Fact: In 2014 - 2015, over 7000 people in the UK had to go to hospital to be treated for injuries caused by dogs

> Fact: The average life of a pet hamster is 4 years

Pets You Might Have:

Dogs

Cats

Parrots

Hamsters

Guinea Pig

Sheep

Chinchilla

Stick Insect

Horse

This House **Believes That Every Child Should Have** A Pet

- Does having a pet teach you responsibility?
- Can a pet be your friend?
- Are all children responsible enough to look after a pet?
- Is having a pet expensive? What about food, training and vets bills?
- Why do people like having pets?
- Can some pets be dangerous?
- Does having a pet teach us to be kinder to animals?
- Do you have a pet?
- What if someone was cruel to a pet?
- Does your school have any pets?
- Would parents or children look after pets more?
- Is it fair to keep big animals that need lots of exercise in the city?
- Is it fair if some people have pets and some people don't?
- Could you wait until you are a grown up to have a pet?
- Would you share a pet with your brothers and sisters, or would you each have an individual pet?