



Adoption Policies

1. No meets will occur until the applicant(s) have an approved adoption application.
2. After your application has been received, it will be reviewed by The Davis Dog Farm Adoption Team and background checks will be performed. An Adoption Coordinator and/or the foster family will contact you to review your application with you, as well as detail the rest of the process.
3. It is a requirement of The Davis Dog Farm for all current dogs in the household to meet with the selected rescue dog. Dog meets will be performed at the farm under the supervision of trained staff; in some cases, more than one meet may be required.
4. Is it a requirement for all pets in the household to be up to date on all vaccines and seen yearly for check-ups. We also require that all previous pets also saw the vet yearly and were up to date on immunizations. This information will be verified during your veterinarian reference check.
5. We do not ship or transport our dogs. While we are happy to accept non-local applicants, you must be willing to travel to our facility, or the foster home, for both the dog meet and the adoption.
6. We do not hold dogs. You must be available for a meet with the specified dog within a reasonable amount of time (5 days).
 - a) If you cannot be, our adoption coordinator will set up other meets for the dogs and your meet will happen, IF the dog has not been adopted at the time you are available for a meet.
 - b) Once you meet a dog we ask for a decision on adoption within 24 hours.
 - c) If you decide to adopt, the dog must be picked up within 1-2 days. Anything beyond that, a \$100 non-refundable deposit will be required and the dog must be picked up by the date noted in a signed agreement. If pick up does not occur by that date, the deposit is forfeited and our Adoption Team will begin the process of finding the dog a new home.
7. You must be at least 21 years old to adopt through The Davis Dog Farm.
8. We do NOT require a fenced in yard unless noted for a specific dog.
9. All applicants must go through the entire application process, we do not make exceptions to this rule.
10. The Davis Dog Farm reserves the rights to refuse an adoption to anyone for any reason. All adoption decisions are confidential and final.