

It is important for your puppy to be properly socialized to be a well-rounded, happy dog. Socialization helps your puppy build confidence and learn to investigate things on their own. Make sure your dog is exposed to new things in a slow, positive way.

- 1. Allow your puppy to freely investigate an object with a good amount of distance between them and let them slowly get closer to the object.
- 2. As you do this, observe for signs of stress. If your puppy seems stressed, be encouraging and help them feel more confident. Do not keep your dog in a situation that is scaring them as too much damage will be done.
- 3. If your puppy is doing well remember to reward with treats!

How many things can you think to introduce your dog to?!

