# TOWNSVILLE CITY ANIMALS



#### DID YOU KNOW

THREE IN FIVE HOUSEHOLDS, IN AUSTRALIA, HAVE A PET AND 40% OF THESE HOUSEHOLDS HAVE AT LEAST ONE DOG.\*

Pet ownership comes with extra responsibilities to ensure a happy and safe family pet for all involved. Each year in Australia, hundreds of children receive dog bite injuries and require medical attention, with children under five being most at risk. Most children are bitten at home by their family dog.

To educate and help prevent children becoming victims of dog bites and to promote responsible dog and cat ownership, Townsville City Council's Animal Care and Adoption Centre invites you to take part in the Junior Education Program.



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### YOU'RE INVITED!

Council's Animal Care and Adoption Centre invites you to participate in our fun and free interactive Junior Education Program.

Our 30 minute interactive program includes:

- Discussion on what pets need;
- How to safely interact with animals;
- Activities suitable for our audience; and
- The opportunity to meet our real live rescue animals.

This program is designed for children aged 4 - 6 years and is suitable to be delivered at your school, during school hours or by arranging an excursion to the Animal Care and Adoption Centre (ACAC).

All children have the chance to win stickers, bookmarks, and colouring-ins during our session, as well as receive informative flyers to take home to their parents/carers.

#### TO SECURE YOUR BOOKING, CONTACT US TODAY!

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