

## Levels of Caring



There are five levels of adoption, each with their own benefits. But the most important benefit is knowing that you have provided the much needed funding to provide care, food, enrichment, and so much more to the animals of the Aquarium. Decide which Adoption Level is right for you, by making the appropriate donation, and becoming an animal sponsor. Animal Parent kits also make great gifts!

Animal Parent: Adoption Levels	\$50	\$100	\$250	\$500	\$1,000
Adoption Certificate					
3"x5" photo of your species					
Animal facts of your species					
Official Animal Parent DVD, featuring your animal species as seen at Mystic Aquarium					
Aquarium Newsletter					
Two passes to Mystic Aquarium					
A one year membership (valued up to \$139!)					
A Beluga or Penguin Encounter program					
Kelvin Smith Ocean Society membership for one year					

questions?

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Visit our web site: [www.mysticaquarium.org](http://www.mysticaquarium.org)

Groups who adopt animals and want to visit the Aquarium should call (860) 572-5955 ext. 520 to learn about our group ticket rate.

The mission of the Mystic Aquarium & Institute for Exploration, a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization, is to inspire people to care for and protect our ocean planet through education, research, and exploration.

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## ANIMAL PARENT ★ APPLICATION

Chosen Animal: \_\_\_\_\_

### Recipient Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Donor Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Mail Adoption kit to:

Recipient     Donor

### Payment:

Adoption Level: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping & Handling:

USPS 1st Class (2-4 weeks): \$2     USPS Priority (5-7 days): \$5.50

Total enclosed: \$

Payment Type:

Check (payable to Mystic Aquarium)

Visa     MasterCard     AmEx     Discover

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## Become a Proud Parent!

You can't take them home but you can now adopt one of Mystic Aquarium & Institute for Exploration's wonderful marine animals. While you provide the love, we provide the care by using your donation to help feed, protect, and continue enrichment for the species.

## Animals Available for Adoption:

- Beluga Whales
- African Black-Footed Penguins
- Rays & Sharks
- Lion Fish
- Jellies
- Rescued Seals\*
- California Sea Lions
- Clown Fish & the Coral Reef
- Lobsters, Sea Stars & Anemones
- Steller Sea Lion & Northern Fur Seals



As an Animal Parent, you can help us show the world how great these animals are and how important it is for all of us to take care of them.

\* By adopting a rescued seal, you will be supporting all of the seals currently receiving medical attention in our Seal Rescue Clinic and the future seals to be helped through this unique program. Our Marine Animal Rescue Team are constantly at the ready to find and assist sick or injured seals who strand along our coastline. These animals' lives depend upon the care and medicine the Rescue Team provides. Once the animals are back in good health, they are released back into their ocean home.

Because Mystic Aquarium & Institute for Exploration is a living museum, the list of animals available for adoption is subject to change, and all species may not be on exhibit at all times.



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