Puppy Training 101

Practice this with puppies 3 to 16+ weeks:

**Crate Training**

1. Show puppy treats  
2. Toss treats into crate  
3. Puppy goes in crate  
4. Secure door  
5. Pup quiet? Give a treat!

**Puppy Handling**

*Touch ears, muzzle, paws, tail, and gently restrain on back*

1. Touch a body part  
2. Give pup a treat  
3. Puppy struggling?  
4. Hold until pup is calm. Begin again.

**Stop Biting!**

1. Puppy bites hard  
2. Yelp sternly!  
3. Try no more than 3 times  
4. Bites again?  
5. Game ends. Go to next pup.

Tips: Be proactive and give pups a toy to chew on instead of you. Keep hands still! Active hands became toys to puppies.

**Sit**

1. Wait for pup to sit  
2. Pup Sitting?  
3. Give treat  
4. Say "Sit"  
5. Pup sits? Give treat!

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