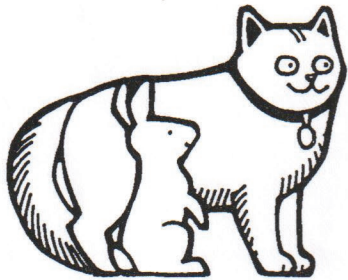


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## Caring for Pets

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.



A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26



- Pets need fresh food and 

23	1	20	5	18
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 \_\_\_\_\_ every day.
- Be sure to 

2	18	21	19	8
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 \_\_\_\_\_ or comb a pet's fur two or three times a week.
- Cats belong 

9	14	4	15	15	18	19
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 \_\_\_\_\_, where they are safest.
- Dogs and cats should wear 

3	15	12	12	1	18	19
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 \_\_\_\_\_ and ID tags.
- Pet owners need to 

12	9	3	5	14	19	5
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 \_\_\_\_\_ their pets according to the law.
- Set aside 

20	9	13	5
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 \_\_\_\_\_ each day to play with your pets.
- A cat needs a 

19	3	18	1	20	3	8	9	14	7
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 \_\_\_\_\_ post.
- Dogs need to go for daily walks on a 

12	5	1	19	8
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 \_\_\_\_\_ or play in a fenced yard.
- Dogs and cats should be 

19	16	1	25	5	4
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 \_\_\_\_\_ or neutered.
- We need to tell 

16	5	15	16	12	5
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 \_\_\_\_\_ about the need to spay and neuter pets.
- A pet needs a checkup with a 

22	5	20	5	18	9	14	1	18	9	1	14
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 \_\_\_\_\_ each year.
- Pets need yearly shots to stay 

8	5	1	12	20	8	25
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- A domestic 

18	1	2	2	9	20
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 \_\_\_\_\_ can be trained to use a litter box, like a cat.
- Hamsters, guinea pigs, and 

16	1	18	1	11	5	5	20	19
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 \_\_\_\_\_ need clean cages.
- Responsible owners 

12	5	1	18	14
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 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.