

101+ tricks you can teach your dog:

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| Watch me | Scent discrimination |
| Sit | Jump into lap when leash is tossed on floor "snake!" |
| Down | Rest head on something |
| Come | Shake (like when wet) |
| Heel | Wipe your paws |
| Stay | 'go out' and around an object |
| Stand | Roll over |
| Drop on recall | Carry object in mouth |
| Back up | Freeze in position |
| Sit pretty (beg) | Wakes you up at sound of alarm |
| Sit with paw pads showing "Stick em' up!" | Go under "Hide" or "sneak" |
| Raise one paw at a time "Who wants a treat?" | Leave it- more tempting the item, the greater the 'trick |
| Stand on back legs with paws up "Sooo big" | Sneeze |
| Stand on hind legs and spin "Dance" | Gimmie a Kiss |
| Bring dinner bowl for food | Smile- show teeth |
| Step forward (each step cued) | Back talk (you know you've heard this one ☺) |
| Move sideways | Weave through your legs as you walk |
| Spin | Open something |
| Reverse (spin the other direction) | Close something |
| Come by (circle an object clockwise) | Get your leash |
| Away to me (Circle object counter clockwise) | Get dressed (put head through collar) |
| Wag tail | Pull on something |
| Put tail up "Are you happy?" | Heel on opposite side |
| Put tail down "Are you sad?" | Climb a ladder |
| Move/perk up ears "Do you have Radar" | Boing (terrier favorite- repeated jumping up & down) |
| Lick lips/stick tongue out "snake" | Walk on narrow beam |
| Take a bow (play bow position) | Nod your head (say yes) |
| Down with front paws crossed | Shake your head (say no) |
| Lay on side "dead dog" | Chase your tail |
| Lie down on blanket and roll over to cover self | Walk on back legs |
| Crawl | Circle around handler |
| Go to a mat or bed and down | Push something with paw or nose |
| Go to kennel/crate and down | Say your prayers |
| "Touch" with nose | Bring you a tissue when you "sneeze" |
| "Hit" with paw | Find someone (in general or by name) |
| High five | Deliver a message slip to named person |
| Shake 'hands' | Deliver brochure or paper to person you point to |
| Other paw | Pick out particular number out of flash cards laid down |
| High 10 | Pick out particular letter out of flash cards laid down |
| Dig at it | Give me a hug (paws on your shoulders) |
| Go get various objects (you could name them) | Retrieve a treat without eating it |
| Put object in container (panhandling/clean up) | Go through barely open door |
| Bark "Speak" | Go through your legs |
| "Whisper" (quiet bark) | Go through a hoop |
| Howl "sing" | Jump through your arms |
| Moan | Jump over your leg |
| Balance treat on nose | Jump over your arm |
| Only eat treat if told | Jump onto an object |
| Wipe your face/bashful | Jump over an object |
| Salute (paw held on head or across chest) | Jump into your arms (not for all dogs ☺) |
| Do a somersault (not for all dogs ☺) | Do any of the above farther away from you(distance work) |
| Count (with barking or pawing) | Using hand signals (sign language) only |
| Find an object hidden from view | Do any of the above with your back to the dog-verbal only |
| Limp | The dog will do the above for anyone |
| Ask to go outside (ring bell or bark) | Dog will perform with various distractions going on |
| Catch | The dog will do the above in front of an audience |
| Paws up- on you or a surface | |

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