



# Big Sky Dog Training

## Course Curriculum - Intermediate

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### **Class One:** *(Always bring something for Leave it)*

- Check Equipment
- Markers
- Nose Targeting / Watch Me
- Types of rewards & Release & Time outs
- Dressing your dog / Handling
- Loose Leash Walking
- Recall
- Sit, attention, and focus exercises and for petting. Meeting a friendly stranger
- Wait at the door on the way out
- Socialization

### **Class Two:** *(Bring food bowl and dog food)*

- Appearance and Grooming, Health & Nutrition (food)
- Walk a straight line – loose leash walking
- Walk through the group with distractions
- Touch and recall to a reverse
- Sit and Sit/Stay – 6 ft. plus
- Down and down/stay – 6 ft. plus
- Leash corrections – using half-halts
- Leave it / take it/drop it
- Automatic Sit
- Wait for Food Bowl

### **Class Three:** *(Bring a high-value dog toy or bone)*

- Recall from the group (each class forward)
- Come and leashing up manners
- Side Sit
- Sit & Down Stay (20+ Feet & 360 degree walk around)
- Two dog recall same time
- Stop *(Bring a 20'+ Long Line/not retractable)*
- Wait at the door, in the car, stairs, etc.
- Down/stay 20ft leash with distractions

### **Class Four:** *(Bring towel or dog bed)*

- Long Line recall exercises (retrieve on lead)
- Come/Recall from Group of Dogs
- One dog recall between 2 dogs from a distance
- Go to place (mat)
- Walk through a crowd of dogs and owners
- Sit, Down, Stand and hold the Stand
- Recall (Come) when called from 10 ft to 30 foot
- Backing up

### **Class Five:** *(Bring a towel or dog bed)*

- Two dogs recall with distraction
- Retrieve Game
- Meet and great with a friendly stranger
- Dog Comes when called – no distraction
- Automatic Sit
- Recall from a group of dogs
- Go to place (mat)
- Reaction to distractions, noises
- Supervised separation
- Wait in Car

### **Class Six:** *(Bring a towel or dog bed)*

- Comes when called – with distractions
- Reaction to another dog during a sit
- Sit & Down Stay – at a distance with distractions
- Go to commands
- Cart/Wheelchair exercises
- Retrieve Game
- Certificates
- CGC Test if interested
- Photo's

- If you have any additional commands or issues you want to work on, please bring them up to the trainer.
- If you want to take the Canine Good Citizen Test. Ask the trainer to schedule with you at last class.