

Pinellas County Animal Services

Contact information:

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2. Does your organization have 501(c)(3) Status? **Yes**
3. What social issue(s) may students address through community service work at your organization?
Learning the importance of spay and neuter; Importance of Human-Animal Bond; responsible pet ownership; Animal laws and ordinances; Rabies awareness; Reading animal body language and behavior
4. Do you have an age/grade requirement for volunteers? **Yes**
- a. If yes, please specify: **15 (w/out parental supervision). Reading Buddies: Ages 5+ (with parental supervision)**
5. What are some typical activities that students might perform if they complete community service hours with your organization? **Cat Care: Spot clean kennels, enrichment: music, cat buddy groups, alternate toys and treats, grooming. Dog Care: Walking, assist groomer, enrichment: dog play groups, training, alternate music, treats, construct enrichment toys. Office: assemble adoption folders, prepare dog and cat food for community pantry**
6. When can students volunteer at your organization?
- a. Days of the week? **Mon to Sat**
 - b. Typical number of hours per week available/required? **Flexible Scheduling**
 - c. Times they may volunteer? **Flexible**
 - d. Do you have students volunteer during the summer months? **Yes**
 - e. Do you only offer community service hours during the summer? **No**
7. Please briefly list any additional information that students may need to know about your organization if they are considering you as a community service agency: **Pinellas County Animal Services (PCAS) is the largest open admission shelter for dogs and cats in Pinellas County and is centrally located in Largo, FL. PCAS has the capability of housing upwards of 250 dogs and 600 cats at any given time. PCAS has an important mission to protect the health and safety of both human and animal residents. As volunteers, our main goal is to provide an enriching, dynamic environment for adoptable cats and dogs waiting for their forever home.**