

Feline Body Language

The Ears

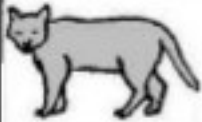















		MORE AGGRESSIVE →		
↓ MORE SUBMISSIVE OR MORE FEARFUL	EARS PRICKED FORWARDS			
	EARS OUT SIDWAYS, FLATTENED			
	PUPILS DILATED, EARS RIGHT BACK		PUPILS DILATED, EARS HALF BACK	EARS TURNED BACK

The Tail

FRIENDLY, CONTENT 	NON-THREATENING, UNSURE 	DERISIVE "**** YOU" 	QUIVERING, VERY PLEASED TO SEE YOU
HOOKED TAIL 	AMICABLE, NOT AGGRESSIVE OR FEARFUL 	DEFENSIVE AGGRESSION 	THRASHING TAIL, EXCITED OR ANGRY OR IRRITABLE
FRIENDLY BUT UNSURE 	POTENTIALLY AGGRESSIVE 	SUBMISSIVE 	TWITCHING TAIL - ALERT, INTERESTED
BRISTLING WITH ANGER 			

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Body Posture

	MORE AGGRESSIVE →			
↑ MORE SUBMISSIVE OR MORE FEARFUL ↓	 TAIL MAY BE HELD ALOFT			
		 FLATTER TO THE GROUND		
	 "FLINCH" MAY EVEN FALL OVER IN SUBMISSIVE FEAR		 MUSTN'T CONFUSE THIS WITH STRETCHING	 POSTURE ALSO SEEN WHEN CATS SPRAY
	 TOTALLY WITHDRAWN TAIL TUCKED UNDER	 TAIL TUCKED UNDER		 LAST DITCH SCARED ANGRY