

PET FRIENDLY

RENTAL ETIQUETTE



1 CHECK FIRST

LIMIT YOUR SEARCH TO PROPERTIES THAT ALLOW ANIMALS. YOU MIGHT THINK YOU COULD GET AWAY WITH SNEAKING YOUR PET IN, BUT YOU WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY BE FOUND OUT.



2 DOES YOUR RENTAL INSURANCE COVER YOUR PET?

UNFORTUNATELY, IF YOUR PET DOES ANY DAMAGE TO YOUR RENTAL HOME YOU WANT TO BE COVERED BY YOUR RENTAL INSURANCE. IF YOU'RE NOT, LOOK AROUND FOR A DIFFERENT POLICY.



3 CONSIDER THE PROPERTY

DOES THE PLACE YOU'RE LOOKING AT HAVE THE RIGHT FACILITIES? IF YOU HAVE A DOG, A GARDEN MIGHT BE IMPORTANT AS BALCONIES CAN BE A REAL HAZARD IF YOU'RE MOVING INTO AN APARTMENT. WHAT DOES YOUR PET NEED?



4 CLEANLINESS

MAKE SURE ONCE YOU'VE FOUND YOUR PERFECT PET FRIENDLY HOME YOU KEEP IT CLEAN. THIS IS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT FOR APARTMENT RENTERS. YOU DON'T WANT TO GIVE YOUR NEIGHBOURS ANY REASON TO COMPLAIN, AS BAD SMELLS OR MESSSES IN PUBLIC AREAS COULD QUICKLY TURN PEOPLE AGAINST YOUR CUTE CANINE OR FELINE FRIEND.



5 NOISE FACTOR

IF YOUR DOG BARKS A LOT ITS BEST YOU WORK TO CURB THIS BEFORE MOVING INTO A RENTAL PROPERTY. MAYBE AN OBEDIENCE CLASS IN YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD MIGHT BE THE WAY TO GO.

