



Saving Travis: Questions and Enrichment Readings and Activities

Questions

1. How do you think animals can communicate with people?
2. Does Shannon communicate with Rhea and John, and if so, in what ways?
3. What are things you need to consider when you find a lost or stray dog, cat, or rabbit?
4. What would you do before you brought a stray dog, cat, or rabbit home?
5. Do you think Rhea and John do the right thing by taking Travis to their home?
6. The Palo Alto Humane Society helps Travis. Why do you think they do that?
7. Why does Travis need special care to get well? What kind of special care does he need?
8. Why is it important to take a stray animal to a veterinarian (before you take the animal home)?
9. What do you think the role of a humane society is in your community? How is that role described in the story?
10. Why do you think this story has a happy ending?

Enrichment Readings and Activities

American Veterinary Medical Association Coloring Book:

[What Do Veterinarians Do?](#)

Reading: How to Meet a Dog: [May I Meet the Dog?](#)

Reading: [What Dog Body Language Is Saying](#)

Enrichment Worksheet: [Dog Body Language and Safety Around Dogs](#)

Reading: [How Bees Communicate](#)

Check out [Mow Wow Animals](#) and [PAHS' Video Series Touchy-Feely Talks](#): Mini lessons about fur, feathers, scales and scutes—great for classroom and at-home learning.