



Examination requirements for  
**BASIC LEVEL**  
certificate of

## RESPONSIBLE DOG OWNERSHIP

- Dog must have a visible and easily read identity tag carrying owner's name and postcode. (Owners telephone number is optional.) Owner must be aware of what information has to be displayed.
- Owner to remove the dog's collar and lead and then replace. No aggression must be displayed by the dog.
- Owner must carry poop bags and know where disposal is permitted.
- Answer ten dog ownership essential knowledge questions. Examiner selects questions from various subject sections of a prepared list. (The list is available for training.) Candidate must answer all correctly. Questions relate to indicators of ill-health, awareness of children's behaviour in a dog's presence, travelling with a dog, parasites, behaviour with other people, behaviour in public places and owner's public responsibilities.
- Correctly answer two questions on the statutory law relating to dog ownership.