CITY OF ARLINGTON
ANIMAL SERVICES

Volunteer Pre-Orientation
Arlington Animal Services is a division of Code Compliance Services. Our goal is to encourage responsible pet ownership through educational services.
Why Volunteer?

- Give back to the Community
- Gain valuable experience
- Make use of your talents and abilities
- Achieve new skills
- Explore career possibilities
- Improve communication skills
- Stimulate new friendships
- Receive personal satisfaction
- Make a difference!
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Volunteering is extremely rewarding to me and I am glad when I have made their day by coming to the shelter to volunteer.

Volunteering lets us give back to the community and make a difference in our lives as well as the animals lives.

There is more than just walking the dogs that we can do to help out the animals at the shelter.

My main goal is to try my best to get these dogs and cats adopted.
Volunteer Hours

During Shelter operating hours:
  Monday – Friday
    10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
  Second Tuesday of each month 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.
  Saturday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

City of Arlington requests only 4 Hours Per Month.

Scheduling – Helps with Staff Planning
The Youth Volunteer program is during the months of May – August each year.

Parent or legal guardian and minor must be approved.

Parent or legal guardian must volunteer with minor at all times.

Adult and minor must attend orientation.

Minor must be accompanied at all times.

Caution and discretion when volunteering with a child.
Always wear your volunteer badge and volunteer t-shirt.

Pants are **REQUIRED**.

Closed-toed shoes are **REQUIRED**.
Volunteer Opportunities

- Kennels
- Adoption Counselor
- Photography
- Social Media
- Greeter
- Dog and Cat Socializer
- Dog Groomer
- Vet Assistant
- Administrative
- Receiving
- Assessment Assistant
- Education
- Fundraising
- Offsite Adoptions
- Golden PAWS
To become a Volunteer, please complete the following steps:

- Visit the Arlington Animal Services website at [http://www.arlingontx.gov/animals/](http://www.arlingontx.gov/animals/) and click on Volunteer

- Fill out the Volunteer Application found on the website page at [http://www.tinyurl.com/kufnz4k](http://www.tinyurl.com/kufnz4k)

- After you submit your application online, you will be contacted via email to attend Volunteer Orientation at the Arlington Animal Services Center located at 1000 S.E. Green Oaks Boulevard.