

A Moment of Self-Reliant Wisdom

Topic: **Is Your Cat Ready?**

Learning objective: The family will prepare their Cat for a natural disaster, keep the following things in a protected area in a portable container (trash can with lid, large plastic box with lid, etc.).

Our pets enrich our lives in more ways than we can count. In turn, they depend on us for their safety and well-being.



<p>72-Hour Kit for Cats</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> 1 week supply of his/her regular cat food. <input type="checkbox"/> You will need a can opener to open canned foods. <input type="checkbox"/> 2 gallons of water <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic food & water dish (non -spill type) <input type="checkbox"/> Easy clean litter box & 20lbs bag of litter. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Extra collar, harness or leash. <input type="checkbox"/> Portable cat carrier. <input type="checkbox"/> Towel or blanket for bedding in cat carrier. <input type="checkbox"/> A favorite toy(s) to chew or play with. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of veterinary records with vaccination and current photo of pet. 	
<p>Kitty First Aid Kit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Gauze & Bandages <input type="checkbox"/> Roll of cloth tape <input type="checkbox"/> Scissors <input type="checkbox"/> 1 week supply of medications 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen peroxide <input type="checkbox"/> Antibiotic ointment <input type="checkbox"/> Tweezers <input type="checkbox"/> First Aid Book for Cat Care 	
<p>Save Your Cat's Life: Make sure your cat wears a collar & identification tag at all times so you can find him/her if lost.</p>			
<p>Transporting Your Cat in an Emergency Plan and prepare ahead of time to make your evacuation with your pet quick and safe.</p>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Make sure identification is clear and precise with a picture. <input type="checkbox"/> Keep cat(s) on leash or in a carrier at all times. <input type="checkbox"/> Avoid feeding pet before leaving. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Make sure cleaning supplies are easily accessible. <input type="checkbox"/> Reaching your destination, give cat(s) a quiet, safe place to rest. Allow it to adapt new surroundings, and then feed & water. 	



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Topic: Is Your Dog Ready?

Learning objective: The family will prepare their Dogs for a natural disaster, keep the following things in a protected area in a portable container (trash can with lid, large plastic box with lid, etc.)

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<p>72-Hour Kit for Dogs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> 1 week supply of his/her regular dog food. <input type="checkbox"/> You will need a can opener to open canned foods. <input type="checkbox"/> 6 gallons of water <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic food & water dish (non-spill type) <input type="checkbox"/> 1 week supply of any medicines if needed. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Extra collar or leash. <input type="checkbox"/> Portable dog carrier. <input type="checkbox"/> Towel or blanket for bedding in dog carrier. <input type="checkbox"/> A favorite toy(s) or chew to play with. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of veterinary records with vaccination and current photo of pet.
<p>Doggy First Aid Kit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Gauze & Bandages <input type="checkbox"/> Roll of cloth tape <input type="checkbox"/> Scissors <input type="checkbox"/> 1 week supply of medications 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen peroxide <input type="checkbox"/> Antibiotic ointment <input type="checkbox"/> Tweezers <input type="checkbox"/> First Aid Book for Dog Care
<p>Save Your Dog's Life: Make sure your dog wears a collar & identification tag at all times so you can find him/her if lost.</p>		
<p>Transporting Your Dog in an Emergency Plan and prepare ahead of time to make your evacuation with your pet quick and safe.</p>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Make sure identification is clear and precise with a picture. <input type="checkbox"/> Keep dog(s) on leash or in a carrier at all times. <input type="checkbox"/> Avoid feeding pet before leaving. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Make sure cleaning supplies are easily accessible. <input type="checkbox"/> Reaching your destination, give dog(s) a quiet, safe place to rest. Allow it to adapt new surroundings, and then feed & water. 	



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