



Cleveland All-Breed Training Club

LOOKING TO GET YOUR DOG A CGC CERTIFICATION??

CLEVELAND ALL BREED TRAINING CLUB WILL BE HOSTING A CGC TEST

All are welcome!!

WHEN: Thursday, October 16, 2025

WHERE: Cleveland All Breed Training Club
210 Hayes Drive, Suite A
Brooklyn Hts., OH 44131

MUST CALL TO SIGN UP: 216/398-1118 – Testing will be done in the order you signed up

REQUIREMENTS FOR TAKING TEST: Dogs must have approximately 21 hours of training from another training facility, equivalent to CABTC's FS I, FS II and FS III classes

FOR TESTING: Dogs can wear a buckle, choker or martingale collar. No prong collars, no harnesses and no treats please!!

TIME: 6:30pm to 8:00pm – 1st ½ Hour will be review of CGC Test Items – 2nd Hour Testing

COST: CABTC Students who took FS I, FS II & FS III - \$10

Members - \$15

Non-Members - \$20

CGC TEST ITEMS

- 1. Accepting a friendly stranger** - Evaluator approaches, shakes hands with handler. Does not touch dog.
- 2. Sitting politely for petting** - Evaluator pets dog, dog must show no shyness or resentment.
- 3. Appearance and grooming** - Evaluator inspects dog, combs or brushes lightly, examines ears and each front foot.
- 4. Out for a walk** - Handler takes dog for a short walk including right turn, left turn about turn and stop.
- 5. Walking through a crowd** - Dog and handler walk close to several people; dog may show casual interest but not jump up.
- 6. Sit and down on command/Staying in place** - Handler shows dog can do sit and down, chooses a position, leaves dog, goes to end of 20 ft. line and returns immediately.
- 7. Coming when called** - With dog still on 20 ft. line from Test 6, handler walks out 10 ft. and calls the dog.
- 8. Reaction to another dog** - Two handlers and dogs approach, shake hands, exchange pleasantries, move on. Dogs can show casual interest.
- 9. Reaction to distractions** - Distractions are presented; dogs may not panic or show aggression.
- 10. Supervised Separation** – Handler goes out of sight for 3 min. Dog is held on 6 ft. leash by an evaluator.

For more information go to:

<https://www.akc.org/products-services/training-programs/canine-good-citizen/who-can-participate/>

Canine Good Citizen (CGC)