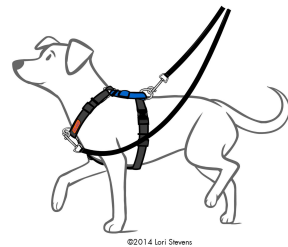
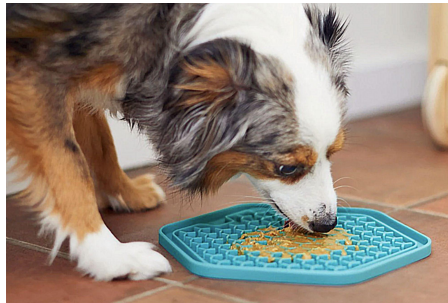


Training Equipment

Here is a simple list of training supplies you will need for classes:

- **Treats**
 - You can use part of your dog's daily food portion (try to only feed a small meal before training or bring your dog's meal to class to use for training)
 - Bring a variety including some different flavour/textures
 - Soft treats or semi-moist or dehydrated meat tend to go down best, try to avoid milk bones.
 - Bring double the amount you think you need!

- **Food toys** like a kong or other food stuffable toy or lickimat with goodies inside/or smeared on like plain yoghurt, honey, canned pumpkin, cream cheese, all natural peanut butter, canned dog food, etc. (Make sure none of these contain artificial



- sweeteners that are dangerous to your dog) you can also mix up your dog's food with some of the above and freeze it to help it last longer. Bring a couple if you have some! These are great for times when we have to explain an exercise and your dog needs to settle for a few moments.

- **Two 4-6 foot leashes.** While we won't always need both, some exercises are easier with two.

- **Harness** We will be working on a harness for some exercises. If you do not have a harness we also sell the Balance Harness at the training center and we can fit the appropriate size one for your dog. We are looking for a harness that leaves the shoulders free to move. An H style harness. With a front and back attachment option.

- **Bowl and water from home** (some dogs will only drink their own water and out of their own bowl. Dogs will require drink breaks during the training session.

- A small **mat or towel** for your dog to settle on.

- At least **two toys**, one of which should be on a rope/flirt pole or leash that is suitable for playing tug with your dog. Please no squeakers if at all possible.





- Please feel free to bring anyone who is in the household that will be working with the dog!
- If you are not able to attend a class, please catch up on the homework that will be emailed to you after class each week. If you have any questions at any time please email us!