

# The Ark Fostercare Program

## Feline Agreement and Application

In order to assist you in finding your new family member, we ask that you read and fill out the attached application.

### Adoption Requirements:

- Completed application ● 3-5 day waiting period
- \$125.00 adoption fee for cats and kittens

### WHAT YOUR ADOPTION FEE COVERS

For Cats & Kittens, your adoption fee includes the following:

- Microchipping
- Vaccinations up-to-date
- FIV Test ● Spayed/Neutered\*\*  
*\*\*ARK volunteer will provide details if kittens are not spayed/neutered due to young age at the time of adoption.*
- Veterinarian examination
- Worming/Additional treatment(s)
- One month free Pet Insurance

**If this application is completed at a Petsmart store and ARK volunteers are not present, please give it to a store representative who will fax it to The ARK.**

**Thank you,**

***The Ark Fostercare Program***

**Phone: (765) 246-6223**

**Fax: (317) 203-0722**

# The Ark Fostercare Program

To adopt a cat from The Ark Fostercare Program, adopter must agree to the following:

1. Adopter assumes full responsibility for this animal for the animal's entire lifetime.
2. Adopter will not allow this animal to breed. If animal is not already spayed or neutered, adopter agrees to spay or neuter adopted pet(s) by six months of age.
3. Adopter will take the animal to a veterinarian for examinations and immunizations at least annually and will procure immediate veterinarian care should the animal become ill or injured.
4. Adopter is adopting animal as a companion. Adopter will not chain an animal indoors or outdoors. Adopter will provide proper and sufficient food, water, shelter, and kind treatment at all times.
5. If adopter has other pets at home, adopter attests to the fact that all animals are current on their annual vaccinations and are spayed or neutered.
6. All cats require time for adjusting to family and other pets. Adopter realizes this and accepts responsibility to provide proper and humane treatment and/or training in dealing with these and all other issues with adopted pet.
7. Adopter agrees to pay the \$100.00 adoption fee for a feline companion. For kittens, a spay/neuter certificate is included in the adoption fee. The certificate is redeemable at a local vet. It is the adopter's commitment to spay/neuter the kitten by the time he/she is six months old. If adopter does not spay/neuter adopted companion(s) by their one-year birth date, adopter agrees to pay an adoption penalty of \$200 to The Ark.
8. Adoption fee will be reimbursed only if animal is returned due to health problems that arise within a 30-day time frame, and if animal is returned to the care of The Ark.
9. Adopter agrees to return animal to The Ark at any time during its life if adopter decides pet is no longer wanted. Adopter will not give animal away without first obtaining the written approval of The Ark. (This pet is being adopted to you because we feel you will provide a fit, loving home.) You are strongly encouraged to call The Ark within 30 days of adoption should adjustment problems become an issue, such as not getting along with other pet(s) in household. Please understand it is The Ark's goal to assist you with your new companion's transition into your home. We have resources available to assist you with any questions and concerns.
10. Adopter is aware that The Ark employees and volunteers may not know the full background of the animal you are adopting. Therefore, you are adopting your pet knowing he/she may have other behaviors/traits that will require training to correct.

I have read the adoption agreement and fully understand it and agree to be bound by its adoption criteria.

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Signature of Adopter

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Date

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Name of Pet Adopting

Name of Store \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

**The Ark Fostercare Program**

# Feline Adoption Application

Phone: (765) 246-6223 // Fax: (317) 203-0722

(where you saw this pet)

**\*\*Please allow 3-5 days to process this application. Any questions blank or incomplete may slow down the process.**

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

How long at address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Number \_\_\_\_\_ Work Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ How long employed \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ How long at address \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Please check one: Own \_\_\_\_\_ Rent \_\_\_\_\_

2. If you rent, we must verify with your landlord permission to own a pet.

Landlord's name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

3. Does everyone in your house want to adopt a cat? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

4. How many adults live in your home? \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Ages of children in your home \_\_\_\_\_

6. Is anyone in the household allergic to pets? \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Who will be the primary caregiver for this cat? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Why do you want to adopt this pet? Companion \_\_\_\_\_ company for another pet \_\_\_\_\_ gift \_\_\_\_\_ barn cat  
\_\_\_\_\_ house pet \_\_\_\_\_ other \_\_\_\_\_ please explain \_\_\_\_\_

9. What pets do you currently have in your household?

Name	Dog	Cat	Spayed/Neutered	Outdoor	Indoor	Age
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

\_\_\_\_\_ List additional  
pets on the back of this page. Please indicate their name, age, if they are spayed/neutered, outdoor/indoor. **Are there  
more pets on backside?** Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

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10. List pets owned in the past five years other than those listed previously.

**\*\*A veterinarian check will be completed. Failure to disclose all animals owned can result in an application not being approved.**

Dog/Cat	Age When Adopted	Spayed/Neutered	How Long Owned	What Happened to Pet
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

11. Are your pet(s) vaccinations current? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

12. Name of veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

13. How many hours on the average per day will your cat spend alone? \_\_\_\_\_

14. Will your cat be an inside \_\_\_\_\_ or an outside \_\_\_\_\_ pet?

15. What will you do with your cat during vacations? \_\_\_\_\_

16. What will happen to your cat if you move? \_\_\_\_\_

17. Under what circumstances would you not keep this cat?

Moving \_\_\_\_\_ New baby \_\_\_\_\_ Divorce \_\_\_\_\_ behavior problems \_\_\_\_\_ Not using litter box \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain any of the above in more detail. \_\_\_\_\_

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