



Treat Sharing

This game does what it says on the tin. Teaches dogs to share around another dogs! It's great for building impulse control around food too.

This game is not suitable for dogs who growl, snap, snarl, bite or show other signs of resource guarding around food.

It's a great game for dogs who just need a little patience around food.

To play:

1. Fill both hands with treats and collect your dogs.
2. With your dogs in front of you, deliver a treat to each dogs mouth at the exact same time.
3. Repeat this a few times. The dogs should be waiting for the treat to come to them and not trying to get each others treats. If they are trying to get each others treats hold your hands further apart.
4. Give one of the dogs their treat a milisecond before the other.
5. Gradually increase the time between dog one and dog two getting their treats.

6. Over time you should be able to give each dog a treat without them moving towards the other dog.

Trouble shooting

- If the dogs are jumping for the treats trial asking them to sit first. Deliver the treats quickly to start with, before they have a chance to jump. Once they understand that 'bottoms on the floor = treats' you can start to slow down your delivery.
- One dog struggling more than the other? Give which ever dog struggles to wait the most their treat first when you get to step four.
- If one dog is really struggling to wait for the other, trial saying each dogs name just before you deliver their treat to make it clearer for your dog.