



New Pet Owner Checklist



Research Comparison

	Animal 1	Animal 2	Animal 3
KSL Listing Number	_____	_____	_____
Breed	_____	_____	_____
Age	_____	_____	_____
Size	_____	_____	_____
Special Needs	_____	_____	_____
Price	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____



Pet-Proofing Your Home

- Place cleaning supplies out of animal's reach
- Remove plants toxic to cats or dogs
Lilies, snake plants, sago palms, elephant ears, etc.
- Hide/secure exposed wires
- Inspect and repair outdoor fencing
- Use childproof latches on cabinets as needed
- Keep toilet lid(s) closed
- Make sure all air vents are covered



Basic Supplies

Cross out any not applicable to the type of animal you chose.

- Collar and ID Tag
- Leash and harness
- Size-appropriate container
Kennel, crate, puppy gates, travel carrier, playpen, etc.
- Bed
- Habitat decor and temperature control
- Food and water bowls
- High-quality food
Dry, canned, fresh, etc.
- Food storage containers
- Special treats
- Books and other training materials
- Grooming supplies
Shampoo, nail clippers, brushes, combs, etc.
- Waste removal items
Biodegradable bags, scoops, litter box, sludge destroyer, odor neutralizer, etc.
- Toys



Medical Needs

- Schedule appointment with a veterinarian
- Microchip placement or transfer
- Vitamins
- Medication
- Pet insurance
Optional, but recommended.