## **Parental Consent & Release Form**

Hello and welcome! Thank you for allowing your son/daughter to volunteer for us! We really appreciate the help on busy adoption days! And so do the kitties!

Our adoptions are normally held on the weekends at the Oviedo PetSmart. Some weeks we are there both Saturdays and Sundays and other weeks we are just there Saturday. When we are there both days our hours are 10-3 (Setup starts at 10) on Saturday and 10-3 on Sunday (Breakdown can start anytime from 2:30-3:00). If we are only doing Saturday then our hours are 10-3 with breakdown starting at 3. We ask that if they commit to stay until the end of the day that they stay until everything is packed up.

On Thursdays one of our volunteers will be sending a group text message. All of our volunteers also work full time jobs, so please be patient if it does not come at the same time each week. We ask that the student needing bright future hours respond to this text if they can work that weekend or not and what hours they can be there. This is very important so we can plan the schedule for the weekend.

Inside PetSmart there is limited cell service because of how the building was built. If you cannot reach your son or daughter while there please try texting Jessica (305-394-3287) and if she is in the same dead spot please call PetSmart and ask to be given to cats-can.

This is an excellent opportunity for the student to learn responsibility. It can be chaotic at times, but this volunteer opportunity allows them to speak with many different people and allows them to experience working with other people who have the same goal...get kitties adopted!

We appreciate any and all help on the weekends.

CATS-CAN INC

In order for your son/daughter participate, you must sign the following Consent and Release statement below.

I the undersigned, consent for the volunteer named below to volunteer with CATS-CAN INC. Further, my signature below indicates that I, and on behalf of the volunteer, have read, understand and agree to CATS-CAN INC's Volunteer / Foster Agreement attached to this consent form.

Volunteers name (print)	Volunteers phone number
Your Name (print)	Your phone number
Relationship to Volunteer (parent, legal guardian, other)	
You're signature	Date

## Volunteer / Foster Agreement

In consideration of this opportunity to volunteer with CATS-CAN, I agree to the following terms and conditions, intending to be legally bound by them:

- 1. I will abide by the mission, rules, regulations, policies and programs of CATS-CAN, Inc. while I am a volunteer.
- 2. If I stop being a volunteer for CATS-CAN, Inc. for any reason, or upon CATS-CAN's request at any time, I will promptly return all of CATS-CAN's supplies, equipment, records, moneys, and other items in good, clean condition.
- 3. I assume the risks of being bitten, scratched, injured or frightened by cats and kittens in connection with my volunteer work for CATS-CAN, Inc. CATS-CAN is not liable to me for any injuries, damages, liabilities, losses, judgments, costs or expenses whatsoever, which I might suffer or sustain in connection with the performance of my volunteer activities for CATS-CAN, unless they are the result of CATS-CAN's gross negligence. I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless CATS-CAN INC from and against any claims, lawsuits, injuries, damages, losses, costs or expenses whatsoever, sustained by any companion animal or any person including myself, in connection with and/or as a result of my performance of volunteer activities for CATS-CAN, or my breach of CATS- CAN's rules, regulations, policies and programs.
- 4. I understand and agree that CATS-CAN, Inc. may refuse volunteer applications for any reason and may limit my volunteer activities at their sole discretion.
- 5. If I am sheltering or providing foster care or boarding any of CATS-CAN's animals in my home or business, I consent to CATS-CAN visiting my home or business from time to time to observe the animals and their living quarters.
- 6. I have accurately and truthfully completed this Volunteer Application and Agreement. My signature below indicates that I have read, fully understand and agree to this agreement.
- 7. Any modification to this Agreement must be in writing and signed by both parties. This Agreement is binding upon CATS-CAN, Inc., and upon me, and my respective heirs, successors, assigns, executors, and personal representatives.