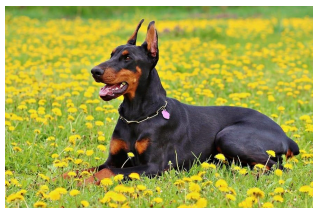


8.1 Dog Breed Characteristics Compilation

Isaac

Doberman Pinscher



1. Breed Doberman

- a. Key Descriptors: **affectionate and sweet with people**

2. History

- a. *That was the case with a certain late-19th-Century entrepreneur from Apolda, Germany, who also was a night watchman, dog catcher, and – shades of that Twain quote – flayer, or skinner, of dogs. Brilliantly cross-pollinating his customs and canine careers, Karl Friedrich Louis Dobermann created the breed that today bears his name, the [Doberman Pinscher](#).*

3.

The Doberman Pinscher, Siberian Husky and Great Dane

4. _____ Group

5. c/

a. Family Life

i. Lovey-Dovey 5/5

ii. Good with Children 5/5

iii. Good with Other Dogs 4/5

b. Physical

i. Shedding Level - **2/5**

ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 3/5

iii. Drooling Level - **4/5**

iv. Coat Type - **3/5**

v. Coat length - 4/5

c. Social

i. Openness to Strangers - **2/5**

ii. Playfulness Level - **5/5**

iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 5/5

iv. Adaptability Level - **1/5**

d. Personality

i. Trainability - **3/5**

ii. Energy Level - 4/5

- iii. Barking Level - 5/5
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 5/5
- e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. 18 out of 195
- f. Height / Weight
 - i. **27-28 " / 70 lbs**
 - ii. 26-27 / 65 lbs
- g. Life Expectancy **about 10–13 years on average**
 - i. 10-13 years on average
- 6. Breed Standard Disqualifications
 - a. **If four or more teeth are missing**, the Doberman shall be disqualified from the breed ring. Also, there are two bite disqualifications, "overshot" more than 3/16 of an inch or "undershot" more than 1/8 of an inch.

Jakelin -- not shared?

Elijah - absent

Carmen



1. Alaskan malamute
2. **COPY/PASTE** image above #1
3. Alaskan Malamutes were **believed to be bred by the nomadic Inuit tribe**, Mahlemut, of the Kotzebue Sound of northwestern Alaska. These dogs were originally used to hunt seals, fend off polar bears, and haul heavy loads filled with food or camp supplies at low speeds over great distances.
4. The Alaskan Malamute features a **powerful, sturdy body built for stamina and strength**. It reigns as one of the oldest dog breeds whose original looks have not been significantly altered. This intelligent canine needs a job and consistent leadership to avoid becoming bored or challenging to handle.
5. Makes a **loyal and bold companion**. It loves to run, pull, and roam, and must be confined in a secure yard. It is sociable toward people, but can be aggressive toward strange dogs or animals. Strong willed and independent, so that it needs training with a firm hand from a young age.

- a. Malamutes are patient with children and love the attention they get from them, but fast-growing, energetic Alaskan Malamute puppies can easily overpower a young child **under age five**. ... With early socialization and training, your Malamute should get along well with other dogs.
 - b. The Alaskan Malamute is a freighting dog, built to pull heavy loads for long distances. He is highly athletic with a **well muscled body, deep chest, strong legs and a plume of a tail that waves over his back**. An Alaskan Malamute's head is broad with prick ears and dark-brown eyes.
 - c. Alaskan malamutes are one of the friendliest breeds I have come across in my many decades of dog worship. And although they are not loyal to one particular person, they are great family dogs. They are wonderfully social and engaging
 - d. Alaskan malamutes are playful, loveable dogs with outgoing dispositions. Like huskies, **they are friendly with everyone, including strangers**. ... Both these highly intelligent dogs need a lot of physical exercise and mental stimulation.
 - e. AKC Breed Popularity
 - f. For a male is 25 inches, and for a female is 23 in
 - g. 85 pounds for a male , and 75 pounds for a female
 - h. 10-14 years
6. Faults under this provision would be splay-footedness, cowhocks, bad pasterns, straight shoulders, lack of angulation, stilted gait (or any gait that isn't balanced, strong and steady), ranginess, shallowness, ponderousness, lightness of bone, and poor overall proportion. Disqualification: **Blue eyes**.

Lucas

1. BREED _____ **German shepered** _____



Insert breed photo here >

- a. Key Descriptors:
 - i. _____ **Fast** _____ , _____ **Active** _____ , _____ **On military's roster** _____
2. History
 - a. Year Developed _____ **1899** _____
 - b. To the right of the arrow, type at least one historical fact >> Originated in germany

3. _____ **Herding** _____ Group
4. Breed Traits & Characteristics
 - a. Family Life
 - i. _____ **Upright ears** _____
 - ii. _____ **Double coat** _____
 - iii. _____ **?** _____
 - b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - _____
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - _____
 - iii. Drooling Level - _____ **?** _____
 - iv. Coat Type - _____ **?** _____
 - v. Coat length - _____ **Medium** _____
 - c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - _____ **?** _____
 - ii. Playfulness Level - _____ **?** _____
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - _____ **?** _____
 - iv. Adaptability Level - _____ **?** _____
 - d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - _____ **?** _____
 - ii. Energy Level - _____ **Average** _____
 - iii. Barking Level - _____ **?** _____
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - _____ **?** _____
 - e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking- see graph on AKC.org)
 - i. _____ **?** _____
 - f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male _____ **?** _____" / _____ **?** _____ lbs.
 - ii. Female _____ **?** _____" / _____ **?** _____ lbs.
 - g. Life Expectancy
 - i. _____ **?** _____ years
 - h. Typical price per puppy \$ _____ **?** _____
5. Breed Standard Disqualifications (view Full Breed Standard)
 - a. To the right of the arrow, type breed standard disqualification(s). Characteristics which disqualify an individual dog to be registered as a PUREBRED. >



1. Breed -pug

- a. Serious with a laid-back attitude, pugs are robust and easy to care for but it is notable they do not do well in hot, humid weather and must be observed carefully for heatstroke.

2. History

- a. *Some breeds of dogs have seen their purpose change over the years. The Pug is not among them. These cheerful, playful, and affectionate little dogs are among the oldest dog breeds known today, and throughout their long history they have performed just one very important job: keeping us company.*

3. toy group

4. Breed Traits & Characteristics

Charming loving and mischievous

a. Family Life

- i. Affection with family- 5/5
- ii. Good with young children 5/5
- iii. Good with other dogs 4/5

b. Physical

- i. Shedding Level - 4/5
- ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 2/5
- iii. Drooling Level - 1/5
- iv. Coat Type - smooth
- v. Coat length - short

c. Social

- i. Openness to Strangers - 5/5
- ii. Playfulness Level - 5/5
- iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 3/5
- iv. Adaptability Level - 5/5

d. Personality

- i. Trainability - 4/5
- ii. Energy Level - 3/5
- iii. Barking Level - 1/5

- iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 3/5
- e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. 28/201
- f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male
 - ii. Female
- g. Life Expectancy
 - i. 12-15 years
- 5. Breed Standard Disqualifications
 - a.

Roman - none

Brody



1. Breed Shih tzu
 - a. Key Descriptors: Affectionate/Playful/Outgoing
2. History
 - a. *Chinese emperor named them shih tzu which means lion dog*
 - b. *Recognized as a breed in 1969*
3. toy Group
4. Breed Traits & Characteristics
 - a. Family Life
 - i. Good with young kids
 - ii. Good with other dogs
 - iii. Affectionate with family
 - b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - 1/5
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 4/5
 - iii. Drooling Level - 1/5

- iv. Coat Type - Double
- v. Coat length -Long
- c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - 3/5
 - ii. Playfulness Level - 3/5
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 3/5
 - iv. Adaptability Level - Very adaptive
- d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - 4/5
 - ii. Energy Level - 3/5
 - iii. Barking Level - 3/5
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 3/5
- e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. 20 of 201
- f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male 9-16 lbs./ 9-10.5"
 - ii. Female 9-16 lbs./ 9-10.5"
- g. Life Expectancy
 - i. ___10-18_____ years

5. Breed Standard Disqualifications

- a. Must be small and compact
- b. Common structural faults are undisireable

Bennett L.

BREED american foxhound



1. Breed: american foxhound
 - a. Key Descriptors:Independent / Easy-Going / Sweet-Tempered
2. History:The English foxhound was bred with other European hounds and **the resulting hunting companion came** to be known as the American foxhound. ... Later, the dogs were crossed with

Irish hounds to create a speedier animal that could keep better pace with the foxes popular in hunts of the day.

3. Hound Group

4. Breed Traits & Characteristics

a. Family Life

- i. Affectionate with family 3/5
- ii. Good with other dogs 5/5
- iii. Good with young children 5/5

b. Physical

- i. Shedding Level - 3/5
- ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 1/5
- iii. Drooling Level - 1/5
- iv. Coat Type - smooth
- v. Coat length -short

c. Social

- i. Openness to Strangers - 3/5
- ii. Playfulness Level -3/5
- iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 3/5
- iv. Adaptability Level - 3/5

d. Personality

- i. Trainability - 3/5
- ii. Energy Level -4/5
- iii. Barking Level -5/5
- iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 3/5

e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)

- i. 186/201

f. Height / Weight

- i. Male 22-25inch. 65-70 lbs.
- ii. Female 21-24 inch. 60-65 lbs

g. Life Expectancy

- i. 11-13 years

5. Breed Standard Disqualifications

Neveah R.

1. **BREED** american staffordshire terrier



a. Key Descriptors:

- i. Confident, smart, good-natured

2. History

a. *Year Developed 1936*

- b. To the right of the arrow, type at least one historical fact >> they originated from America

3. Terrier Group

4. Breed Traits & Characteristics

a. Family Life

- i. Affectionate with family 5/5
- ii. Good with children 3/5
- iii. Good with other dogs 3/5

b. Physical

- i. Shedding Level - 2/5
- ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 1/5
- iii. Drooling Level - 1/5
- iv. Coat Type - smooth
- v. Coat length -short

c. Social

- i. Openness to Strangers - 4/5
- ii. Playfulness Level - 3/5
- iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 5/5
- iv. Adaptability Level - 3/5

d. Personality

- i. Trainability - 3/5
- ii. Energy Level - 3/5
- iii. Barking Level - 3/5
- iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 3/5

e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking- see graph on AKC.org)

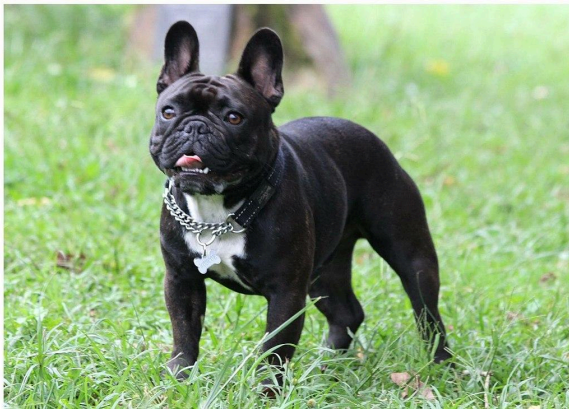
- i. 85/201

f. Height / Weight

- i. Male 18-19" / 55-70 lbs.
 - ii. Female 17-18" / 40-55 lbs.
- g. Life Expectancy
 - i. 12-16 years
- h. Typical price per puppy \$ around 2000
- 5. Breed Standard Disqualifications black, tan, liver color.
 - a. To the right of the arrow, type breed standard disqualification(s). Characteristics which disqualify an individual dog to be registered as a PUREBRED. > having over three colors on dogs furr

Raegen

BREED



- 1. Breed French bulldog
 - a. Key Descriptors: Playful / Smart / Adaptable
- 2. History; Frenchies" were first bred in Nottingham in the 1800s by lace makers who wanted to create a small, miniature version of English Bulldog also called a "toy" bulldog. In the 1860s when craftsmen moved to France, they brought their dogs along with them. They became popular there and were given the name French bulldogs.
 - a.
- 3. Non-sporting Group
- 4. Breed Traits & Characteristics; playful, bright, athletic, lively, keen, alert
 - a. Family Life
 - i. 5/5 very lovey
 - ii. % okay with other dogs
 - iii. 5/5 good with young children
 - b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - % semi
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - % monthly
 - iii. Drooling Level - % it drools a little

- iv. Coat Type - smooth
- v. Coat length - short
- c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - 5/5
 - ii. Playfulness Level -5/5
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 3/5
 - iv. Adaptability Level - 5/5
- d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - 4/5
 - ii. Energy Level - 3/5
 - iii. Barking Level -1/5
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 4/5
- e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. AKC most popular breed list to 2nd place in 2020
- f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male- 11 to 13 inches tall and about 20 to 28 pounds
 - ii. Female- 11 to 13 inches tall and about 20 to 28 pounds
- g. Life Expectancy
 - i. 10-14 years
- 5. Breed Standard Disqualifications
 - a. Long, wire-haired, or woolly coat

Elvin



1. Breed ___ bull terrier/ walter _____
 - a. Key Descriptors: **gentle, affectionate and playful with family members**. They also are loyal pets that will guard the family
2. History bull terriers were developed during the 19th century in england around 1835
 - a.
3. _____ breed group _____ Group
4. Breed Traits & Characteristics

- a. Family Life
 - i. Affection with family is a 4/5
 - ii. Good with young children 3/5
 - iii. Good with other dogs 1/5
 - b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - 3/5
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 2/5
 - iii. Drooling Level - 1/5
 - iv. Coat Type - smooth
 - v. Coat length - short
 - c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - 4/5
 - ii. Playfulness Level 4/5
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 3/5
 - iv. Adaptability Level - 3/5
 - d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - 3/5
 - ii. Energy Level - 4/5
 - iii. Barking Level - 3/5
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 4/5
 - e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. 62 out of 201
 - f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male 55-65, 21 or 22 inches tall
 - ii. Female 45 to 55 pounds 21-22 inches tall
 - g. Life Expectancy
 - i. _____10-14_____ years
5. Breed Standard Disqualifications
- a. Blue eyes

Landen



1. Breed ____ whippet _____

a. Key Descriptors:

Affectionate / Playful / Calm

2. History

They originated in England where they descended from greyhounds

a.

3. _____ hound _____ Group

4. Breed Traits & Characteristics

a. Family Life

i. Good with other dogs

ii. Good with young children

iii. AFFECTIONATE WITH FAMILY

b. Physical

i. Shedding Level - 2

ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 1

iii. Drooling Level - 1

iv. Coat Type - smooth

v. Coat length -short

c. Social

i. Openness to Strangers - 3

ii. Playfulness Level -4

iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 3

iv. Adaptability Level - 3

d. Personality

i. Trainability - 3

ii. Energy Level -4

iii. Barking Level -1

iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 4

e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)

i.

f. Height / Weight

i. Male 19-22 in, 25-40

ii. Female 18-21 in, 25-40

g. Life Expectancy

i. _____ 12-15 _____ years

5. Breed Standard Disqualifications

- a. A description of the ideal dog of each recognized breed, to serve as an ideal against which dogs are judged at shows, originally laid down by a parent breed club and accepted officially by national or international bodies.

Bryceten - none

Isaiah

BREED (insert photo of selected breed)



1. Breed siberian husky
2. History Siberian Huskies originated in Northeast Asia
3. Breed Traits & Characteristics
 - a. Family Life
 - i. 5
 - ii. 5
 - iii. 5
 - b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - 4
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 2
 - iii. Drooling Level - 1
 - iv. Coat Type - double
 - v. Coat length -medium
 - c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - 5
 - ii. Playfulness Level -5
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 1
 - iv. Adaptability Level - 4

- d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - 3
 - ii. Energy Level -5
 - iii. Barking Level -5
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 4
- e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. 14
- f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male 21-23 in 45-60 lbs
 - ii. Female 20-22 in 35-50 lbs
- g. Life Expectancy
 - i. 12-14 years
- 4. Breed Standard Disqualifications
 - a.

Alydia

BREED (insert photo of selected breed)



1. Breed samoyed
 - a. Key Descriptors: friendly/ gentle/ adaptable
2. History; The Samoyed has been identified as a basal breed that predates the emergence of the modern breeds in the 19th century. ... Samoyeds were used for hunting, herding reindeer, and hauling sledges for the Samoyede people in Siberia.
3. working Group
4. Breed Traits & Characteristics; breed traits are intelligent. Gentle, and loyal dog. Characteristics; playful, lively, sociable, friendly, stubborn, alert.
 - a. Family Life

- i. their really lovey dovey
 - ii. their okay with other dogs
 - iii. really good with younger kids.
- b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - $\frac{3}{4}$ they shed regularly might have hair every where
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - $\frac{3}{4}$ the groom their selfs most days
 - iii. Drooling Level - 1 they are less likely to drool
 - iv. Coat Type - double
 - v. Coat length - long
- c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - everyone is their best friend a good dog to have
 - ii. Playfulness Level - 5 they love to play all day
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - $\frac{4}{5}$ they are pretty protective
 - iv. Adaptability Level - $\frac{4}{5}$ it can move around pretty well
- d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - $\frac{4}{5}$ good to train
 - ii. Energy Level - $\frac{4}{5}$ a high level of energy
 - iii. Barking Level - 5/5 very vocal very loud
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - $\frac{4}{5}$ they need to be busy
- e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. 1906
- f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male 21 and 23 inches and 45 65 pounds
 - ii. Female 21 24 inches and 35 65 pounds
- g. Life Expectancy
 - i. 12- 14 years

5. Breed Standard Disqualifications

- a. Any coat color other than white, cream, biscuit or a combination thereof.

Kaydin

1. Breed Standard Disqualifications
2. **Copy/Paste the URL** of the "Dog 101" (or other) YouTube video about your breed. (Note: You will show us this video as you tell us about your breed.)



The Red Heeler was originally bred to herd livestock in Australia in the 19th century. The settlers who lived there needed a dog who could guard and herd livestock in very hot conditions, and could also withstand the rough terrain and run for long distances.

1. Red Heeler Dog/ Australian Cattle Dog
2. Characteristics:
3. Independent, Smart Tough
4. History
5. Sporting Group Austrillian Cattle Dog
6. Cautious, Energetic, Loyal, Protective, Brave and Obeident & Characteristics
 - a. Family Life
 - i. Lovey-Dovey 5/5
 - ii. Good with Children 4/5
 - iii. Good with Other Dogs 4/5
 - b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - Hair Everywhere 4/5
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - Monthly 3/5
 - iii. Drooling Level - Less Likely to Drool 1/5
 - iv. Coat Type - Tough, Smooth
 - v. Coat length - Short
 - c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - Everyone is My Best Friend 5/5
 - ii. Playfulness Level - Non-Stop 4/5
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - Vigilant 5/5
 - iv. Adaptability Level - Highly Adaptable 3/5
 - d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - Eager to Please 4/5

- ii. Energy Level - High Energy 5/5
 - iii. Barking Level - Very Vocal 4/5
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - Needs a Job 4/5
- e. AKC Breed Popularity
 - i. The Red Heeler dog is ranked #56 globally for most popular dog breeds.
- f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male 18-20 / 30-50 lbs.
 - ii. Female 17-19 / 30-50 lbs.
- g. Life Expectancy
 - i. 10-13 years

7. Breed Standard Disqualifications

Jonathan L. - none

Olivia

BREED (insert photo of selected breed)



1. Breed - beagle
 - a. Key Descriptors: friendly/curious

History

- b. The origins of this ancient breed have been the subject of conjecture for centuries.
2. Hound Group
3. Breed Traits & Characteristics

Not only is the Beagle an excellent hunting dog and loyal companion, it is also happy-go-lucky, funny, and thanks to its pleading expression cute.

- a. Family Life
 - i. Affectionate with family - 3
 - ii. Good with other dogs - 5
 - iii. Good with young children - 5
- b. Physical
 - i. Shedding Level - 3
 - ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 2

- iii. Drooling Level - 1
 - iv. Coat Type - smooth
 - v. Coat length - short
- c. Social
 - i. Openness to Strangers - 3
 - ii. Playfulness Level - 4
 - iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 2
 - iv. Adaptability Level - 4
- d. Personality
 - i. Trainability - 3
 - ii. Energy Level - 4
 - iii. Barking Level - 4
 - iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 4
 - v. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
6/201
- e. Height / Weight
 - i. Male - between 13 and 16 inches, 18 and 35 pounds.
 - ii. Female - 13 inches up to a maximum of 15 inches in height, 19 to 22 pounds.
- f. Life Expectancy
 - i. 10-15 years
- 4. Breed Standard Disqualifications
 - a. Any hound measuring more than 15 inches will be disqualified

Jonathan T

1. BREED Akita

Insert breed photo here >UU

- a. Key Descriptors: Courageous,dignified,profoundly loyal

2. History

- a. *Year Developed 1972*
- b. To the right of the arrow, type at least one historical fact >> Akita, originated in the snowy and rural lands of Odate, Akita Prefecture, a mountainous region of Japan. They were trained to hunt animals such as elk, wild boar, and Ussuri brown bears.

Working Group

3. Breed Traits & Characteristics

- a. Family Life
 - i. Decent with young children 3/5
 - ii. Decent with family 3/5
 - iii. Not good with other dogs 2/5

b. Physical

- i. Shedding Level - Sheds a bit 4/5
- ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - grooms almost daily 4/5
- iii. Drooling Level - less likely to drool 2/5
- iv. Coat Type - double
- v. Coat length - medium

c. Social

- i. Openness to Strangers - is not very open with strangers 2/5
- ii. Playfulness Level - is playful but not always 4/5
- iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - is very protective 5/5
- iv. Adaptability Level - is pretty good at adapting 4/5

d. Personality

- i. Trainability - is decent at training 3/5
- ii. Energy Level - has high energy 5/5
- iii. Barking Level - does not bark alot 2/5
- iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 3/5

e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking- see graph on AKC.org)

- i. Breed popularity is 47 of 201

f. Height / Weight

- i. Male 100- 130 lbs. 26-28 inches
- ii. Female 70p.- 100 lbs. 24-26 inches

g. Life Expectancy

- i. 10-14 years

h. Typical price per puppy \$ between \$700 to \$1,600

4. Breed Standard Disqualifications (view Full Breed Standard)

- a. To the right of the arrow, type breed standard disqualification(s). Characteristics which disqualify an individual dog to be registered as a PUREBRED. >

Partial or total lack of pigmentation on nose. Drop or broken ears. Noticeably undershot or overshot. Sickie or uncurled tail.

Vincent



1. Breed ___Dutch Shepherd___

- a. Key Descriptors: intelligent, lively, athletic

2. History

- a. *The Dutch Shepherd is a natural land-breed originating in The Netherlands. Long ago, shepherds and farmers needed a versatile dog, a “Jack-of-all-trades”, well-adapted to the harsh and sparse existence of the time. In addition to its role as a shepherd’s dog, at the farm they kept the hens away from the kitchen garden, herded the cows together for milking, and pulled carts laden with milk or produce to market. They also watched the children and alerted the farmer if strangers entered the farmyard.*
- b. *The first breed standard dates from June 12, 1898. In this original standard, any coat color was permitted, but by 1914, it was decided the Dutch Shepherd should only be brindle so as to distinguish it from other similar breeds of the time, the German Shepherd and Belgian Shepherd. Around 1900, sheep flocks in The Netherlands, and the shepherd dogs which tended them, had been mostly replaced by industrialization, and the reclamation of land for other purposes. The versatile skills of the Dutch Shepherd made it suitable for new careers such as a police dog, search and rescue, and guide dog for the blind. The breed has retained its original herding ability, and is still used for this purpose.*

3. _____ Miscellaneous _____ Group

4. Breed Traits & Characteristics

a. Family Life

- i. Lovey dovey 5/5
- ii. Its okay with children 3/5
- iii. Its okay with other dogs 3/5

b. Physical

- i. Shedding Level - 3/5
- ii. Coat Grooming Frequency - 2/5
- iii. Drooling Level - 2/5
- iv. Coat Type - Double
- v. Coat length -short

c. Social

- i. Openness to Strangers - 3/5
- ii. Playfulness Level -4/5
- iii. Watchdog/Protective nature - 5/5
- iv. Adaptability Level - 4/5

d. Personality

- i. Trainability - 5/5
- ii. Energy Level -5/5
- iii. Barking Level -2/5

- iv. Mental Stimulation Needs - 5/5
 - e. AKC Breed Popularity (ranking)
 - i. Very rare
 - f. Height / Weight
 - i. Male 22.5 to 24.5 inches tall, 75 pounds
 - ii. Female 21.5 to 23.5 inches tall, 42 pounds
 - g. Life Expectancy
 - i. _____ 11-14 _____ years
5. Breed Standard Disqualifications
- a. Disqualifications: Males under 21 inches or over 26 inches. Females under 20 inches or over 25 inches. Yellow or blue eyes. Drooping or hanging ears. Cropped or stump tail. Solid white markings elsewhere than on tips of toes, chest, or frosting on muzzle
6. Copy/Paste the URL of the "Dog 101" <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IcqdYG1cEBI>