



**HSHA BOOK BUDDIES REQUEST FORM**  
(Please either type or use ink and print clearly)

Date of Request: \_\_\_\_\_



The Humane Society of Harrisburg Area, Inc. (HSHA) appreciates your interest in scheduling a Book Buddies session for your child. Our Book Buddy program allows children in grades 1-8 to read their own material to our shelter cats to gain confidence and practice reading while our cats enjoy some human interaction and socialization. As a non-profit organization that does not receive funding from the government or national organizations, HSHA relies on the support of the area we serve in Dauphin, Cumberland, Perry, and northern York Counties to fulfill our mission. Our ability to schedule sessions is dependent on a variety of factors, including the availability of HSHA volunteers and/or staff.

During each Book Buddy session, HSHA will have an experienced Cat Socializer Volunteer take you and your child to the reading area, review the rules, and monitor the cat during the session. You (or your designee, named below) will be able to either sit with your child or visit the public shelter areas during your child's session. You're also asked to provide your child's reading material.

Full Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address (Street/City/ZIP): \_\_\_\_\_

Your e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Your phone: \_\_\_\_\_

If an adult other than Parent/Guardian named above will be chaperoning your child during this session, please provide:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**SESSION REQUEST**

Sessions are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 4:00 and 6:00PM in 30-minute time slots. Please complete the information below and return this form via e-mail, fax, or mail (above) at least 1 week in advance of your first date choice. You will receive a response and confirmation as soon as possible after your request has been processed.

FIRST CHOICE:

SECOND CHOICE:

Day/Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Day/Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Start Time: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please submit the completed form to Kristi Ehrhart at [kristie@humanesocietyhbg.org](mailto:kristie@humanesocietyhbg.org).

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