

# HOMING REQUIREMENTS

- Maximum of **6 cats per household**
- For rented accommodation we require **written proof from the owner of the property.**
- Live a **reasonable distance away from main roads and heavy traffic**
- Have **access outdoors** once the cat has settled in (we do not normally rehome cats as house cats, unless there is a specific reason e.g. elderly/illness)
- **Kittens may be rehomed in pairs** (unless you are at home most of the day yourself or we feel the kitten you have chosen is suitable to be a single kitten.)
- If you adopt a kitten that is too young to be neutered, please be aware we will ask you to sign a contract stating you will have the kitten neutered by 6 months of age.

These requirements are to ensure adequate welfare standards for our animals. Only in exceptional circumstances will we consider any alternative measures. We reserve the right to refuse applications for adoption if we have reason to believe the home is unsuitable for the animal. This decision is final.



# RE-HOMING PROCESS

1. On your visit to the SAA you will be shown our cats that are available for adoption in our homing unit. We will ask you questions about your home and family to enable us to recommend a cat that will have a good chance of settling in with you successfully.
2. If both you and staff think a cat would be suitable you can place a reserve on them.
3. This is followed up by a pre-adoption home visit to check suitability.
4. Provided everything is ok after your home visit you can make an appointment to collect your new cat. We do ask for a minimum donation (details can be found on the back of this leaflet) . **We aim to have the whole adoption process complete in approximately 1 week. Please do not reserve a kitten if you have an upcoming holiday or other commitments that will delay the process.**
5. Once the adoption process has been completed we will contact you to check that your new companion has settled in. If for any reason you are experiencing any problems or have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us and we will endeavour to help you however we can.

# ABOUT OUR CATS

On admission all cats are kept for a period of 2 weeks whilst we monitor their health and perform veterinary checks.

All cats are neutered (provided they are old enough), micro chipped, vaccinated\*, dewormed, defleaed and health checked by our current veterinary practice. Adopters will be made aware of any issues raised. **We ask for a minimum donation of £80 per kitten and £70 per adult cat to help us continue our work and provide this care to more cats in need.**

\*Vaccinations are started prior to re-homing but you may need to get the second one done, depending on how long the cat has been with us, the cost of which is the responsibility of the adopter.

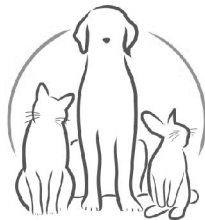
The SAA cannot be held responsible for any health problems that develop after adoption so we highly recommend you take out a 'covered for life' insurance policy.

## Society for Abandoned Animals

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# CAT ADOPTION INFORMATION



Animals that are adopted from a rescue environment need plenty of patience, care and love to help them settle successfully into a new home. We aim to carefully match animals to potential new owners, and to provide as much information as possible to new owners about their background and behaviour to maximise the chance of successful adoption. We also offer advice and support after our animals are adopted.

If there is a particular type of cat you are looking for, e.g. a specific colour, please be aware that the animals in our care change frequently so please keep in regular contact.