

## **Examination requirements for**

## PRIMARY LEVEL

certificate of

## RESPONSIBLE DOG OWNERSHIP

- Owner must confirm that Basic Knowledge level has been passed. Examiner may check any detail of knowledge or dogs condition if Basic Knowledge test was conducted at a previous testing opportunity.
- o Heel on lead.

Owner must demonstrate retention of control when dog walks at Heel with an un-tensioned lead attached. Occasional tightening of the lead is acceptable.

o Recall.

Handler must Wait the dog whilst on lead; then walk a little distance away from dog whilst paying out lead. Dog must wait in position. Handler must then Recall dog. Dog must go straight to handler.

Thirty second Sit, Stay.

Handler must Sit and Stay the dog whilst on lead, then take two paces away from dog whilst paying out lead. Handler to remain stationary until examiner instructs. Handler then returns to dog. Dog must stay in position throughout test.

The Certificate of Responsible Dog Ownership scheme is a Friends of Colliers Wood initiative to encourage community responsibility. The schemes tests are designed to help dog owners in their training program, providing an indication of progress and standard achieved. Participation is conditional on acceptance of the examiners judgement being final.