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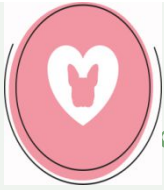
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Puppy Socialisation Printable Chart

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Puppy Socialisation Plan

EXPERIENCES- WEEK 2 – PUPPY STARTS TO EXPERIENCE MORE

Follow the tables below with your new puppy/ new dog – The highlighted boxes show you which socialisation exercise to do each day in the second week.

Keep each exercise very short, do each exercise with your puppy by gently encouraging them. Never force a puppy to do anything, never shout or tell off if your puppy is not doing an exercise. These charts are only a guide, some puppies may need to do less on each day and some may advance quickly and you can add more.

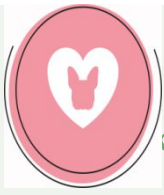
Vets	
Visit the vets and say hi to reception staff	Do these 2 together and 1 st before attempting the below – complete going into vets and waiting room then go home as this is enough for puppy to explore in one go.
Sit in the waiting room of the vets	
Being lifted onto the vets table	
Gentle restraint on the table	
Vet strokes puppy and introduces some examination items	
Flea spray/drops/tablets	
An examination with the vet	

Notes

<i>Children</i>	<i>Tick when meeting taken place – repeat each meeting a number of times</i>						
<i>Meeting a baby</i>							
<i>Meeting a Toddler</i>							
<i>Playing with a ball with toddler</i>							
<i>Playing with a squeaky toy with toddler</i>							
<i>Watch toddler eat a snack without giving any to the puppy until finished then you give treat</i>							
<i>Primary school child – do same as with toddler</i>							
<i>Two children at the same time</i>							



<i>Play games with training aids</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tues</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thurs</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>	<i>Sun</i>
<i>Training bells – see instructions on training with bells – open the door</i>							
<i>Clicker to sit down and treat reward</i>							
<i>Ball games</i>							
<i>Different chew toys – give for 5 mins then take away.</i>							
<i>Squeaky toy play</i>							
<i>Choose a dog training game – see selection of games</i>							
<i>Treat games using treat bag</i>							
<i>A tug toy game</i>							



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People	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
Held by you							
Held by another adult in family							
Sit on lap of child in family							
Sit on lap of different child in family / close friend							
Held by people who will come into contact with puppy							
Held by vet							
Add people who puppy will see – postman / regular visitors							
Held by a man							
Held by a woman							
Held by teenagers							

Notes

Try and introduce your puppy to the above people, tick when you have completed one of the 'people meetings'. If your puppy is confident when you are close, you can stay near when someone else is holding/stroking the puppy. As your puppy becomes more confident being held by others you can move away.

Make sure that people are holding in the correct way so as not to hurt the puppy.

If the puppy does not like being held, start by getting others to stroke the puppy and maybe play a little game – when the puppy is confident doing this then they can start holding the puppy. In the first few weeks, keep these introductions short; do not have too many people crowd round the puppy as this can be very scary for them.

