

# Perfect Match

## APPLICATION TO ADOPT OR FOSTER A CAT OR KITTEN

RSPCA Lincolnshire Mid and Lincoln

Great news; you want to adopt or foster a cat or kitten from us. We just need to get a few details from you so we can find the perfect animal for you. Please answer honestly so we find the right match!

### A FEW DETAILS ABOUT YOU:

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Post code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (Please provide two)

*(We will normally contact you between 9am-5pm, Monday to Friday)*

### A FEW DETAILS ABOUT YOU:

Branch Website  National Website  Previous adopter  Referred by other rescue

Word of Mouth  Already aware of centre/branch

### YOU ARE INTERESTED IN:

ADOPTING OR  FOSTERING

Single cat  Pair of cats  Either

Age of cat:  Kitten  Less than 2 years  2-5 years  5-8 years  8+ years  Any

Gender of cat:  Male  Female  Either

Have you seen a cat or kitten on our website that you are interested in? If so, please provide name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

There may be the possibility that the cat or kitten you are interested in has been reserved or has multiple applications, would you consider another cat in care who the branch may match to your family?  Yes  No

**A LITTLE BIT ABOUT YOUR HOME:**

**Do you:**  Own  Rent

If you rent your property, we are required to have sight of permission from your landlord. Please provide the name and contact number of your landlord:

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact number:** \_\_\_\_\_

Are you attaching a copy of written permission from your landlord?  Yes  No

**Do you live on or close to a main road?**  Yes  No

**If 'Yes', we will be unable to rehome a cat to you who will be going outside. Please confirm that you understand this:**  Yes

**If 'No', what provision do you have for allowing the cat(s) outside** (eg. Catflap, open window, letting out through a door):

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**Do you have a garden?**  Yes  No  Communal

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**A LITTLE BIT ABOUT YOUR FAMILY:**

**Who lives at home?**

\_\_\_\_\_ Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Children (under 18) **Children's ages:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Any visiting children?** (under 18)  Yes  No

If yes, their ages: \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency of visits: \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you a first-time cat owner/fosterer?**  Yes  No

If 'Yes', have you done research on what a cat requires? Please provide details:

**Do you own any other cats?**  Yes  No

If yes, how many? \_\_\_\_\_ Please state their gender(s):  Male  Female

Are they neutered?  Yes  No Have they been vaccinated in the last year?  Yes  No

Are they insured?  Yes  No

Has your existing cat(s) been in contact with another cat before?  Yes  No

**Do you own any other pets?**  Dogs  Rabbits  Guinea Pigs  Birds  Rodents

**Other** please state: \_\_\_\_\_

Have all members of the family been in contact with cats before?  Yes  No

If 'yes', please provide details:

Do you have any visiting animals (eg. Family/friends' cats and dogs)? If so, please provide details:

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### A LITTLE BIT ABOUT YOUR LIFESTYLE:

How long do you expect to leave the cat alone on a regular basis? \_\_\_\_\_ Hours

Is this  Daytime  Evening  Night-time How often?

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you planning any of the following?  Moving house  Holiday in the next 3 months

New family member (eg. new baby)

**Guidance advises any new cats to be kept indoors for a period between 4-6 weeks before allowing them outside of the property to allow them time to adjust to their new surroundings. Please confirm that you are aware of this guidance:**  Yes  No

Is there anything else you'd like us to know about?

## YOUR IDEAL CAT WOULD:

**Be good with dogs**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Be good with other cats**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Be litter-trained**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Be comfortable around children**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Enjoy being picked up/petted**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Enjoy playing with toys**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Be happy to stay inside**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Be able to go outside**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Be more suited to a farm/outdoor lifestyle**  Very Important  Quite Important  Not Important

**Whilst every care is taken to find the right cat for you, we cannot guarantee their behaviour once they are in their new homes.**

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dated:** \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for taking the time to complete a perfect match form. Please send your completed form through to us on [office@rspca-lincoln.org.uk](mailto:office@rspca-lincoln.org.uk) for processing.

We'd love to keep you updated about our fundraising activities, products and ways in which you can support us to help animals.

Tell us how you would like to hear from us:  Post  Email  Telephone

Whilst every care is taken to find the right animal for you, we cannot guarantee behaviour.

Please note, if your application is not successful for the animal you have applied for, we will not make contact with you.

All personal information supplied by you on this application form will be processed by the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals whose privacy policy is available and published at: [www.rspca.org.uk/privacy](http://www.rspca.org.uk/privacy) or on request by calling Supporter Services on 0300 123 0346. This applies whether the information is supplied directly to the national RSPCA (charity number 219099), as data controller, or is shared with us by an RSPCA Branch (a separately registered charity) as a joint data controller. The term "RSPCA" will refer to both data controllers.