

23rd Annual H.O.P.E. Contest

Making Informed Decisions about being a Pet Owner

"Thought Provoking Questions"

Please answer the following with your team members or classmates. This is **Part I** of your project.

1. Name 10 responsibilities of a pet owner.
2. What needs of pets are important to consider before adopting them?
3. What can we do to reduce the pet overpopulation problem in Miami-Dade County?
4. What are some pros and cons of pet ownership?
5. What are the advantages of adopting pets at the Humane Society of Greater Miami and Miami-Dade Animal Services Department?

Bonus

Visit the Animal Services Department at 3599 NW 79th Avenue or visit the Humane Society of Greater Miami at 16101 W Dixie Highway or 17425 SW 97th Avenue and describe your experience. Please include a photograph of your group at the shelter.

This completes Part I of your project.

Part II is your final 300 - 500 multimedia project or report explaining what your team or class did in your community to address the pet overpopulation problem in Miami-Dade County and increase awareness about making informed decisions about being a pet owner.

Good luck and make a difference!

