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Paws and Claws: The Benefits of Having a Furry Friend

Short Answer

1. How can the presence of a pet alleviate feelings of loneliness and provide emotional support?
2. Explain how caring for a pet encourages responsibility, especially for children.
3. What role do pets play in physical activity and leading a healthier lifestyle?
4. Describe the impact of interacting with pets on stress reduction and relaxation.
5. Why is the bond between children and their pets often considered special, according to the text?

