

# DOG LIFETIME REGISTRATION AND FEE INFORMATION



The NSW Government require the owners of dogs and cats to pay a lifetime registration fee before their pet is 6 months of age. The purpose of the following information is to help you understand how to register your pet and what fee/s you will need to pay.

## HOW TO REGISTER YOUR PET

You can register your pet by creating a profile on the NSW Office of Local Government website: [petregistry.nsw.gov.au](https://petregistry.nsw.gov.au) and 'claiming' your pet.

*Please ensure you are on this website to pay the lifetime registration fee as there are a number of privately run databases that appear in search engines.*

## ANNUAL PERMIT

In addition to lifetime registration on the 1 July 2020 the NSW Government introduced an annual permit fee for restricted breeds or declared dangerous dogs.

- If your dog is a restricted breed and/or declared dangerous you must pay a \$221 annual permit fee

## LIFETIME REGISTRATION FEES

DOG REGISTRATION TYPE	FEE
Desexed (before 6 months of age)	\$75
Desexed (sold by pound/shelter)	\$0
Desexed (eligible pensioner)	\$32
Desexed (after 6 months of age)	\$252
Not desexed	\$252
Not desexed (not recommended) <i>If your vet is unable to update the pet register, a letter from a vet must be submitted to council prior to the dog being 6 months of age stating that the dog should not be desexed at all or should be desexed at a later stage. You must provide a desexing certificate by the date the vet has stated, if you desexed your dog after that date or not at all you must pay the remainder of the registration fee (\$165).</i>	\$75
Not desexed (recognised breeder)	\$75
Assistance Animal (proof required)	\$0

Please be advised that a late fee of \$21 is applicable if you do not pay the registration fee for your dog within 28 days after the date on which the animal is required to be registered.

For further information regarding pet registration and annual permits please visit the Office of Local Government - [olg.nsw.gov.au/public/dogs-cats/nsw-pet-registry/](https://olg.nsw.gov.au/public/dogs-cats/nsw-pet-registry/) or phone Council on **9847 6666**. \*Fees current from 1 July 2023 - 30 June 2024