

SAFETY FIRST



- Adjustable Collar
- Leash & Gentle Harness
- Dog Gate or Play Pen
- ID Tag with Phone Number
- Puppy-Proofing Essentials (i.e. cord covers, cabinet locks)
- **BONUS:** Reflective Gear or LED Light for visibility



A COMFORTING WELCOME

- Dog Bed
- Cozy Blanket
- Crate or Kennel
- **BONUS:** Old Toy with the scent of the mother/littermates



HEALTH PRIORITIES

- Schedule Vet Appointment
- Get Pet Insurance
- Deworming & Vaccinations
- Spay/Neuter Surgery
- Microchip Implantation
- Flea/Tick Prevention
- **BONUS:** Breed Research

FOOD & TREAT NECESSITIES



- Food & Water Bowl
- High-Quality Puppy Food
- Healthy Treats
- **BONUS:** Snuffle Mat or Slow Feeder



ESSENTIAL GROOMING



- Dog Shampoo & Conditioner
- Safe Nail Clippers
- Ear Cleaner
- Double-Sided Toothbrush
- Canine Toothpaste
- Safe Dental Chews
- **BONUS:** De-Shedding Tool

VALUABLE PLAYTIME & ENGAGEMENT

- Throwable Fetch Toy
- Fillable Puzzle Toy
- Teething/Chew Toy
- **BONUS:** Play interactive games like Hide-N-Seek

TRAINING FOR A STRONGER BOND

- Potty Pads
- Low-Calorie Treats
- Clicker
- Training Lead
- Treat Pouch
- Treat-Dispensing Toy
- Enroll in Puppy Classes for Obedience Training
- Complete the Puppy Socialization Checklist
- **BONUS:** Recall, Agility & Scent Training



CLEANING SUPPLIES



- Dog Waste Bags
- Non-Toxic Stain Remover
- **BONUS:** Enzyme Scent-Removal Spray for indoor accidents