

Bird Adoption Questionnaire

Why do I need to provide my personal information before meeting an animal?

We request that any potential adopters fill out initial information before meeting an animal, so that our staff can better serve you and your needs. This information will help us place animals in new homes, and we ask for your cooperation in the exciting process of bringing your new pet to you.

Name:

Address:

Apt. #:

City:

Postal Code:

Phone Number:

Email:

FOR OFFICE USE:

P#: _____

A#: _____

Date: _____

ABOUT YOU AND YOUR HOME

1. Please select the appropriate age category:

Under 18 18+

2. What best describes your living environment?

Townhome
 House
 Apartment/ Condo

Do you: Rent Own

3. In your home, what is the number of:

Adults (18+)
 Children

4. Are there other pets in your household?

Yes No

5. Do you know how to introduce your pets to a bird?

Yes No

6. Are you adopting this bird to bond with your current bird?

Yes No

7. Does anyone suffer from any allergy/asthma in your home?

Yes No

8. Does anyone smoke inside your home?

Yes No

PET CARE

9. Have you had birds before?

- Yes No

10. Were you the primary caregiver?

- Yes No

11. Is your home prepared for this bird?

- Yes No

12. Are you aware of the life expectancy of this species?

- Yes No

13. Are you aware of the noise level of this species?

- Yes No

14. Do you currently have an enclosure meeting our minimum size requirement?

- Yes No Unsure

15. What is the best diet for this bird? (select all that apply)

- Seed mix Veggies Pellets

20. What enrichment opportunities will you provide?

21. Do you intend to take your bird to a vet? Yes No

22. Do you currently have an avian vet? Yes No

23. How much do you estimate it will cost to care for this animal each year? Including vet care, food, toys, supplies, etc.

- Under \$100 \$100 - \$250 \$250 - \$500 \$500 - \$1000 \$1000 +

24. Are you financially prepared to take care of this animal? Yes No Unsure

25. Are you interested in and prepared for a small mammal with current behavioural challenges?

- Yes No

26. How would you address unwanted behaviour?

16. What is the best cage liner for your bird? (select all that apply)

- Newspaper
 Blank paper/ newsprint
 Paper towel
 Other

17. Do you intend to clip your bird's wings?

- Yes No

18. How much free-flight time will your bird have each day?

- 10 to 20 minutes 30 to 45 minutes
 1 hour 2 to 4 hours
 4+ hours

19. How much time do you expect to spend actively socializing with your bird each day?

- 10 to 20 minutes 30 to 45 minutes
 1 hour 2 to 4 hours
 4+ hours

TELL US WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR

27. Age:

- Baby
- Young adult
- Adult
- Senior
- No preference

28. Size:

- Small
- Medium
- Large
- Extra Large
- No preference

29. Type/ Species:

30. Personality:

31. It is very important for my bird to: (select all that apply)

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Be friendly with me | <input type="checkbox"/> Enjoy being held/ pet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Be friendly with children | <input type="checkbox"/> Be quiet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Be low maintenance | <input type="checkbox"/> Be beautiful/ unique |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Be active/ playful | <input type="checkbox"/> Be inexpensive |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Be friendly with visitors/ family members | <input type="checkbox"/> Be intelligent |

32. With my new bird, I would like to: (select all that apply)

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Relax and cuddle | <input type="checkbox"/> Have them play with children |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Play together | <input type="checkbox"/> Clicker train |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Watch them play with another animal/ by themselves | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |

HOW FAMILIAR ARE YOU WITH THIS SPECIES?

Fearfulness/ anxiety:

Destruction of property:

Creating messes in the home:

Biting:

Bonding birds:

Safety proofing for birds:

Territorial behaviour:

Screeching:

Unfriendly behaviour with family members/ friends:

Unfriendly behaviour with other pets:

To keep you informed about important campaigns and to ask for support, we will from time-to-time telephone, email and send mail to you. If you would like to receive phone calls, emails or mail please check this box:

Applicant signature:

Date:

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

The information provided will help us to find the best matches to your interests.