

# ALL ABOUT DOGS



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## Environment

- Give me a cosy bed in a dry, quiet place away from draughts.
- Make sure I'm kept away from dangerous or poisonous things.
- Never leave me alone in a car, even when it's cold.



## Diet

- I need to always have clean water.
- Don't feed me bones as they can get stuck in my tummy and make me really poorly.
- Don't give me too many treats, as I'll become overweight!
- Feed me a good quality wet or dry dog food in the right amount.



## Behaviour

- Introduce me to lots of different things when I'm a puppy.
- Give me safe toys to play with.
- Train me when I'm young so I know how to behave.
- Let me play with other friendly dogs.



## Companionship

- Spend as much time as you can with me.
- Give me at least two good walks a day and time off the lead in a safe place.
- Don't leave me alone for more than four hours.



## Health

- Treat me for fleas and worms every few months.
- Have me neutered.
- Make sure I have all my vaccinations to protect me from dangerous diseases.
- Remember to brush my coat regularly.

