

Guinea Dog



By Patrick Jennings

DISCUSS

Talk through your thoughts.

- Talk with someone about having pets. What are the good things about having a pet? What are the not-so-good things?
- Discuss what could be the best pet for your family.

CREATE

Make an experience of your own.

- Create a comparison chart (or Venn Diagram) showing how guinea pigs are similar and different from dogs.
- Make a mash-up book of animal drawings. Combine different physical traits like a horse head with a crocodile body and a bunny tail. What combination is your favorite?

IMAGINE

Use your imagination to explore.

- Imagine you had Fido for a pet. What other tricks would you teach it? With your pet or a friend's pet, see if you can teach it a trick!
- Visit your library and learn more about taking care of a dog, guinea pig or other pet.

EXPLORE

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- *Guinea Dog 2* by Patrick Jennings
- *Guinea Dog 3* by Patrick Jennings
- *Search and Rescue Dogs* by Gail Langer Karwoski
- *Animals Helping at Home* by Lucia Raatma