

Choosing the Right Shelter Dog for Your Family

Think about your lifestyle and time you can commit before choosing a dog.

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Q. How do I adopt the right dog?

A. This is a really big decision since whichever dog you choose will be with you for the next 15 years. Think about your lifestyle and the time that you will have available to commit to your new canine companion. When you visit the animal shelter or rescue group, they will have professional counselors that will help you select the dog that is just right for you.