



DROP IT

Drop it is the command you use when your dog already has something in their mouth. This is also a lifesaving command and can be used to make your dog drop something dangerous which they have picked up, such as glass, medications or other items. This is also a great command for fetch and fun games too.



Offer a toy to your dog (whatever type of toy is their favorite)



Play with your dog for a few seconds and wait until they have the toy in their mouth



Hold a treat in front of your dog's nose and say "drop it"



As soon as your dog drops the toy for the treat, use your clicker and reward your dog

Notes about Drop it:



Don't let your dog drop anything into your hand. Always let them drop the item onto the floor because you never know what it could be! (Gross!!)



When practicing with a toy, make sure you take the toy and hide it behind your back for a little while before beginning again. Anytime your dog drops it, that item is yours now.

