



## Puppy Social Distancing Bingo

*Socialization* means providing your puppy with positive experiences with new things. The best and fastest way to make sure your puppy has great experiences is to include things he loves, like food or toys. If your puppy isn't having a great time, you could be doing more harm than good, and you should stop the interaction immediately. If your puppy is having a blast and is happy and comfortable, you are doing a great job socializing him!

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Dress your puppy up in a funny costume.	Feed your puppy a meal in the bathtub or sink.	Knock and ring the doorbell. Do this 10X.	Turn your blow dryer on and point it in the opposite direction from your puppy for 5 seconds.	Handle all puppy body parts.
Have your puppy eat treats from a person in uniform.	Observe a crowded area.	Carry a box and an umbrella in front of your puppy.	Introduce your puppy to wheelie bins and luggage.	Play audio of fireworks and babies crying during a meal.
Show your puppy a broom, vacuum, and mop.	Have your puppy hear construction sounds.	<b>Free Space</b>	Dress up in front of your puppy with glasses, hats, and coats. Act like a silly willy!	Have your puppy bob for kibble in a baby pool or container of water.
Watch children from afar.	Have your puppy see and hear large trucks/buses from a distance.	Leave your puppy alone at least once per day for a week.	Take your puppy on a car ride with the windows down. (Always keep your puppy secure in the car!)	Have your puppy eat a meal from a box.
Have your puppy walk on aluminum foil, bubble wrap, and 2 other unfamiliar surfaces.	Puppy eats a meal in the garage while you open and close the garage door.	Practice gently poking your puppy with a capped pen.	Show your puppy a skateboard, bicycle, or scooter.	Take a ride in an elevator and go up and down a flight of stairs.