Virtual Puppy Kindergarten

“For: Puppies under 13 weeks old at the start of class.

When: Puppy Kindergarten includes an orientation class and four socialization classes. Classes meet for 30-45 minutes once a week. Recorded sessions are available for review or attendance if our schedule doesn’t fit yours!

The orientation class is for owners only – you will not work with your puppies in the first class.

Visit our website for the current class schedule: vet.osu.edu/vmc/puppy-kindergarten

Where: Classes will be held online. Registered participants will be emailed a link.

Fees and Payment: $80 for five remote sessions ($10 off with Ohio State staff or student ID). Payments should be made online using credit or debit cards. When your puppy’s registration is confirmed we will email you the payment link and account information. Payment should be made at least 48 hours before the first class to ensure timely online access.

Enrollment: Email the registration form (on page 2) to puppyclass@osu.edu An email acknowledgment will be sent when your registration is received. A final email confirmation of your puppy’s enrollment will be sent upon receipt of payment, and virtual class links will be sent within 24 hours of class.

Please note: Sending in a registration form does not guarantee enrollment. Class size is limited so that we have ample time to address questions.

All owners must submit the completed veterinary health form (on page 2) before the first class in which puppies participate (week 2), showing proof of vaccination and a healthy physical exam at least seven days prior to the puppy’s first day of class.

Contact: puppyclass@osu.edu

Additional Info: For extra forms and additional information, see the Ohio State Veterinary Community Practice web site: vet.osu.edu/vmc/puppy-kindergarten

Shape your puppy’s personality during this critical time of development and help prevent behavior problems.

Fun-filled educational activities for you and your pet each week for five weeks.

Great tips on house training, crate training, mouthing, obedience, and much more.

“Taking a puppy to puppy class is the single best thing an owner can do for their dog in its entire life.” – Dr. Andrew Luescher, animal behavior specialist
**Veterinary Health Form**

Puppy’s name ___________________________
and date of birth _______________________
Owner’s name ___________________________

Phone ____________________________

Address ______________________________

**Licensed veterinarian to complete the following or attach veterinary records:**
Veterinarian’s name, address and email

Physical exam – date received ____________

**Vaccination requirements:** First vaccine must be given at least three days prior to the puppy’s first class. This way our recommendations for socialization are in keeping with best immunization practices.

DHPP (DA2PP) – date received ____________

Bordetella – date received ______________

* I certify that I have examined and vaccinated the animal above on the noted date(s) and at the time of examination found the puppy to be in good health and free of any communicable diseases that would prevent the puppy’s participation in normal outdoor activities in a manner consistent with social distancing guidelines.

**Veterinarian’s signature and date**

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**Registration Form**

Session start date ______________________

Owner’s name, phone number, address

Email ____________________________

Puppy’s name _______________________
and date of birth _____________________

Puppy’s breed _______________________
and gender _________________________

Veterinarian’s name, phone number and email

Have you owned a dog before? ______________

List the names of the people participating in class:

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**Owner’s signature and date**