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3rd Grade

Helping at a Local Animal Shelter

If I were asked to help out at a local animal shelter, I know there would be several very important duties assigned to me.

To get started, I would be assigned to a worker who would give me specific jobs and directions, so I would do the work correctly. My first job would be to clean the cage of an animal. That means any urine or feces would need to be wiped up and picked up. Also, fresh water and food would be given to the animal.

My second job once finished cleaning the animal cages would be to take that animal to the play area. The play area is located outside on the side of the animal shelter. The animal can run freely and get its energy out. After approximately thirty minutes, I would bring the animal inside and give it a bath. This would be my third and final job of the day at the animal shelter. Once done, it would be time to go home.

Volunteering at the animal shelter is a great way to make animals healthy and strong. It also helps instill responsibility in the person who volunteers. I look forward to helping at the animal shelter soon.