

Adoption Application



Sit With Me Rescue
Ottawa, Ontario
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Date:

Name:

Address:

City:

Province:

Postal Code:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email:

Dog(s) Applied for:

Best Time to Contact:

Day	Time	Method (email or phone - which #)
Mon		
Tues		
Wed		
Thurs		
Fri		
Sat		
Sun		

Occupation

Do you rent or own your home?

If you rent, do you have your landlord's permission to adopt a dog?

Yes No N/A

Please provide your landlord's contact information:

Name	Address	Phone	Email
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

How long have you lived at your current residence?

Do you have a fully fenced yard? yes no

If yes, please describe (type of fencing, height):

How will the fenced area be used?

How many people over 21 reside in your home?

How many people under 21 reside in your home? What are their ages and relationship to you?

Please tell us about all the people your dog will come in contact with on a regular basis including your spouse/ partner, roommates, children, neighbourhood children, friends and relatives.

What attracts you about the dog(s) you are applying for?

Please list your current pets if any:

Name	Breed	Age	Sex	Spayed/ Neutered (Yes/ No)	Up to Date on Vaccines?

Has your pet ever lived with another dog? If so, please describe how they interacted.

Please explain your daily routine and how it will be with a new rescue pet added to the family.

Have you ever owned a dog previously? If so, what happen to that dog?

Have you ever had to re-home/give away a pet? If so, what were the circumstances and what happened to that pet?

Have you ever had to euthanize a pet for behavioral issues? If so, what were the circumstances?

Where will the dog sleep?

Where will the dog stay during the day when you are home?

How do you plan to exercise your new dog? What type of exercise? How long? How often?

How many hours per day will the dog be home alone?

Where will the dog stay when you are NOT home?

What is your expectation regarding a rescue dog's *obedience* training level when they arrive in your home?

Please describe in detail what behaviours in a dog and training are important to you.

Do you plan on taking your newly adopted dog to obedience classes?

Please provide the name of your trainer and contact information if applicable.

Name	Phone	Address	Email

Under what circumstance(s) would you find it necessary to re-home your pet?

- New Baby
- Current Pets Don't like Rescue Dog
- Allergies
- Divorce/ Separation
- Change in Schedule
- Illness
- Moving

Behaviour Issues:
Please Explain

Other:
Please Explain

Are you willing to adopt a dog with any of the following behavioural/ health issues (please check all that apply):

- | | | | |
|--|--|--|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not House Trained | <input type="checkbox"/> Cat Aggressive | <input type="checkbox"/> Mobility Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Barks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mouthy | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Animal Aggressive | <input type="checkbox"/> On a Special Diet | <input type="checkbox"/> Shy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dog Aggressive | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior | <input type="checkbox"/> Blind | <input type="checkbox"/> Deaf |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Incontinent | <input type="checkbox"/> Separation Anxiety | <input type="checkbox"/> On Medication | |

Please describe how you would handle coming home to find that your dog has chewed a piece of furniture or something valuable of yours:

Please describe how you would handle an altercation at a dog park between your dog and another dog:

Please describe how you would handle finding a notice from animal control on your door stating that your dog is barking while you are not home and that one of your neighbours has complained:

How would you teach your dog not to jump up on people?

How would you teach your dog not to pull on leash?

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Have you applied to adopt a dog anywhere else in the last year? (This is okay!)

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Please provide a vet reference if applicable . If you do not currently have a vet, please provide us the contact information of the clinic you are planning on using.

Name	
Address	
Phone Number	
Email	

Please provide 2 references other than relatives:

Name		
Address		
Phone Number		
Email		

Are you aware of the financial responsibilities in owning a dog? Accidents and illnesses can happen at any time and depending on the needs of the dog, vet care can range from a few hundred to a few thousand dollars per year. Are you able and willing to take on this financial obligation?

Yes No

Can you afford the full adoption donation of \$400?

Yes No

We strongly encourage our adopter to take their new dogs to training classes and as such we offer a \$50 refund of the adoption fee if you enroll and complete a training class with your dog within the first 4 months of adoption . This would include obedience classes, Rally-O, Agility and any other class that helps strengthen the bond between human and pet.

Submitting this application indicates that I am at least 21 years of age and intend on being the legal owner and the person responsible for the care and well being of any dog that I adopt from Sit With Me Rescue. I give permission to representatives of Sit With Me Rescue to contact all of my above references, landlord, veterinarian and trainer and understand that completing an application does not guarantee any animal will be adopted to me. By submitting this application I agree to a representative of, or on behalf of, Sit With Me Rescue to conduct a home visit at a mutually agreed time when all members of the household are present. I also certify that all of the above information is true and nothing was intentionally withheld.

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