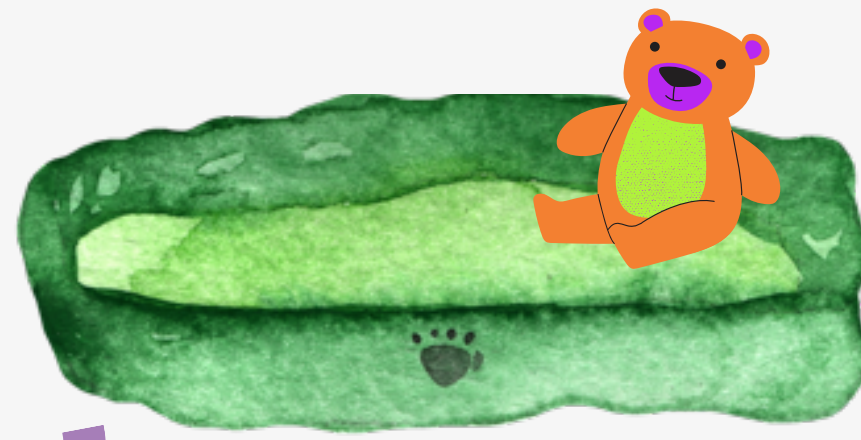
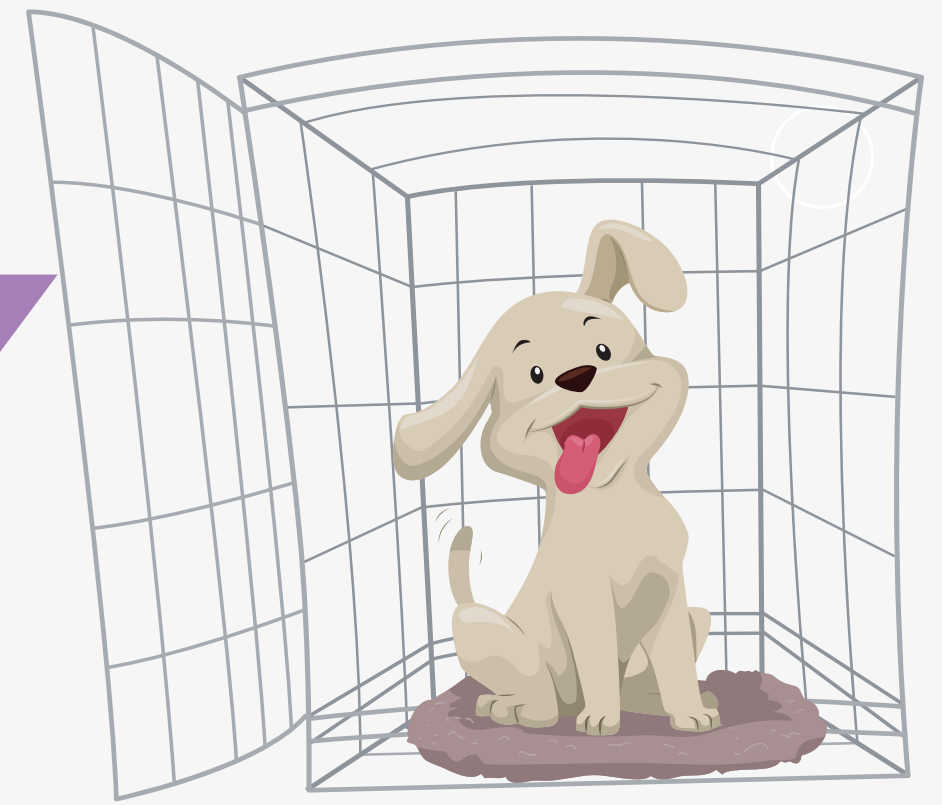
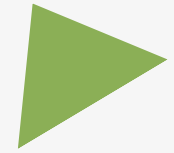


Welcome home, pup!

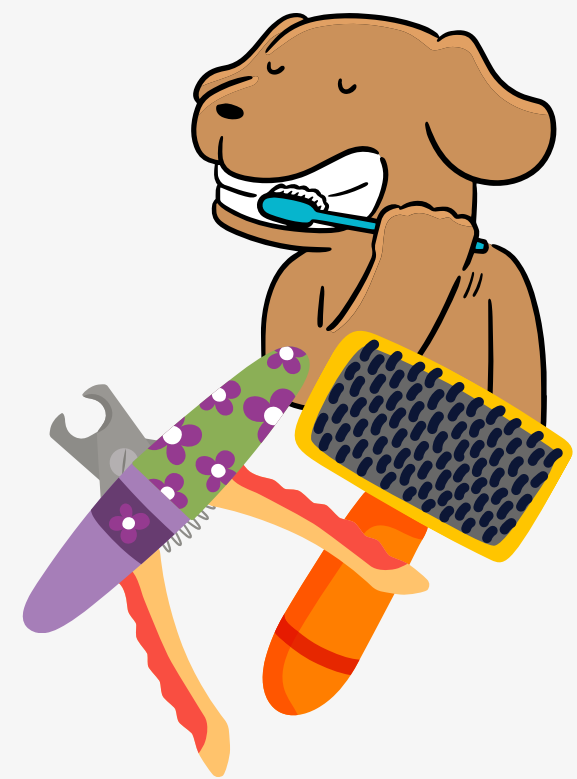
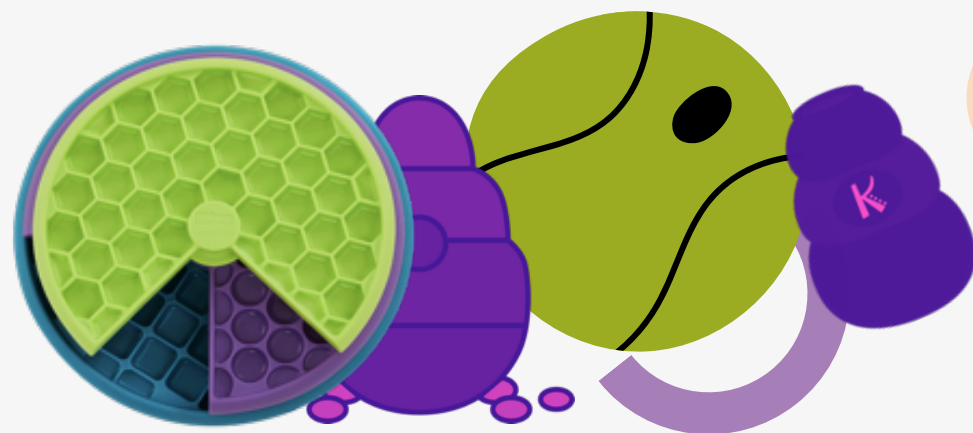
life with your new dog can be easier and
more fun than you imagined!

With Oscar Winning Behavior's Amie Glasgow,
CDBC, CSAT, IAABC-ADT, CCUI, FDM, FSG-I

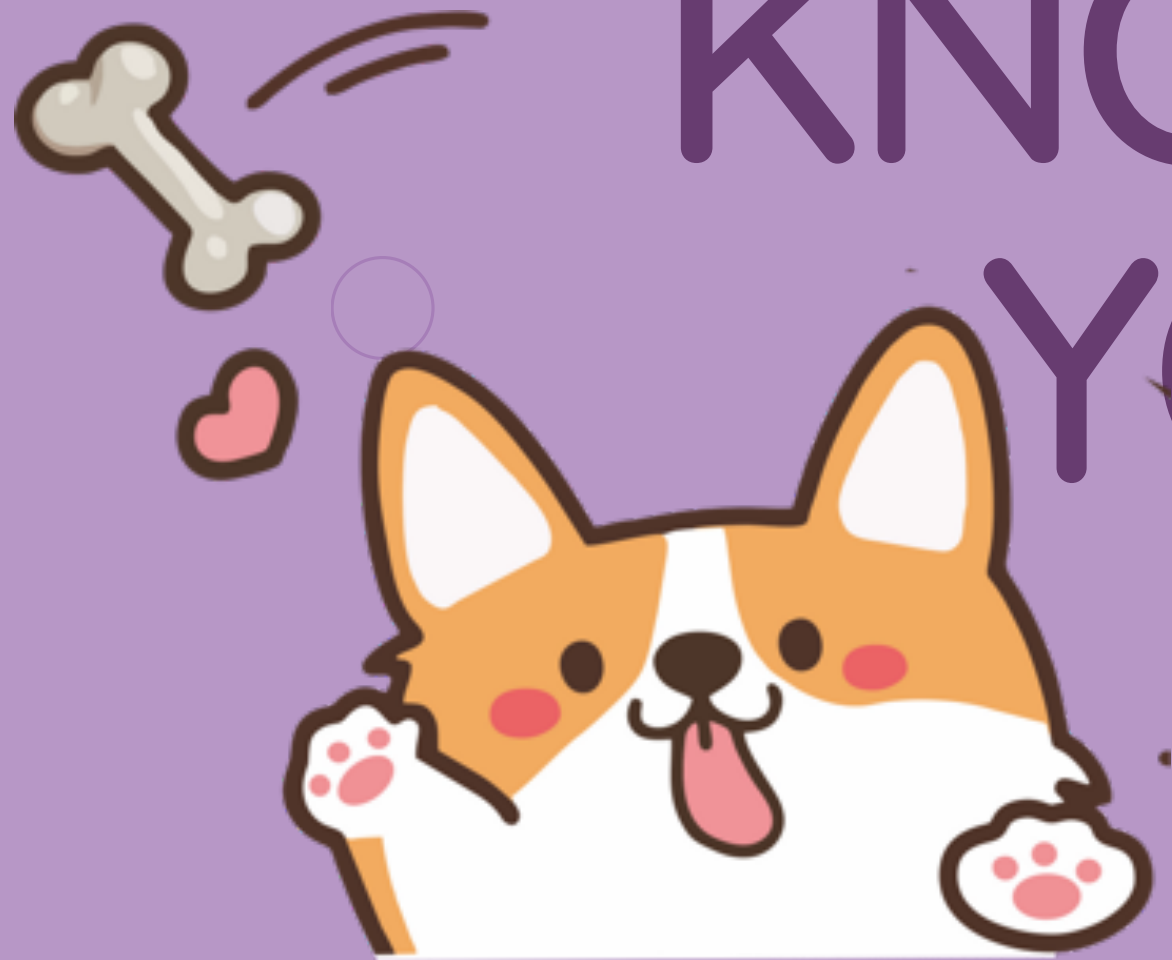




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GETTING
TO
KNOW
YOU



YOU'LL HEAR 2 WEEKS,
3 WEEKS, 3 MONTHS...
WHATEVER.

THEY'RE ALL WRONG...
except the ones that
are right...

SUPERVISE WHEN YOU CAN, CONFINE WHEN YOU CAN'T, BE CONSISTENT ALWAYS

The only way they can learn the rules is if you're clear about what they are



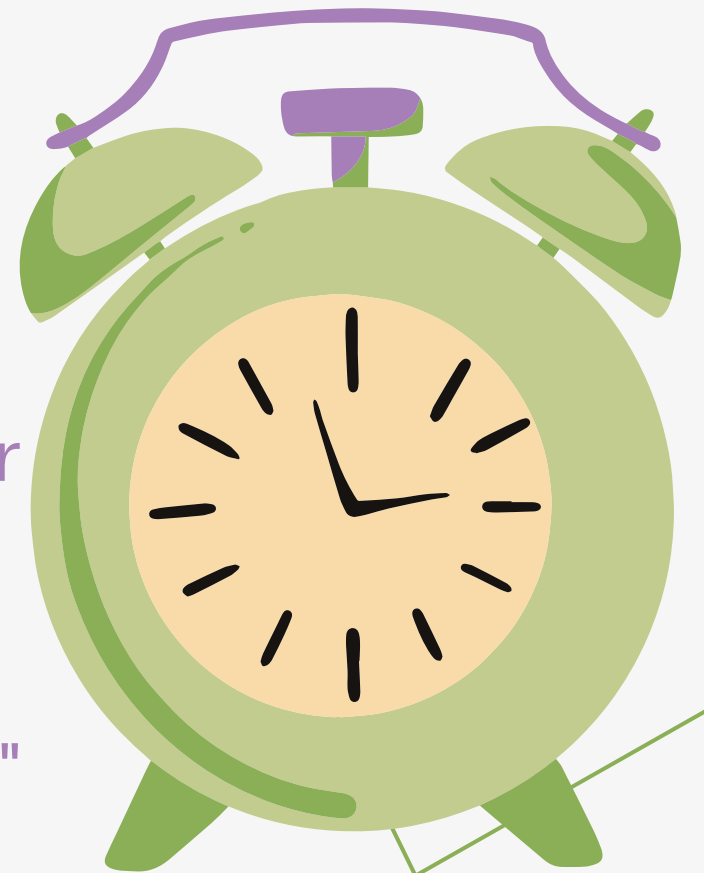
LEASHES - NOT JUST FOR WALKS ANYMORE

"umbilical" method
dragging the leash
tab/traffic leashes



SET A GENEROUS SCHEDULE

Puppies can "hold it" 1 hour
per month of age
"Alexa, remind me to take
Fuzzbutt out in two hours"



TIME OUTS

Provide enrichment and
comfort and *leave them
alone*



**It's easier
to bend
rules than
straighten
them!**



when they speak without words, does it make sense?



shake off



licking lips



yawning



panting



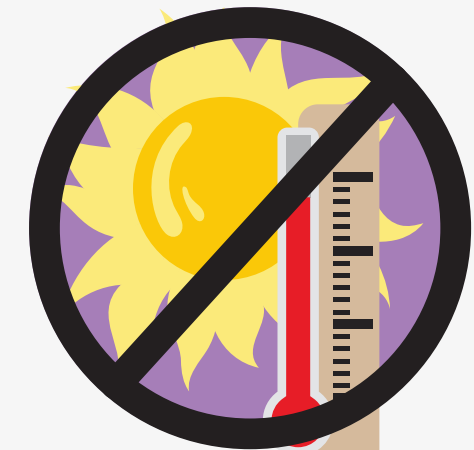
no water



no food



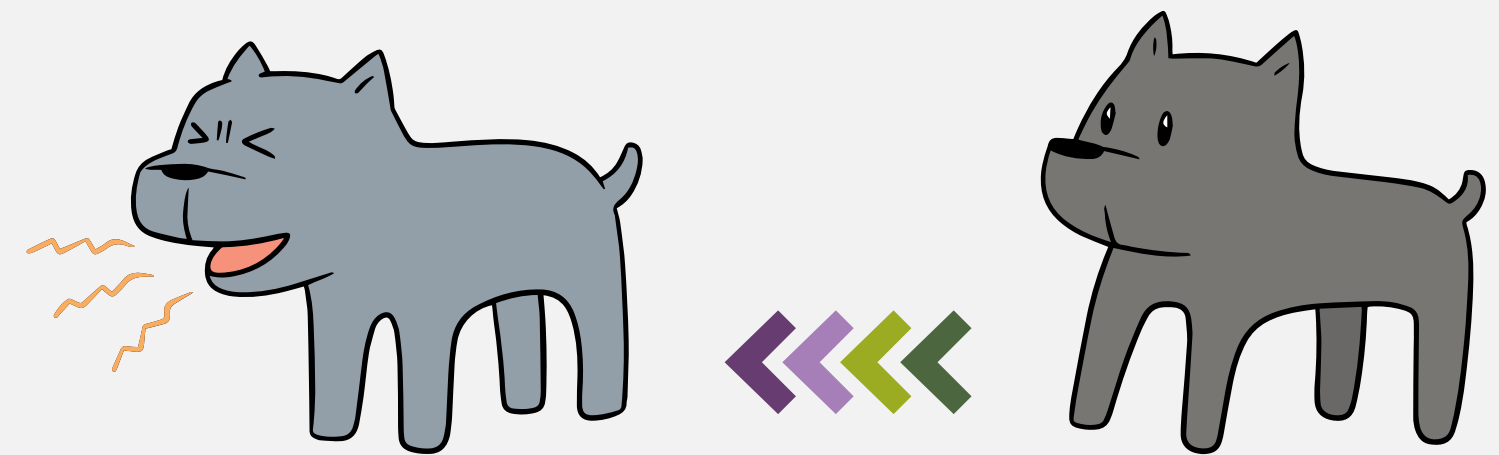
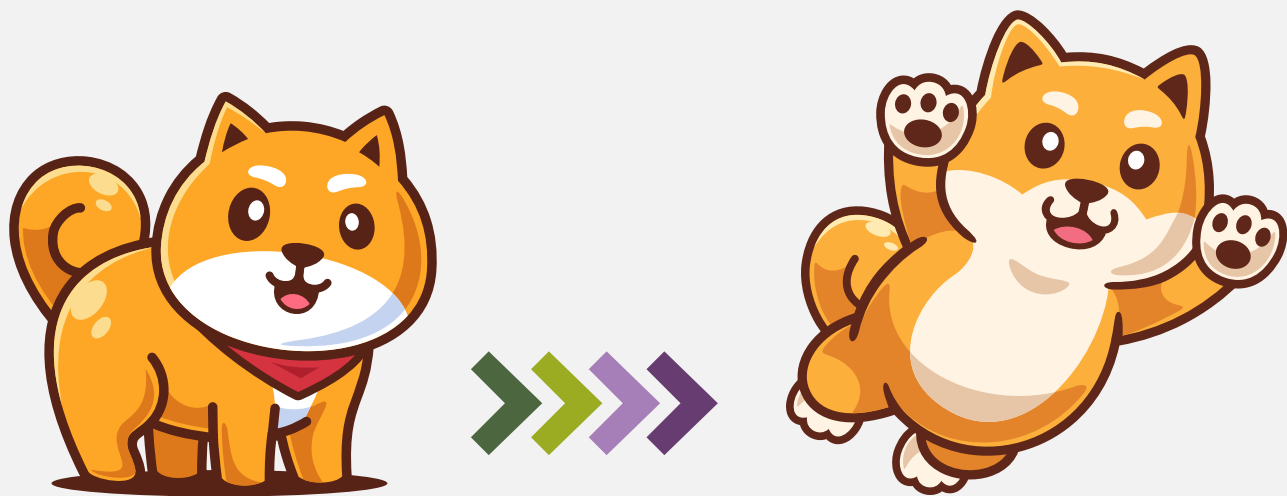
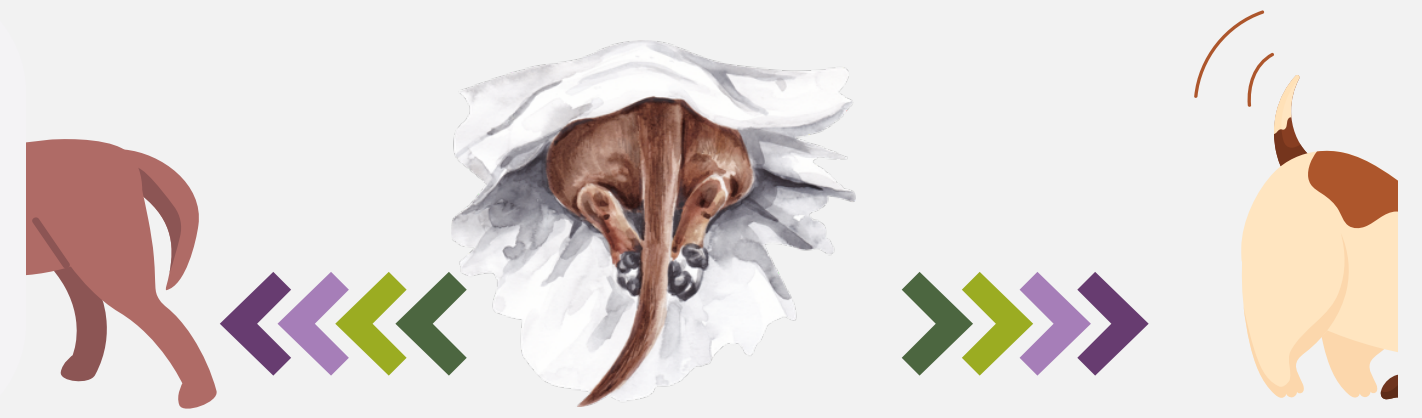
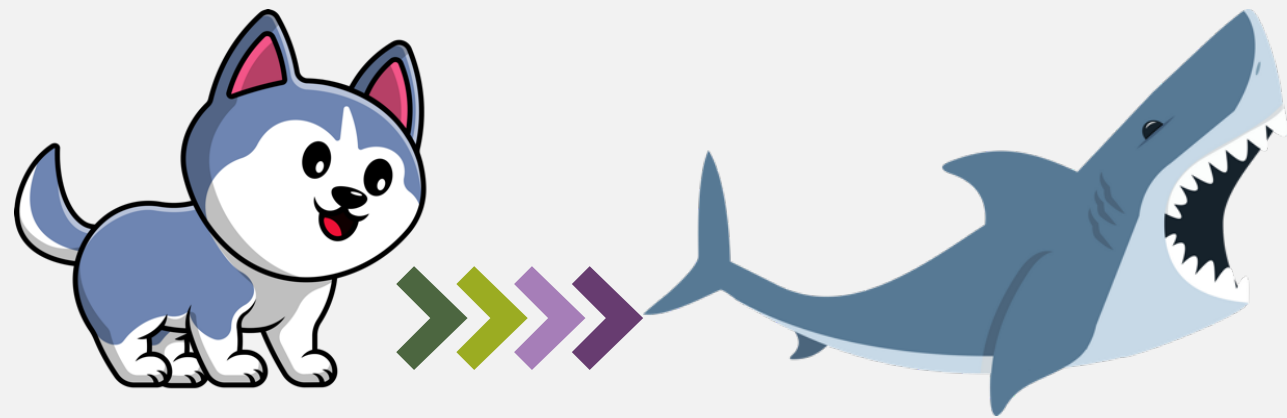
not tired



not hot



Ch-ch-ch-Changes



behavior out of the norm is also a sign of stress

what will **your**
dog need to
accept?



teach them these
things are relaxing!



based on Suzanne Clothier's Really Real Relaxation Protocol

“Socialization is the process of preparing a dog or cat to enjoy interactions and be comfortable with other animals, people, places and activities. Ideally, socialization should begin during the "sensitive period" which is between 3 and 14 weeks of age for puppies, and 3 and 9 weeks of age for kittens.”

American Veterinary Medical Association AVMA.ORG



Socialize without Socializing?!?

Socializing your dog involves preparing them for interactions – not insisting these interactions occur.

Go slow. Be patient. Make it FUN!

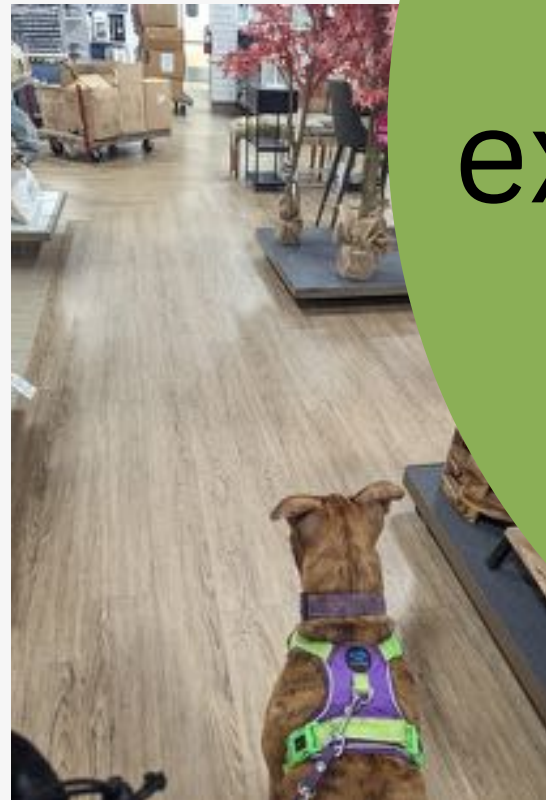


What is socialization?



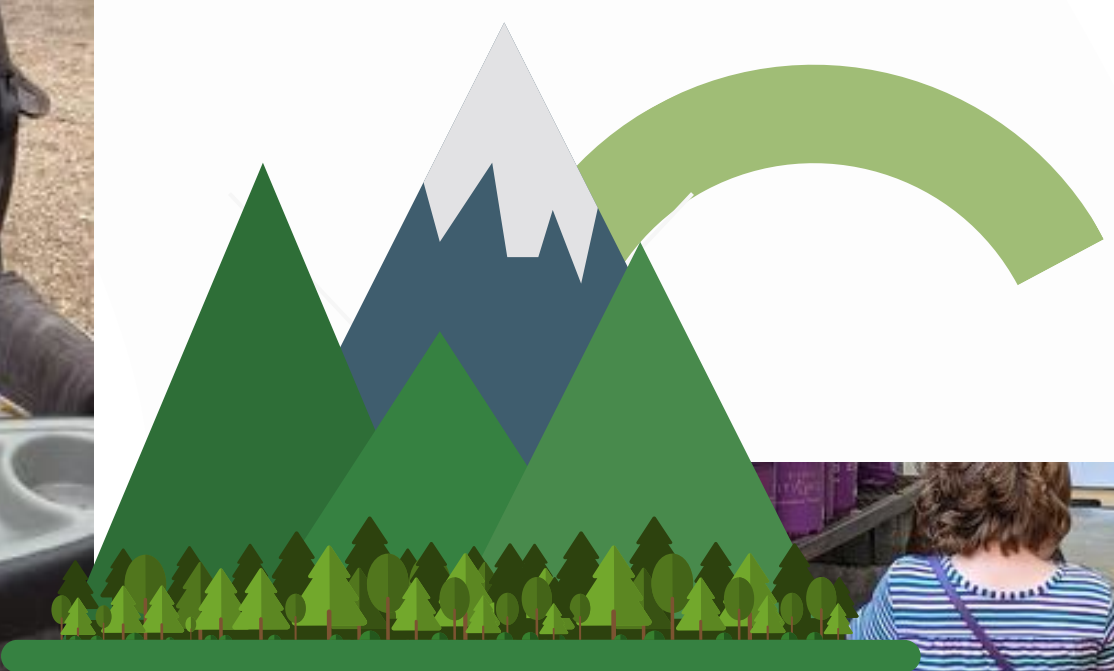
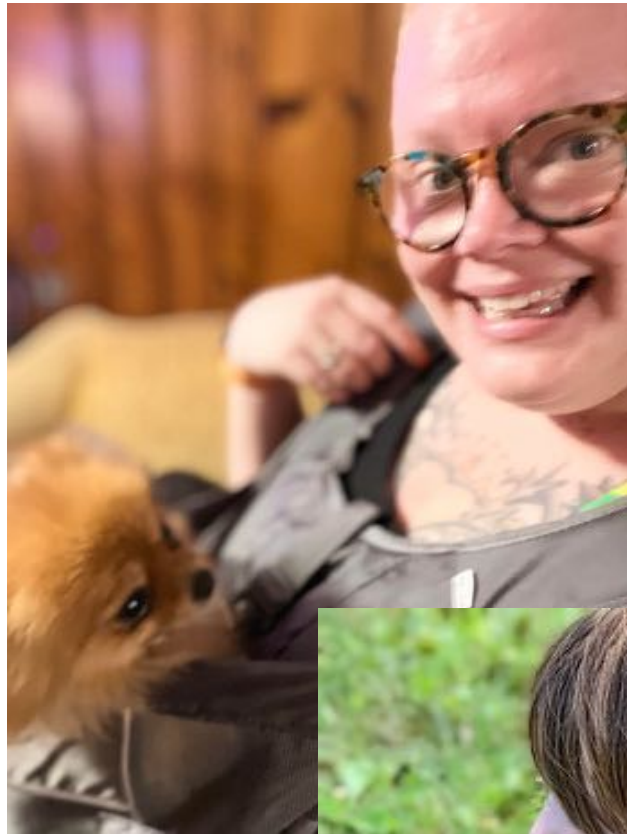
new experiences

feeling safe and happy



*it's more important that your pup **feels safe** than that they get close*

socialization is like mountain climbing (I assume)



it's a multi-
step process
*safety
matters*

socialization vs damage control



semantics? sort of

**until the age of 16 weeks, you
can teach a dog that new
experiences are positive**

**after this age, you can try to
convince them that new
experiences aren't negative**







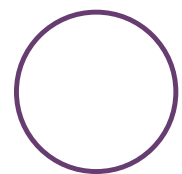
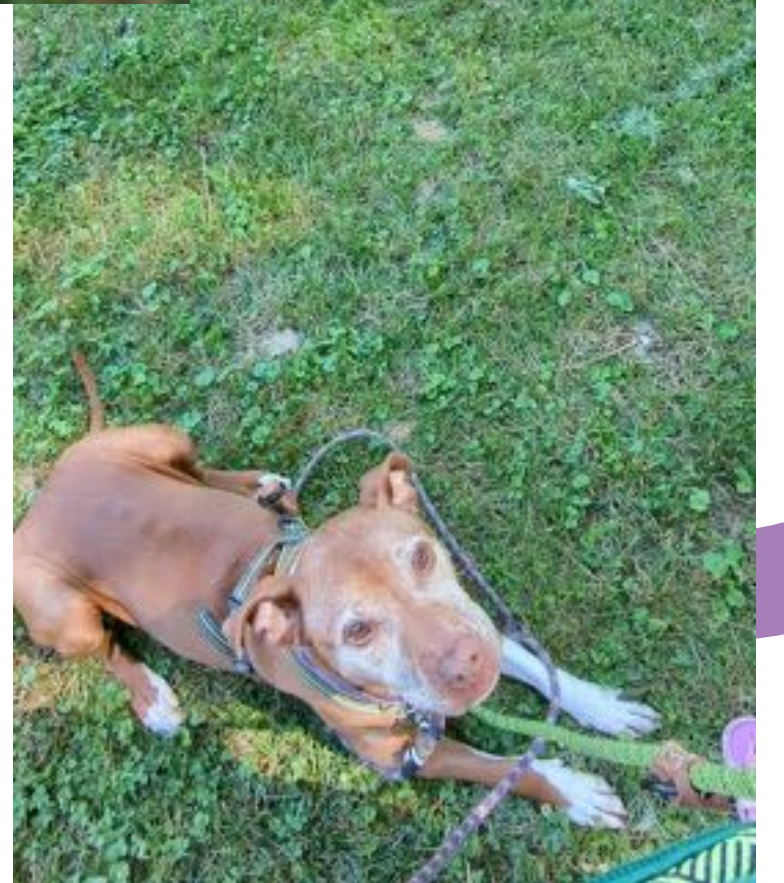
Adding to your Bunch



the goal with
multiple pets
is....



boredom



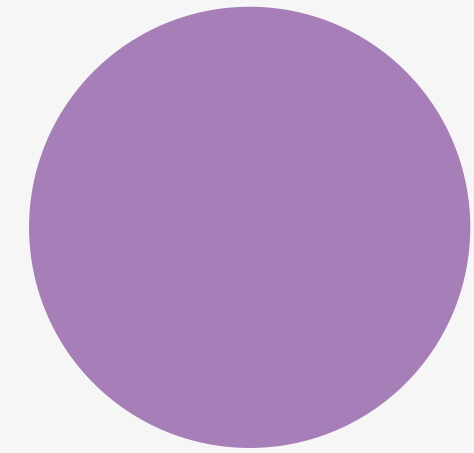
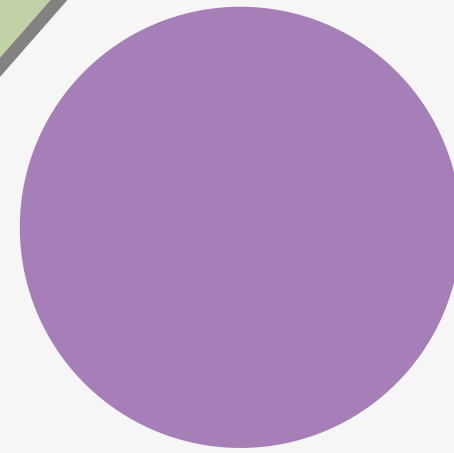
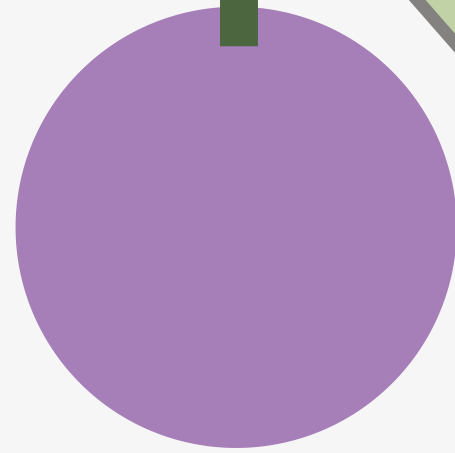
Puppy Licenses Expire!



- Most adult dogs will tolerate most behavior from most puppies under 4 months.
- Most adult humans will tolerate most behavior from most children under about age 4 years!



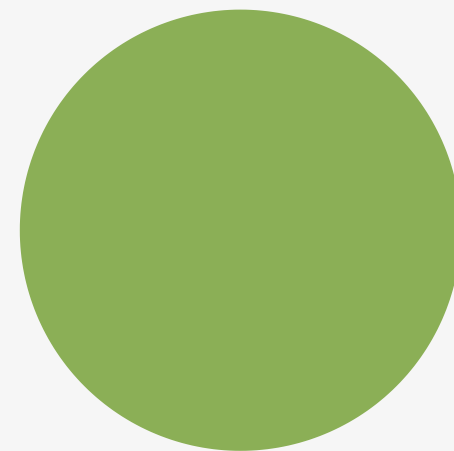
SuperBowls



Arrange visual targets (such as bowls, plates, or other surfaces on which to place food)

When dog makes eye contact with you, step to next target and place food on it

Eye contact with you says "I want to play the bowl game, not fixate on the other animal"

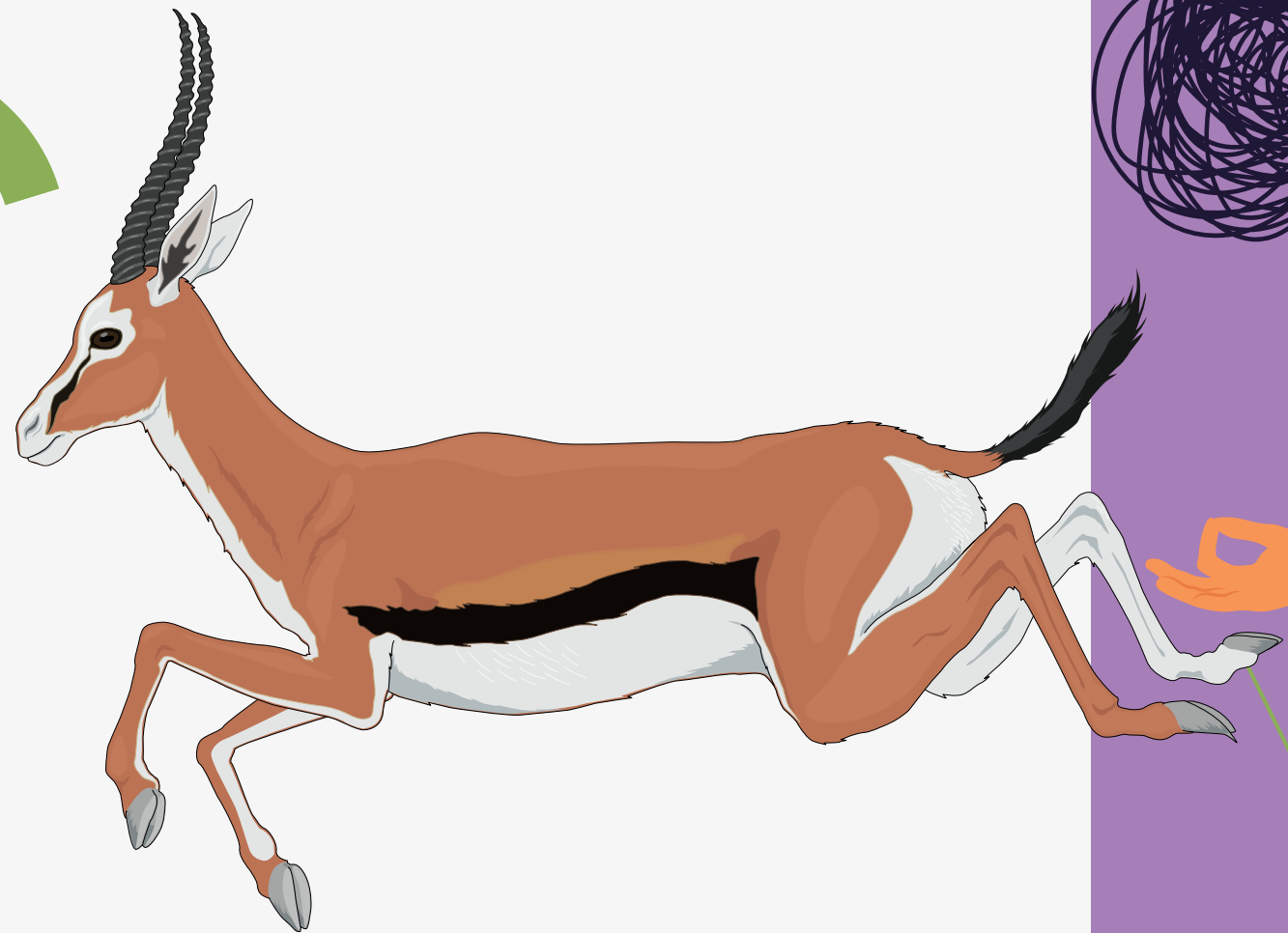
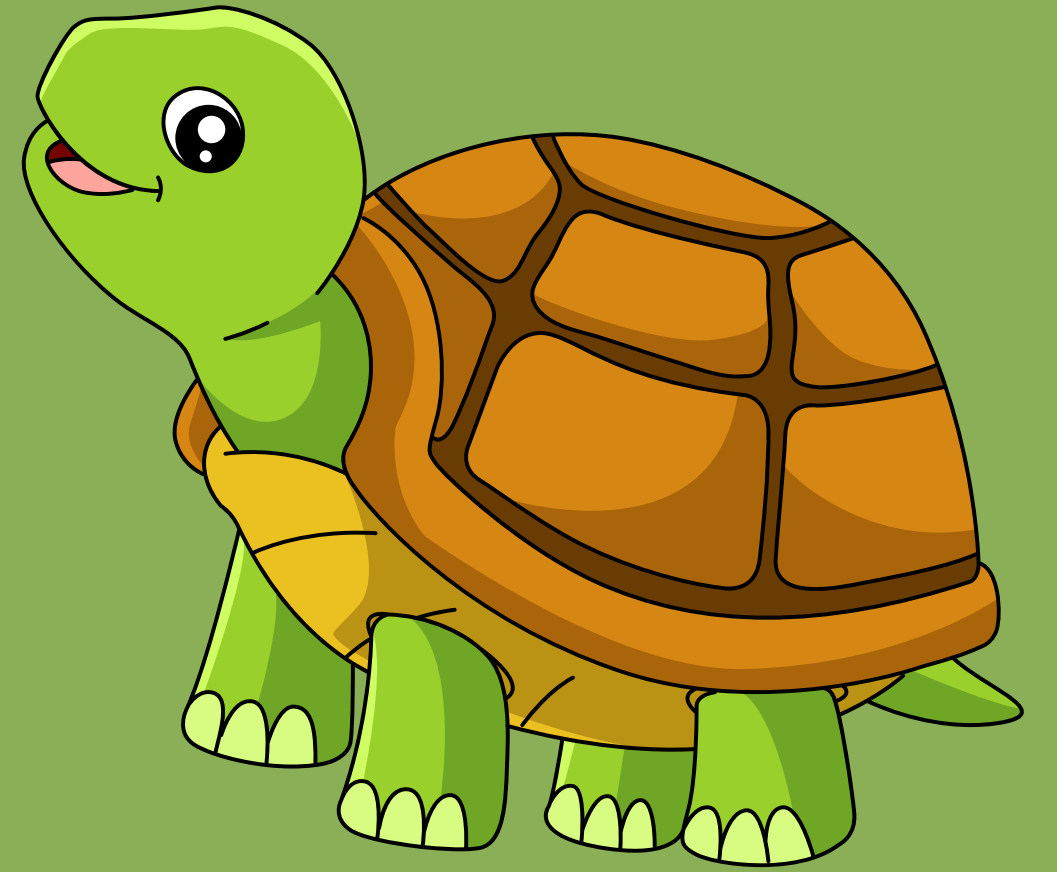


a Pattern Game developed by Leslie McDevitt





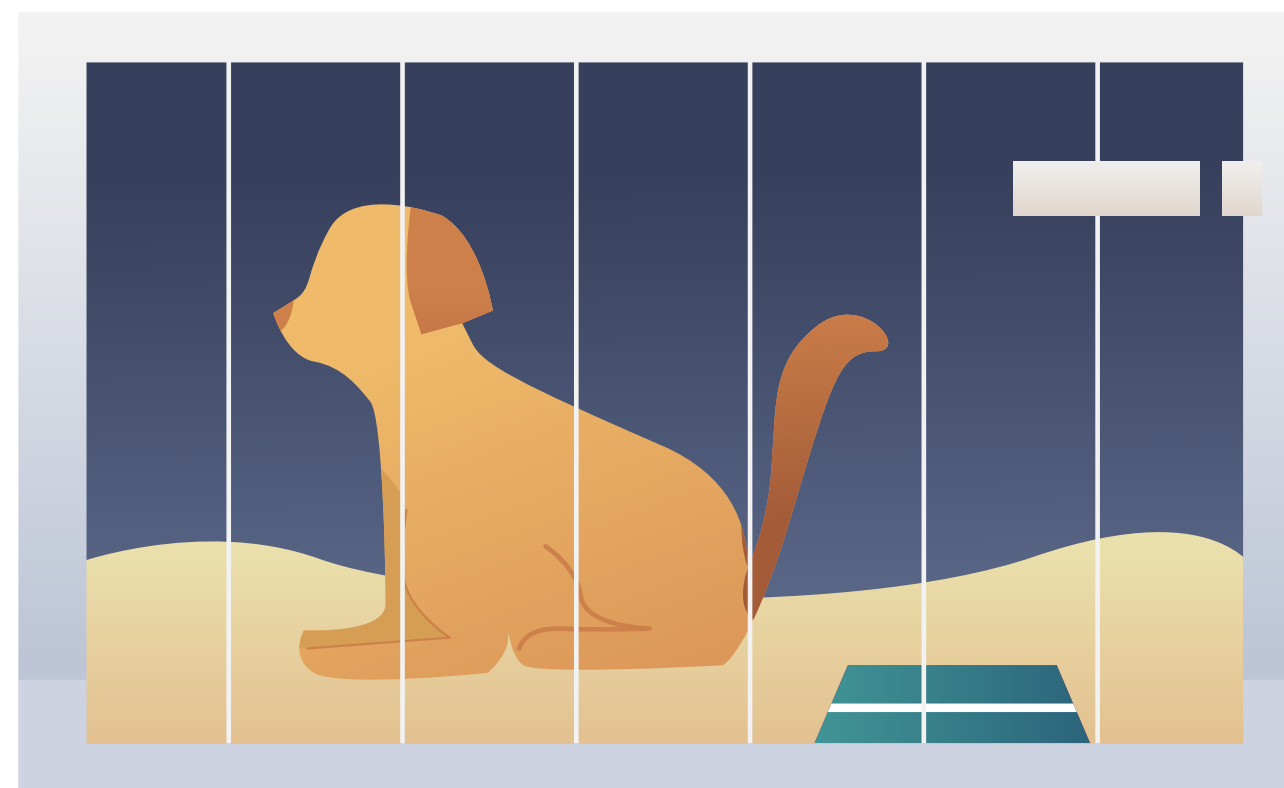
Relax
SLOW DOWN



slow and steady

when in doubt – slow down

- You cannot go too slow
- You can go too fast
- Better to work with short, positive sessions than push things into bad feelings!
- Crates, baby gates, doors, and other comfortable confinement can save sanity and lives!



thank you

YOUR DOG'S
FRIEND



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