Caring for Pets

The sentences below tell about pets and how to take care of them. One word in each sentence is written in code. Solve the code to fill in the blanks.

1. Pets need fresh food and __________ every day.
2. Be sure to __________ or comb a pet's fur two or three times a week.
3. Cats belong __________, where they are safest.
4. Dogs and cats should wear __________ and ID tags.
5. Pet owners need to __________ their pets according to the law.
6. Set aside __________ each day to play with your pets.
7. A cat needs a __________ post.
8. Dogs need to go for daily walks on a __________ or play in a fenced yard.
9. Dogs and cats should be __________ or neutered.
10. We need to tell __________ about the need to spay and neuter pets.
11. A pet needs a checkup with a __________ each year.
12. Pets need yearly shots to stay __________.
13. A domestic __________ can be trained to use a litter box, like a cat.
14. Hamsters, guinea pigs, and __________ need clean cages.
15. Responsible owners __________ all about a pet before getting one.

On the back, write three sentences about taking good care of pets. Write one word in each sentence in code, using the code above. Exchange papers with a classmate and figure out each other's sentences.