPCA to collect and retain my name and contact details, and to disclose those details to certain related entities, contractors, personnel, agents and other third parties, for the purpose of adopting the animal, and for other purposes described in SPCA's Privacy Policy. I authorise SPCA to disclose those details, and details of my adopted animal, to any Council and its Animal Management Contractors, for the purpose of registering my adopted animal with those entities.
8. I agree to SPCA disclosing my contact information with third parties, such as Southern Cross Pet Insurance and Nestlé Purina PetCare, for the purpose of promoting and marketing their goods and services, and informing me of new goods, special offers, and events which might interest me.

Adoption Fee \$ _____

Name: _____

Witness (placement officer): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____/_____/_____