

# Bandit

2023 JFK's Facility Dog



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**My name is Bandit! I'm a Facility Dog**



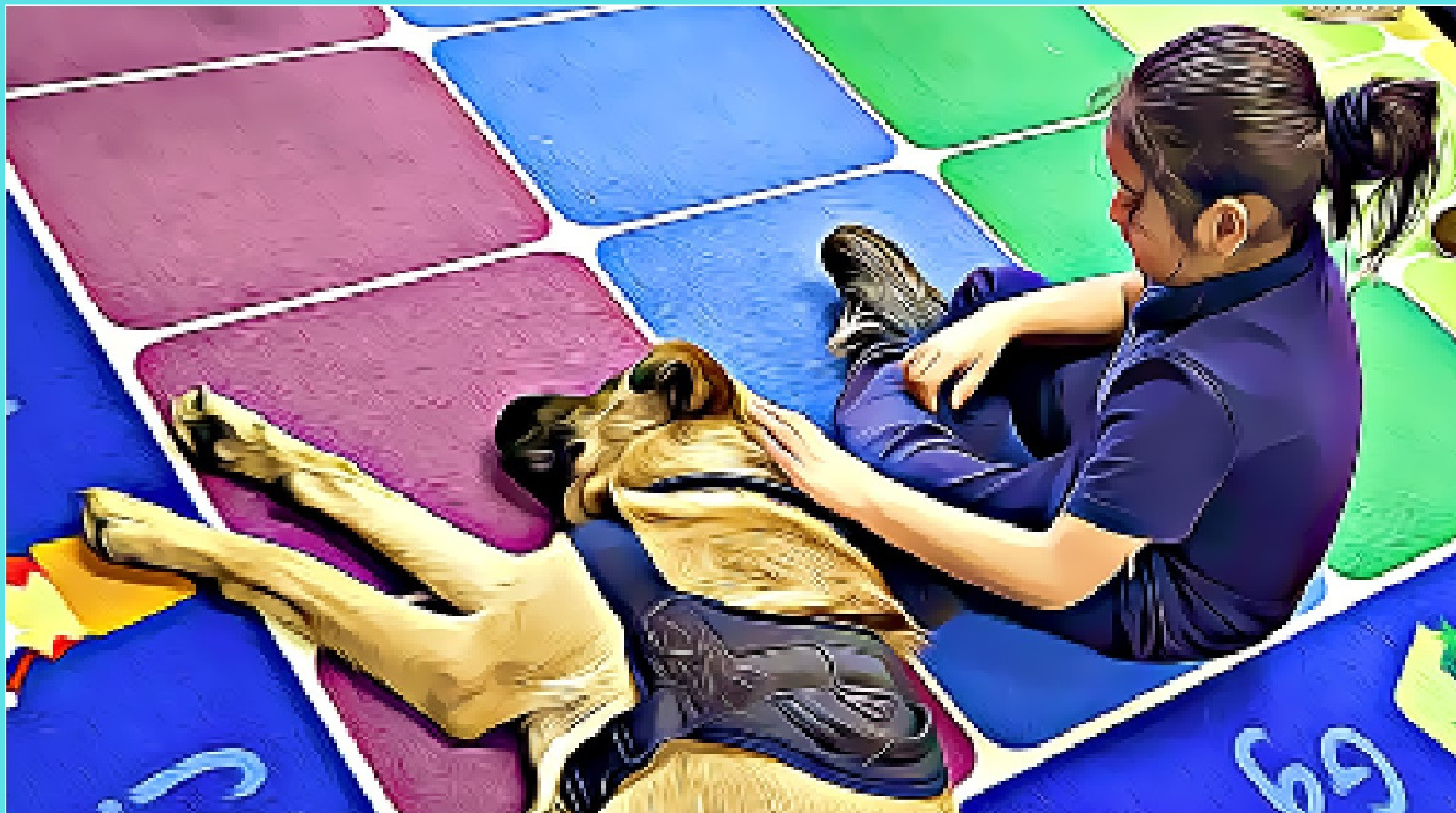


**My job as a Facility Dog is to help staff and students in lots of ways!**





I get to meet with students in Mrs. Wolf's office and help in the classroom. I help with calming people; teaching how to be compassionate, accepting, responsible, and respectful; help build self confidence, and am a friend to all!







Since I will be at school  
with you, I should tell you  
a few things about myself!



**I am a 3 year old shephard mix.**

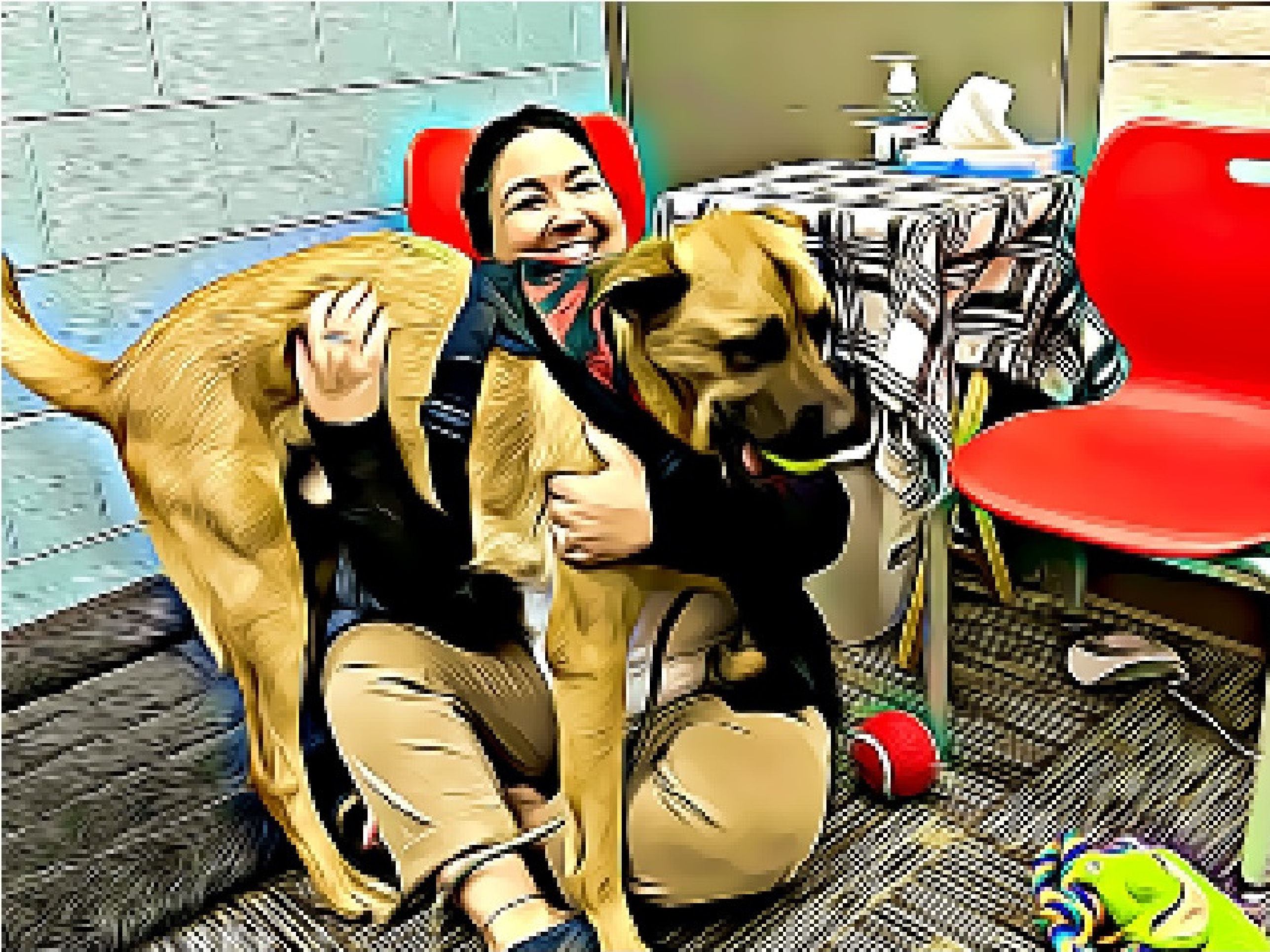




**I am super playful and love attention. My favorite toy is my ball!**





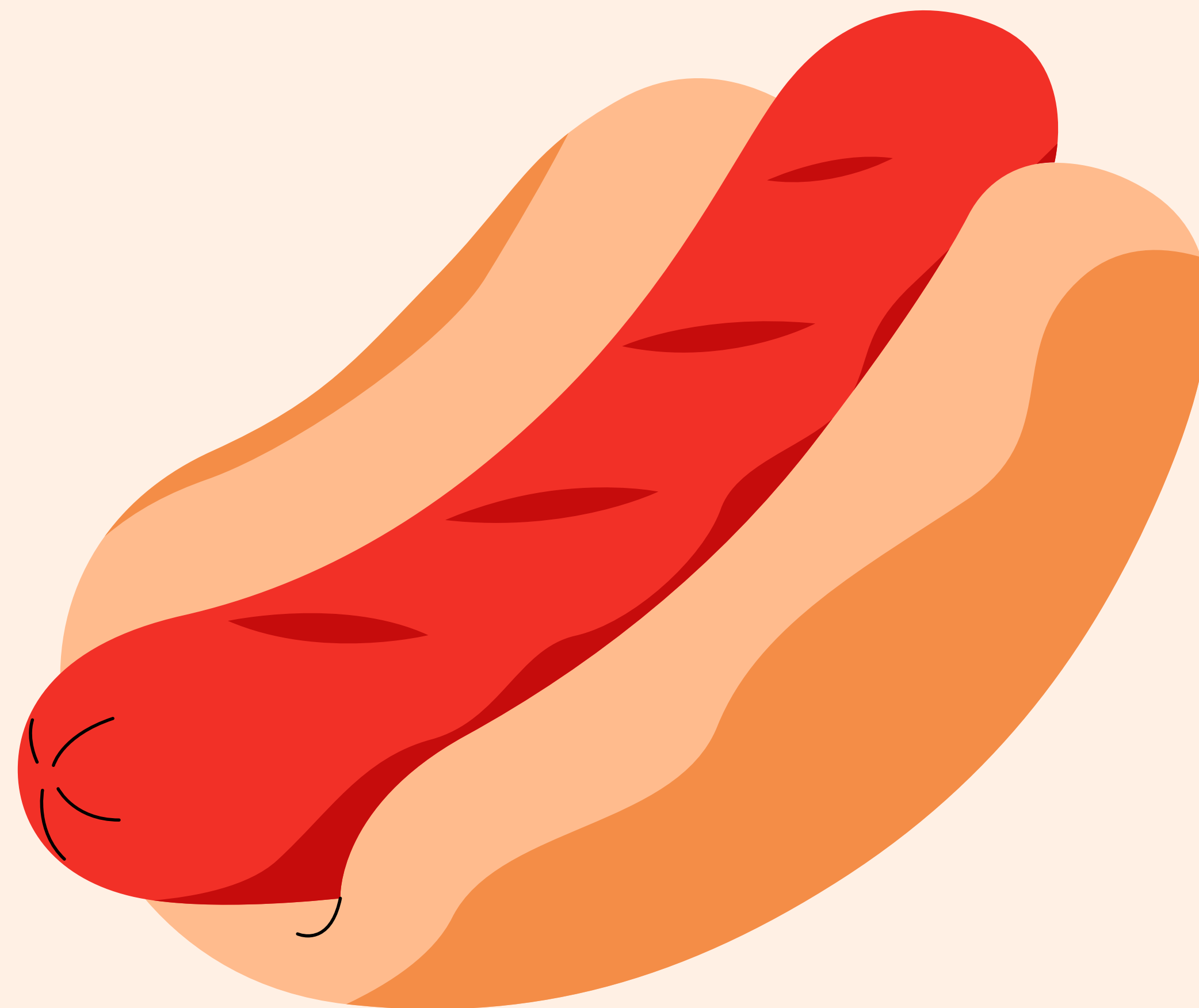


**I love to be cuddled and pet.**





**My favorite treat is gluten free turkey hot dogs!**



**At school Mrs. Wolf, said that there are expectations, rules, for me and my new friends.**



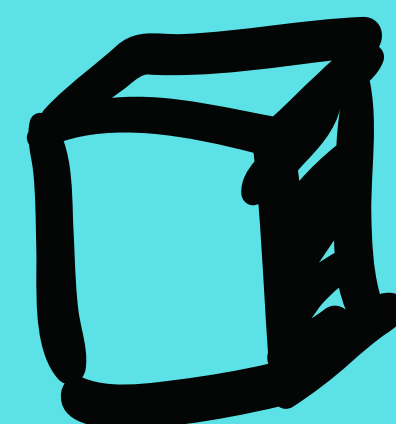
# Approach

**Use calm bodies. Only two friends should pet me at a time.**



**Ask**

**Friends should always ask Mrs. Wolf before petting me.**



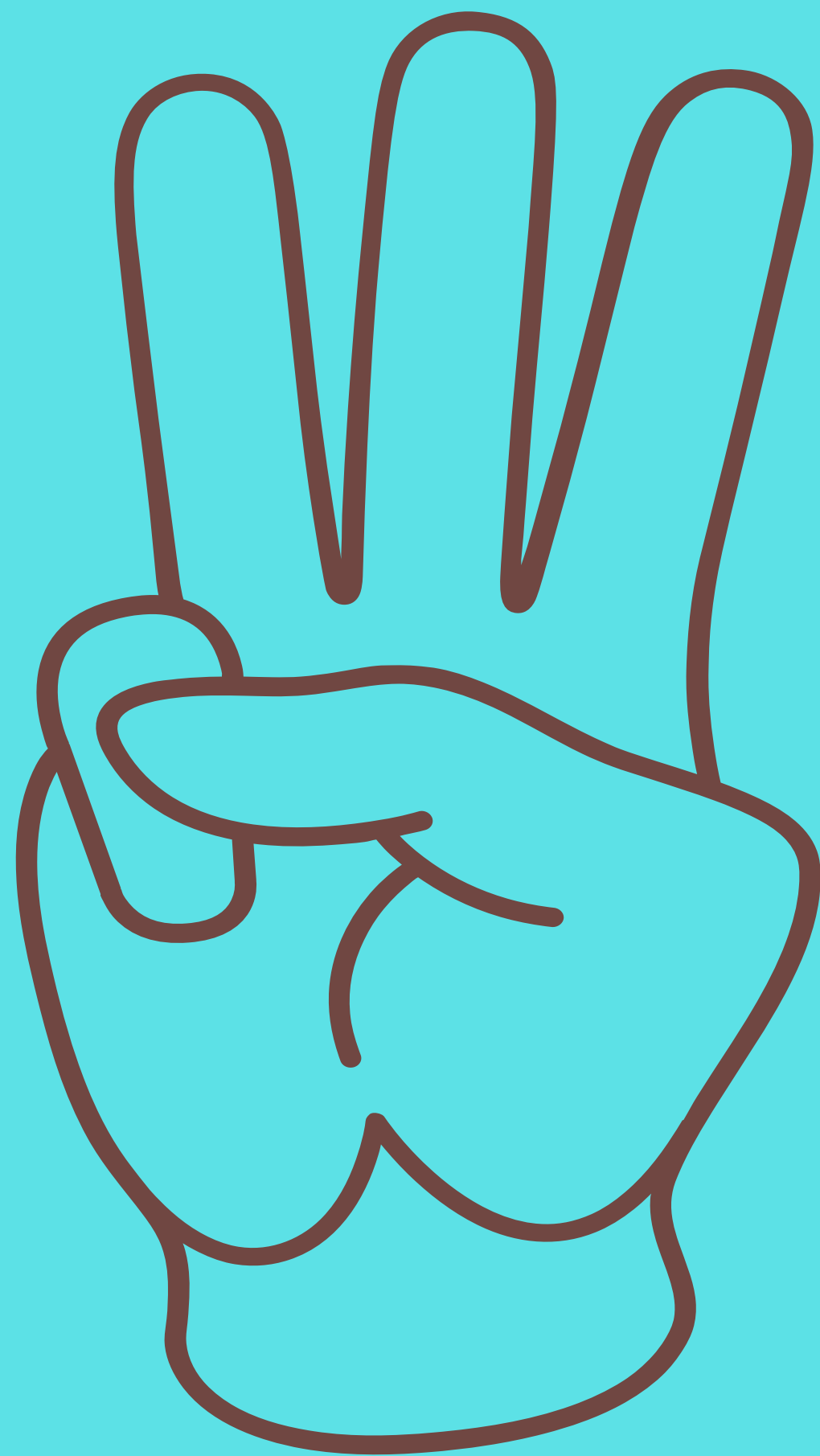


## Pet

**I should be sitting or lying down when petted. Slowly count to three. Friends should never put their face in my face. Be gentle, please do not tug my ears, tail, or fur. That would hurt!**

## Goodbye

**Often there will be many students waiting to say hello to Bandit. Remember to be respectful to other students waiting. Listen for Mrs. Wolf's directions. Go wash your hands.**



**Mrs. Wolf is not going to force anyone to  
pet Bandit. You do not have to come up to  
Bandit if you do not want to!**



**I'm so excited to be at JFK and see  
everyone!**

**I have lots of love to share, so I'm glad I'll  
make so many new friends!**



**See you  
in SEL**