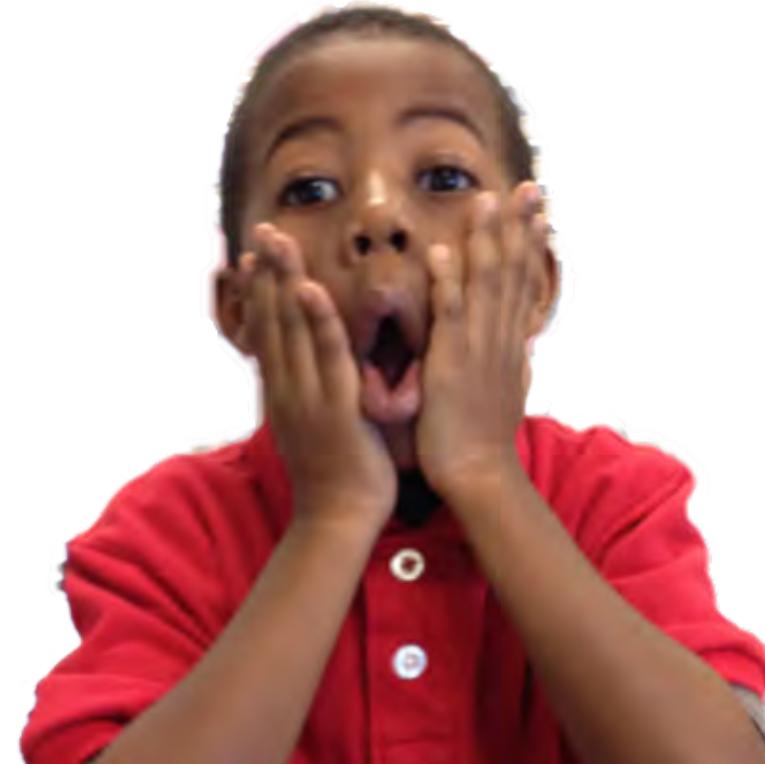


Let's Pretend...Pet Bakery

Are you ready
to pretend?
Let's go!



**Close your eyes.
Now open them...**





Do you have
a Bakery Club
Card?
Just Ask! :)

Woofie
Pies
Special
of the
Day
2 for \$9.00

Have a cookie,
will travel! :)
No refrigeration
Required

HELLO!
PLEASE ASK FOR
ASSISTANCE WITH
UNPACKAGED
BAKERY ITEMS.
THANK YOU!

We are at a pet bakery.



When I took my dog to obedience school I noticed one thing. Every single dog there just loved treats! They would do just about anything for a treat. “Sit.” “Stay.” “Heel.” The dogs followed all the commands in order to get a treat.

It seems that dogs just think about food all the time! They especially love treats.





But even though they like people treats, it really isn't healthy for dogs and cats to eat our sweets. That's how I got the idea of opening up my own store...a pet bakery!



Now don't get confused! I don't mean a bakery where the pets are the bakers. I mean a bakery *for* pets!



There are lots of jobs to do at my pet bakery. I am the owner and baker. I make the special dog and cat treats in the kitchen. My treats are so popular, I also sell them to pet stores.





We use many different ingredients in our bakery. Some of them are the same ingredients we use to make treats for people. Turn and tell a friend some of the ingredients you think we need to make delicious natural dog and cat treats!



Today I am making dog cookies shaped like dog bones. I put parsley into the cookies because it's good for dogs. It naturally freshens their breath and adds vitamins, too. **What other shape cookies do you think I should make?**



Yesterday I made treats shaped like folded newspapers, and some like bugs. I like to have lots of different choices. The pet owners get a kick out of all the things I make. That means they think it is funny, and they buy more treats!



Other people work in the shop with me. My assistant sales person helps set up the display case and waits on customers. She says things like, “Can I help you find anything? We have some great catnip mice in them if you have a kitty at home.”



The big dogs have been smudging the display case with their noses. She needs to clean the glass so the customers can see the merchandise. Pretend you are cleaning the glass case. Put on your gloves. Squirt the cleaner on the glass. Wipe off all the smudges.

Even my daughter helps keep the store clean. She uses a dustpan and brush to sweep up any treat crumbs left behind. We allow pets to come in our store so sometimes...



Sorry...



we have some accidents on the floor. Pet owners always get embarrassed when this happens. **They say, “I am so sorry!”** I say, “No worries. This is a very exciting place. It happens all the time.” **Then I get out some paper towels, and the mop and clean it up quickly. “Accidents happen sometimes!”**



Many visitors come to our town which is near the beach. They like to buy souvenirs to help them remember the vacation and to give to the folks back home. I make sharks, lobsters, and ice cream cone shaped dog treats. If you have a good idea of something I should make, turn and tell a friend.

One day a customer came in and said, “Do you have any birthday cakes for dogs?” I said, “No, but I will make some!” Now I always have birthday cupcakes for pets. They are a bestseller.





Many of my customers send in pictures of the birthday parties they have for their pets. I put them up on the bulletin board.



One customer buys a cake every year for her four Corgies. She says, “They are five-years-old this year so they need a special cake.” Can you see what I put instead of candles to show how old they are?

After I bake the treats my assistant helps me package up treats that are going to other stores. I say, “We need four boxes of dog bones and hearts.” She says, “I will package them right up. Do you want me to deliver them on my way home?” I tell her, “That would be great!”





I count up the day's earnings, and put some of the money in an envelope to bring to the bank to deposit, and then I lock up.

I love having my own business, but don't think for a minute it's easy! I have to work long hours and by the end of the day, I have done many different jobs, and so has my assistant. **Can you think of some of the things we have done? Turn and tell a friend.**





Did you think of these? Maybe you would like to pretend to work in a pet bakery or be a customer. What role do you think you'd like? What would you do and say?

**Now it's your turn
to pretend!**

