

SHILOH K9 OBEDIENCE Training & Boarding Center, LLC

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Philosophy & Practice Of Dog Training Methods

Engagement & Marker Training –

“Taking a picture in the dog’s mind of the moment...”

“YES” out of your mouth & “Treat” into the dog’s mouth!

Learning About Your K9’s “Breed & Genetics” / “Temperament” & “Prey Drive”

3 PARTS TO DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING:

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- 1.) **TRAIN** the K9 a “*Word*” / “*Hand Signal*” / “*Phrase*” [30 repetitions to teach...]
 - 2.) **CORRECTION** is from a 1-10 *Level* as needed. Start with *lowest* level. [90 repetitions to teach...]
-example: **Lower Level:** “*soft voice*” or “*touch*” / **Higher Level:** “*louder voice*” or “*touch*”
 - 3.) **DISTRACTION(S)** **SIGHTS** / **SOUNDS** / **SMELLS** – “*Time & Distance*”
- Training Obedience successfully at one level of “*Distraction*” leads to new levels of training in *bigger distractions*.

Basic & Advanced Obedience COMMANDS / CORRECTIONS & MARKERS:

[**BASIC** Commands] - [**ADVANCED** Commands] * * * **CORRECTION** Words / **MARKER** Words

W (Come)	W (This Way) (Stay With Me)	W (No/Nope)	W (“ YES! ”) - food, toy,
A (Sit)	A (Wait) (Back Up) (Stop/Down)	A (I Said...)	A clicker, also used as
T (Down)	T (Get It, Bring It, Give It)	T (Leave It) (Don’t Bite)	T <u>marker</u> ...
C (Stay)	C (Find It/Check It)	C (Drop It) (Let Me Help)	C (“Good Girl/Boy”)
H (Heel)	H (Kennel/Crate) (Go Potty)	H (Off) (Don’t Jump)	H (“Nice Job/Work”)
		(Gentle) (Settle Down)	
	[“ <u>WATCH ME</u> ” Work, is foundational to all of your <i>Obedience & Behavioral Training!</i> It “ <u>Engages</u> ” you with your dog.]	(ABSOLUTLY NOT!!!)	(“Okay/Free”) [release words]

The Overarching Principle In All DOG TRAINING - For Both “**COMMAND**” & “**BEHAVIOR**” Issues,
Is For Your K9 To KNOW That **YOU** (owner/handler) **Are In CONTROL!!!**

If Your **Dog** Is Allowed To Be The “**ALPHA**” (*first in place* as the “**CONTROLLER**”),
Then Your **Dog** Will “*Growl, Bark, Jump, Bump, Posture, Bare Teeth, Nip, and/or Bite;*”
To Exercise Its **CONTROL** Over You As A Member Of Its “**DOG PACK!!!**”

EITHER YOUR *DOG* HAS CONTROL OVER YOU,
OR *YOU* HAVE CONTROL OVER YOUR DOG!!!

As The Owner/Trainer At **SHILOH K9 OBEDIENCE Training & Boarding Center, LLC**
I Want To Not **ONLY** Train K9’s Good Obedience & Right Behavior - But I Also Want To Teach You
As The Dog’s Owner & Handler, How To Go On Training Your K9 In The Future!