

UP/DOWN PATTERN

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UP

Handler shows treat to dog.



DOWN

Handler places treat on the ground.
Dog eats the treat off the ground.



UP

Dog looks back up in anticipation of another treat.



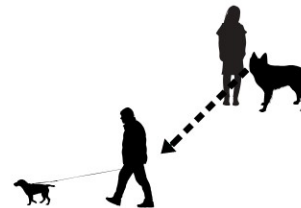
DOWN

Dog looking at handler cues handler to place another treat in the same spot on the ground for the dog to eat.



ADD DISTRACTION

Dog notices distraction.



UP

Dog orients back to handler cueing them to place another treat on the ground.



"Patterns games are a repetitive, predictable framework of cues and behaviors that helps the learner process the environment by weaving the unexpected into the safety net of the expected."

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