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Pets

A pet is an **animal** that lives inside your house or apartment. Many people choose to have pets. Dogs, cats, birds, fish, reptiles and rodents are examples of pets people live with. Click on the picture of the dog



Pet Chores

People who own pets have pet chores that need to be done. These chores are different depending on the pet. Feeding pets, cleaning after pets and exercising or playing with pets are examples of different pet chores.



Daily Dog Chores

People who have dogs for pets have many chores that need to be done. Feeding and giving a dog clean water every day are examples of daily pet chores.

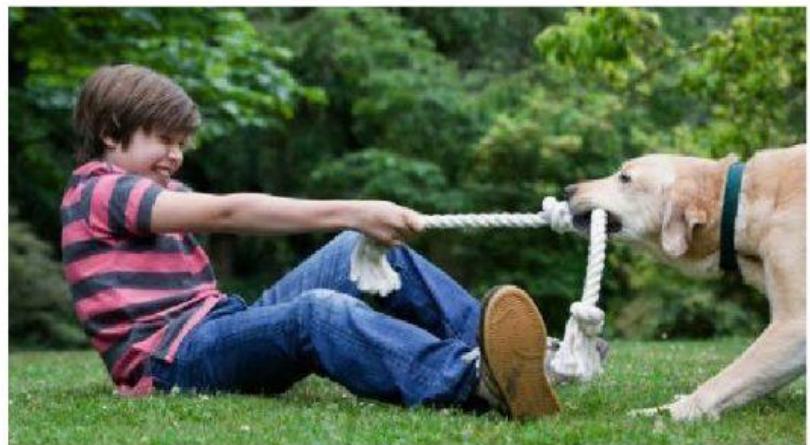


Walking a dog is another example of a daily pet chore.

Walking a dog allows the dog to get exercise and use the washroom.



Playing with a dog is another example of a daily pet chore. Fetch and tugging rope are examples of ways people play and exercise pet dogs.



Weekly Dog Chores

Picking up dog poop around the yard is an example of weekly pet chore. There are special poop bags you can use or a small trowel to do this chore.



Monthly Dog Chores

Giving your pet dog a bath and trimming their claws are examples of monthly chores. Dogs spend a lot of time outside and get dirty and smelly. Their claws also get long and need to be trimmed so they don't scratch people.

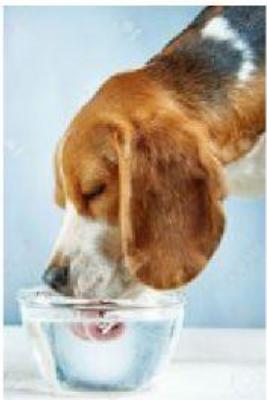


Occasional and Seasonal Dog Chores

Giving your pet dog a haircut and taking them to the vet are examples of occasional and seasonal pet chores. In the summer months dogs get warm so it is important to keep their hair short so they don't overheat. The vet also makes sure your dog is in good health.



Click the pictures of dog chores.



Homework Activity #1

Watch the video of Ms. Pacini and her pet.

What pet does Ms. Pacini have?

What is the name of her pet?

What game does her pet like to play?

Dogs can make a mess inside your home. What are some cleaning chores that need to be done if you have a dog for a pet?