

# Lesson 21



## Vocabulary in Context

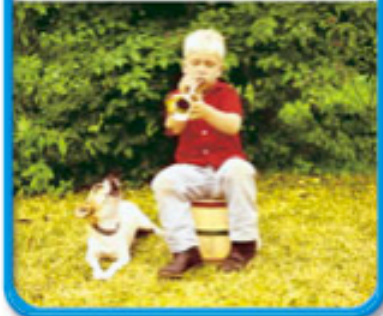
### 1 appreciate

Many people highly value, or **appreciate**, their pets.



### 2 blaring

If a dog barks at loud, **blaring** noises, it should be trained not to do that.



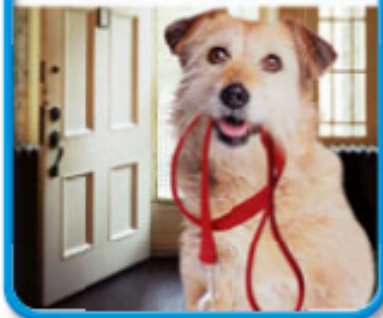
### 3 combination

People may feel a **combination** of love for and frustration with their pets.



### 4 promptly

If a dog needs to go out, it should be taken out **promptly**, or right away.



**blaring** making a loud noise

**combination** mixture

**racket** loud noise

**suggest** give an idea

**nocturnal** active at night

**effort** hard work

**promptly** right away

**introduce** present something

**feats** difficult actions

**appreciate** see what is good about something

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**introduce**

You should carefully **introduce** a new pet to the other pets in your house.



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**nocturnal**

Some pets, such as cats and hamsters, are **nocturnal**. They're most active at night.



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**feats**

Many people enjoy teaching their pets to perform tricks and other **feats** of skill.



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**effort**

It takes **effort**, or hard work, to care for a pet, no matter what kind of animal it is.



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**suggest**

Experts **suggest**, or recommend, that people remain calm when training a pet.



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**racket**

Some pet birds can talk, but they can also create a loud **racket** by screaming.

