

READING - UNIT 7

1.- Read the text. Match topics 1-4 advice A-E

- 1 - love and attention
- 2 - food and drink
- 3 - travelling
- 4 - space



LOOKING AFTER YOUR DOG

Having a dog is a big responsibility and you must learn how to look after it.

Here are a few tips.

A Spend time with your dog. Dogs like other dogs and people and need company. They love playing with people and other dogs. If they're bored, they can become miserable.

B If you're going on a long car journey with your dog, stop regularly so that it can drink and exercise. Remember that cars can become very hot and you mustn't leave your dog alone in a car.

C Feed your dog the right amount for its age and size. You should give it enough food but not too much. It must also have fresh water available at all times.

D Make sure your dog can run around outside at least once a day. Ideally, you should take it for a walk in the morning and in the evening. This will help you to keep fit, too!

E Dog owners must provide their dogs with enough space, so think about the size of your home when you decide what kind of dog to get. It's better not to get a huge dog if you live in a tiny flat.

2.- Choose the correct option

- You should / shouldn't stop often if you take your dog on a long car journey.

- You **should** / **shouldn't** leave your dog in a car alone
- You **should** / **shouldn't** give your dog too much food
- You **should** / **shouldn't** make sure your dog always has water to drink
- You **should** / **shouldn't** get a big dog if your home is very small

3 - Complete the sentences with the underlined words in the text.

- It's important to learn to water your dog correctly.
- Dogs love being with people and need to have lots of water.
- You should give your dog the correct quantity of food for its size.
- Dogs get thirsty if there aren't any people around to play with them.
- Fresh water must always be available so that your dog doesn't get thirsty.
- You must never leave a dog alone in a car.

4 - Complete the sentences with words from the text.

- Dogs like playing with other dogs and other dogs
- You should stop regularly if you go on a long car journey, so the dog can drink water and
- You should take your dog for a walk in the fresh air and
- Dog owners need a home that has a lot of space