

# APDT Recommended Resources Check-List



The following is a list of resources for anyone who aspires to be a dog training and behavior professional. APDT invites you to utilize the handy check-list to help you identify which resources you already possess, have read, or are familiar with. We challenge you to work toward checking off ALL resources on this list, to help ensure your education and knowledge are truly well-rounded.

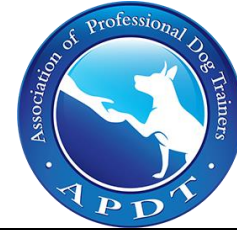
## Learning: Animal

	<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>
	How Dogs Learn	Mary Burch, Jon Bailey
	Exel-Erated Learning	Pam Reid
	Handbook of Dog Behavior and Training – V 1-3	Steven Lindsay
	How to Behave So Your Dog Behaves, 2 <sup>nd</sup> ed	Sophia Yin
	Don't Shoot the Dog	Karen Pryor
	<u>AVSAB Position Statement on the Use of Dominance Theory in Behavior Modification of animals.</u>	American Veterinary Society of Animal Behavior 2009.
	<u>AVSAB Position Statement - Punishment Guidelines: The use of punishment for dealing with animal behavior problems.</u>	American Veterinary Society of Animal Behavior 2007.

## Learning: Human

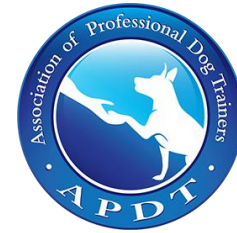
	<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>
	It's Not the Dogs, It's the People	Nicole Wilde
	Coaching People to Train Their Dogs	Terry Ryan
	Kids and Dogs: A Professionals Guide to Helping Families	Colleen Pelar
	One on One: A Dog Trainer's Guide to Private Training	Nicole Wilde

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	The Human Half of Dog Training	Rise VanFleet
	Dog Behavior Problems – The Counselors Handbook	William Campbell
	Don't Shoot the Dog	Karen Pryor
	Living with Kids and Dogs...Without Losing Your Mind: A Parent's Guide to Controlling the Chaos	Colleen Pelar, C&R Publishing, 2005
	What Shamu Taught Me About Life, Love and Marriage	Amy Sutherland
	The Other End of the Leash – Why We Do What We Do Around Dogs	Patricia B. McConnell, Ph.D, Ballantine Books, 2002

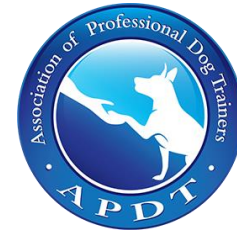
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## Canine Behavior

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What is My Dog Saying (DVD)	Carol Byrnes
Canine Behavior: An Illustrated Guide	Barbara Handelman
Genetics and the Social Behavior of the Dog	John Paul Scott and John Fuller
Handbook of Dog Behavior and Training V1-3	Steven Lindsay
How to Behave So Your Dog Behaves, 2 <sup>nd</sup> edition	Sophia Yin
The Thinking Dog	Gail Fisher
The Dog: It's Behavior, Nutrition and Health	2 <sup>nd</sup> ed is 2005, Iowa State University Press, Linda Case
Dog Sense: How the New Science of Dog Behavior Can Make You A Better Friend to Your Pet	John Bradshaw, Basic Books, 2011
Dogs: A New Understanding of Canine Origin, Behavior and Evolution	Raymond and Lorna Coppinger, University of Chicago Press, 2001
For the Love of A Dog Understanding Emotion in You and Your Best Friend	Patricia B. McConnell, Ph.D, Ballantine Books, 2005, 2006
Inside of A Dog	Alexandra Horowitz
On Talking Terms With Dogs: Calming Signals	Turid Rugaas, Dogwise Publishing, 2006
The New Knowledge of Dog Behavior	Clarence Pfaffenberger
The Other End of the Leash – Why We Do What We Do Around Dogs	Patricia B. McConnell, Ph.D, Ballantine Books, 2002
The Power of Positive Dog Training	Pat Miller
<u>AVSAB Position Statement on the Use of Dominance Theory in Behavior Modification of animals.</u>	American Veterinary Society of Animal Behavior 2009.
<u>AVSAB Position Statement - Punishment Guidelines: The use of punishment for dealing with animal behavior problems.</u>	American Veterinary Society of Animal Behavior 2007.
<u>Association of Professional Dog Trainers 2009. APDT Position Statement on Dominance and Dog Training</u>	APDT

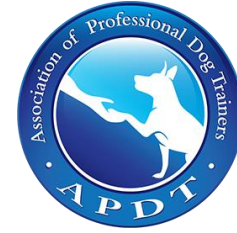
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### Canine Behavior (con't)

	<u>Association of Professional Dog Trainers 2009. Dominance Myths and Dog Training Realities</u>	APDT
	<u>The relationship between training methods and the occurrence of behavior problems, as reported by owners, in a population of domestic dogs.</u>	Blackwell, Emily J., Twells, Caroline Anne, Seawright, Rachel A. Casey. 2008. <i>Journal of Veterinary Behavior: Clinical Applications and Research</i> , September/October 2008, pp 207-217.
	<u>Dominance in domestic dogs - useful construct or bad habit?</u>	Bradshaw J.W.S., Blackwell E.J., Casey R.A. 2009. <i>Journal of Veterinary Behavior: Clinical Applications and Research</i> , May/June 2009, pp 135-144.
	<u>The Misbehavior of Organisms</u>	Breland, Keller, Breland, Marian,
	<u>Alpha Status, Dominance, and Division of Labor in Wolf Packs.</u>	Mech L.D. 1999. <i>Canadian Journal of Zoology</i> .
	<u>Whatever happened to the term alpha wolf?</u>	Mech L.D. 2008. <i>International Wolf</i> .
	<u>Why Won't "Dominance" Die?</u>	Ryan, David. 2010. Association of Pet Behaviour Counsellors website,
	<u>Moving Beyond the Dominance Myth: Toward An Understanding of Training as Partnership</u>	Spector, Morgan, , Tufts Animal Expo Conference Proceedings, September 1, 2001
	<u>Early Canid Domestication: The Farm-Fox Experiment</u>	Trut, Lyudmila N., , <i>American Scientist</i> , Volume 87,
	<u>Dog training methods—their use, effectiveness and interaction with behaviour and welfare.</u>	Hiby, E.F., Rooney, N.J., Bradshaw, J.W.S., 2004, <i>Anim. Welfare</i> 13, 63–69.

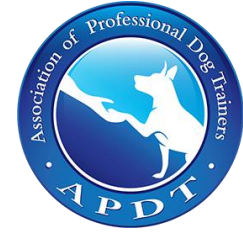
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### Business

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	So You Want to Be a Dog Trainer	Nicole Wilde
	How to Run a Dog Business	Veronica Boutelle
	Minding Your Dog Business: A Practical Guide to Business Success for Dog Professionals	Veronica Boutelle & Rikki Jorgensen
	One on One: A Dog Trainer's Guide to Private Training	Nicole Wilde
	Six Steps to Creating Profit: A Guide for Small and Mid-sized Service Based Businesses	Patricia Sigmon
	The Discipline of Market Leaders: Choose Your Customers, Narrow Your Focus, Dominate Your Market	Michael Treacy & Fred Wiersema
	The E-Myth Revisited: Why Most Small Businesses Don't Work and What to Do About It	Michel E. Gerber
	NxLevelL Guide For Business Start-Ups: Helping Entrepreneurs Reach the Next Level of Success	Brandan Kearney & David P. Wold
	Getting Things Done: The Art of Stress-Free Productivity	David Allen
	Inside the Magic Kingdom	Tom Connellan
	The 8 Dimensions of Leadership: DiSC Strategies for Becoming a Better Leader	Jeffrey Sugarmen
	Whale Done!	Ken Blanchard

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## Laws & Legislation

	<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>
	Dog Law	Mary Randolph
	The Ethical Dog Trainer	Jim Barry, Dogwise, 2008
	Legal Guide for Starting & Running a Small Business, 13 <sup>th</sup> Edition	Fred S. Steingold

## Health & Nutrition

	<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>
	Dr. Pitcairn's Complete Guide to Natural Health for Dogs and Cats	Dr. Richard Pitcairn
	The Merck Veterinary Manual	
	UCDavis Book of Dogs, Medical Reference	Mordecai Siegal
	The Dog: It's Behavior, Nutrition and Health – 2 <sup>nd</sup> ed is 2005	Iowa State University Press, Linda Case