

# HOW TO GREET A DOG



## DO'S



Approach slowly  
& relaxed



Always ask first!  
Even if the dog  
seems friendly



Turn your body to the side  
if a dog approaches  
to sniff!



Invite the dog  
to interact



Offer gentle pets  
to the chest if the  
dog seems relaxed

## DONT'S



Don't invade the dog's  
space by leaning  
or reaching over



Don't pick up, hug  
or restrain the  
dog



Don't kiss or put  
your face near  
the dog's face



Don't approach  
a dog sleeping  
or on their bed



Don't approach  
a dog while  
they're  
eating