

Welcome Committee Learning Path Structure Canine

Est. Time with Assessment	Module Title	Learning Objectives	Assessment Type
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The following courses have required assessments:

45 Minutes	Welcome and Introduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to the Welcome Committee Program and Training 	Pre-assessment Survey
30 Minutes	Overview of Fear, Anxiety, and Stress Scale	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize common signs that indicate a dog is feeling fearful, anxious, or stressed at each level on the FAS scale 	No assessment
30 Minutes	Basics: Classical [respondent] Conditioning Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Articulate the basic principles of classical conditioning 	Quiz
30 Minutes	Basics: Operant conditioning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Articulate the basic principles of operant conditioning 	Quiz
30 Minutes	Basics: Troubleshooting Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the basic principles of troubleshooting training challenges 	Quiz
25 Minutes	Objective Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Articulate the difference between objective vs. subjective language Demonstrate using objective language to describe behavior 	No assessment
40 Minutes	Canine Communication Basics: Part I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> List the functions of canine communication Recognize common social signals 	Written
40 Minutes	Canine Communication Basics: Part II	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> List the functions of canine communication Recognize common social signals 	Written and Video Analysis
40 Minutes	Canine Communication - Focus on Fear and Anxiety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the social signals that indicate a dog is feeling fear or anxiety 	Written and Video Analysis
40 Minutes	Canine Communication - Focus on Aggression	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the social signals that indicate a dog is displaying threat signals 	Written and Video Analysis
3 Hours	Welcome Committee: Proximity training plans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate the ability to implement and troubleshoot drive-by treat tosses, treat-retreat, and treat trail training plans 	Video Assessment
90 Minutes	Welcome Committee: Handling training plans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate the ability to implement and troubleshoot hand-feeding, and handling training plans 	Video Assessment
2 Hours	Welcome Committee: Walking equipment training plans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate the ability to implement and troubleshoot collar grab, harnessing, and leashing training plans 	Video Assessment
90 Minutes	Welcome Committee: Containment and transport	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate the ability to implement and troubleshoot crate training and leash walking training plans 	Video Assessment

The following courses have optional assessments. If you would like to be a member of the dog introduction and play pairs team, these assessments are required:

40 Minutes	(Optional) Canine Play Behaviors: Part I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe canine play behaviors 	No Assessment
40 Minutes	(Optional) Canine Play Behaviors: Part II	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe canine play behaviors 	Video Analysis
40 Minutes	(Optional) Basics of LIMA-based play	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Articulate how to manage an inter-dog playgroup using the LIMA ethical standard 	Written
30 Minutes	(Optional) Handling Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate the ability to use defensive handling techniques Demonstrate the ability to manage dogs arousal using leash techniques 	Video Assessment
40 Minutes	(Optional) Dog introductions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Articulate considerations for different types of dog introductions Demonstrate the ability to safely introduce dogs on-leash 	Video Analysis