



Puppy Preparation and Supplies

SUPPLIES

- Toys- all textures to provide a variety of enrichment and learning opportunity
- Bowls- avoid plastic * Size appropriately for your pet
- Poo bags
- crate and pen for their adult size

FOOD

- What are they eating now? What breed is the dog, do you have any concerns for sensitivity?
- Purina Proplan kibble or similar for puppies, shredded chicken and rice
- Canned food for treat of the same variety if possible. Calculate Caloric needs and formulate a feeding plan

ACCESSORIES

- Leash 6 ft for walking and 4ft small leash for indoor (to just leave dragging)
- Crate mat, or similar for bedding- have various set ups where you spend your time
- Winter jacket/sweater for puppies
- Foraging toys- West Paw, Kong, and Nina Ottoman are my favourites

TREATS

- Break training treats into crumb-sized morsels!!**
- Purebite Dehydrated chicken (Puppies)
 - Benny Bully Beef Liver
 - CET Hextra XS or VeggieDents from the vet
 - Benebones for puppies, bully sticks or pig/beef/lamb ears, under supervision in small doses (take it away after 20 mins)
 - Dehydrated Sweet Potato- Crumps

SET UP

- Pen/Crate set up, then inside:
- Bed resting/sleeping area within pen
- Feeding Station- Mat with food and water
- Give up to 4 toys or so, a variety of textures
- Chews given only with supervision

ROUTINE

- Feeding routine 2-3 times daily depending on age of pet
- Potty breaks after everything, every 30-60 minutes at first
- Leash on dragging to be able to get them to promote consistency.
- Consistently reinforce boundaries and bite inhibition- I have a zero contact rule

