

## Why You Should Get a Dog

When I walk down the street with my frisky, fluffy, brown dog, Boomer, everyone smiles at us. People just love dogs . . . they can't help it! I believe that dogs are the best pets ever.

Dogs are the best because they are loyal. That means dogs love the people who take care of them. Dogs want to make them happy. In fact, they will even protect them. For example, I read about a brave dog that saved its owner from a terrible fire. Another dog saved a boy from drowning. A cat or a rat or a bird couldn't do those things.

Also, dogs are wonderful because they come in many different shapes and sizes. Since there are so many, there is definitely a right dog for you. Maybe you want a small, cuddly dog. You can find one easily. Maybe you want a big, strong dog that loves to run and play. There are plenty of dogs like that. Maybe you have allergies, and you want a dog that won't make you sneeze. There are even dogs like that!

Last of all, having a dog is great for your health. That's because dogs need to go on walks every day. Walking is good for people, too. Did you know that most people don't get enough exercise? Walking your dog is a fun, easy way to get more exercise. You can't walk a cat or another type of pet!

If you want a pet, I really think you should get a dog. They are the most loyal, loving, and wonderful pets in the world.