

Puppies Bite

- ✓ So important that they do!
- ✓ Puppy biting is a normal, natural, and necessary puppy behavior.
- ✓ Puppy play-biting is the means by which dogs develop bite inhibition (ability to control Jaw Pressure)
- ✓ The more your puppy bites and receives appropriate feedback, the safer his jaws will be in adulthood.
- ✓ Puppies that don't bite or are punished for biting are more likely to cause serious damage if they bite as an adult.
- ✓ We need to teach puppies that their bites can hurt long before they develop jaws strong enough to inflict injury.
- ✓ The greater the pup's opportunity to play-bite with people, other dogs, and other animals, the better his bite inhibition will be as an adult..

Why is Puppy Biting So Important?

Puppy biting helps puppies learn how to use their mouths and develop **Acquired Bite Inhibition**



Never Punish



Teach Games appropriate to age



Calming techniques



Sel-Contro; Games



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