



Avidog Puppy Evaluation Test (APET) Scribe Sheet

Puppy: _____

Litter: _____

Date: _____

Full APET Scribe Sheet

Important Note: The puppy's general traits will be apparent throughout the test. Testers and observers should note and record evidence of the following traits as they occur:

- Assertiveness
- Biddability
- Energy Level
- Resilience
- Self-Confidence
- Stability
- Stress Level
- Stress Type

Test Component	Puppy Traits	Description of Puppy Behaviors and Observer Comments
Behavior Upon Entry (Strange place and stranger)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Self-confidence</i> • <i>People Assertiveness</i> • <i>Environmental Focus</i> • <i>People Focus</i> • Object Focus • Scent Focus 	
Toy Play I (Chase and Tug)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Play Desire</i> • <i>Activity Focus</i> 	

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Chase & Retrieve I (Chase and Retrieve)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Play Desire</i> • <i>Retrieve Desire</i> • <i>Activity Focus</i> 	
Explore Test Space and Sociability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Environmental Focus</i> • <i>People Focus</i> • Activity Focus • Object Focus • Scent Focus 	
Following Stranger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Eye Contact</i> • <i>Natural following/heeling</i> • Environmental and People Focus 	
(OPTIONAL: INTRODUCE NEW TESTER WHO IS KNOWN TO PUPPY)		
Test Component	Puppy Traits	Description of Puppy Behaviors and Observer Comments
Tester Sets Up Obstacle Course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Self-confidence</i> • <i>Sight Sensitivity</i> • <i>Sound Sensitivity</i> • Environmental and People Focus • Patience 	

Obstacle Course (w Food)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Biddability</i> • <i>Self-confidence</i> • <i>Object Focus</i> • <i>Activity Focus</i> • <i>Scent Focus</i> • <i>Sight Sensitivity</i> • <i>Sound Sensitivity</i> 	
Obstacle Course (without Food)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Biddability</i> • <i>Self-confidence</i> • <i>Object Focus</i> • <i>Activity Focus</i> • <i>Scent Focus</i> • <i>Sight Sensitivity</i> • <i>Sound Sensitivity</i> 	
Tester Moves Items (Dramatically)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Self-Confidence</i> • <i>Sight Sensitivity</i> • <i>Sound Sensitivity</i> • Environmental and People Focus • Patience 	
Toy Play II (Chase And Tug)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Play Desire</i> • <i>Stamina</i> • <i>Activity Focus</i> 	

<p>Chase and Retrieve II (Optional: Retrieve w/ delay Retrieve w/ obstacle)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Play Desire</i> • <i>Retrieve Desire</i> • <i>Biddability</i> • <i>Activity Focus</i> • Stamina • Courage 	
<p>Disconnect from Pup (Conversation with Observer)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Patience</i> • Activity Focus • Environmental and People Focus • Object Focus 	
<p>Overhead Reach</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Handshyness</i> 	
<p>Flying Object (OPTIONAL)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>3-Dimensionality</i> 	
<p>Cookie Tin Drop</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Sound Sensitivity</i> • Courage 	
<p>Umbrella Pop</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Sight Sensitivity</i> • Courage 	

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Super Puppy Toys (OPTIONAL)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•<i>Courage</i>•<i>Stamina</i>•<i>FUN!</i>		
Breeder Recall	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•<i>Learning Speed</i>•<i>Problem Solving Style</i>	Trial #1: _____ Seconds	Trial #2: _____ Seconds

Italicized, Bold Traits are the primary traits being tested in each test