



*South Shore  
Humane Society*

**CAT ADOPTION APPLICATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Names and ages of others in household who will share responsibility for your new pet:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Age of children, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you own or rent? \_\_\_\_\_

House

Apartment

Duplex

Mobile Home

Condo

How long have you lived at your current address? \_\_\_\_\_

If you rent, landlord's name and phone number: (You may wish to inform your landlord that we will be calling) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you anticipate on moving? \_\_\_\_\_

What will you do with the cat/kitten if you move? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Your occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list 2 personal references that we may contact (not family) :

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Does anyone in your household have allergies that you are aware of? Yes No  
If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Where will your cat be kept when no one is home? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan on de-clawing your cat/kitten? Yes No

Do you intend to keep this cat/kitten outdoor full time or part time? \_\_\_\_\_

If your new cat/kitten begins to claw the furniture or rugs, how do you plan to correct the behavior?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If you have other pets, how do you plan on introducing them? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever surrendered an animal to a shelter? Yes No  
If yes, please explain the circumstances \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever adopted an animal? Yes No  
If yes, when, where and what type of animal?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Tell us about your current pets (Species, Age, Sex, Altered):

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Who is/was your veterinarian? Please inform your veterinarian that we will be calling to allow for release of information):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you owned a cat/kitten(s) before? Yes No

Type of cat you are looking for: age, size, breed, sex, temperament, etc.

\_\_\_\_\_

The purpose of the adoption procedure is to find the best home for each animal, ***to find them a loving forever home.*** Please **read and initial** the following:

I understand that a new cat/kitten will require patience, understanding and training to make it the friend I want it to be . The adjustment period is different for each animal, but I am committed to making it work. \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to contact SSHS should I need to re-home the cat/kitten \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that many shelter animals come with unknown histories and behaviors, and I am willing to invest the time to train or retrain my cat/kitten \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that while all known health concerns have been divulged , we cannot guarantee the health or temperament of any animal. I agree to assume full responsibility for any medical conditions that arise subsequently to adoption \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to contact SSHS (or a qualified positive trainer) if behaviors arise that I need help with \_\_\_\_\_

*The staff at SSHS strives to achieve the most successful match for both cat/kitten and prospective family. Thus, this application may not result in the adoption of a particular cat/kitten.*

I hereby certify that the above information is true. I understand that any falsification discovered during the adoption process may result in nullification of this adoption. Please email completed application to [south.shore.humane.society@gmail.com](mailto:south.shore.humane.society@gmail.com)

Applicants Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

SSHS Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved

Denied

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