

## Beginning Life Skills—Week One Homework

### Reading assignments

Visit: <https://www.gooddogsantacruz.com/handouts/>

Look for your class name, and you will find handouts for this class. This week, please read:

- Clicker and Other Reward Markers
- Teaching Your Dog Something New
- Sit
- Down

**Practice the skills we worked on in class this week. (See your class outline for a reminder.)**

- Try to practice each skill on most days. Mark it on the chart below.
- Keep your training sessions short (1-3 minutes, then take a break and play with your dog!).
- Integrate training throughout the day and the time you spend with your dog.

### Homework Tracking

Skill to practice	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
Auto check-in (attention)							
Going to the mat							
Sit and Release							
Name game							
Leash work-Fall in							
Leash work-Find the spot							
Down and Release							

In each training session, make note of what work well, and where you had trouble. Bring your questions to class!

Notes:

If you have questions or problems, feel free to contact me:

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