

New Puppy Checklist

before they come home. first week. first month.

BEFORE THEY COME HOME

- crate (right size for their breed)
- crate pad or blanket
- snuggle puppy (non-negotiable)
- collar + ID tag
- leash + harness
- food + water bowls
- puppy food (ask the breeder/shelter what they use)
- poop bags
- enzymatic cleaner (for accidents)
- baby gate(s)
- puppy-proof the space
- vet appointment scheduled

FIRST WEEK SUPPLIES

- treats for training (small, soft)
- puppy pads (optional)
- chew toys
- plush toy
- brush / grooming basics
- nail clippers
- puppy shampoo
- potty log (hi, it's me)

FIRST MONTH TO-DOS

- vet visit + vaccines
- start crate training
- establish feeding schedule
- start basic commands: sit, stay, come
- socialize: people, dogs, sounds, surfaces
- find a puppy class
- set a potty schedule and stick to it
- find your vet's emergency line

"get the snuggle puppy. i cannot stress this enough."

-- Lennon

