

DOG ATTITUDE — PURCHASER PROFILE QUESTIONNAIRE

Belgian Malinois / German Shepherd — édition 2026

MANDATORY: fully completed, dated and signed before reservation confirmation.

Identity and project

Prospective purchaser's full name

Contact details and interview date

Breed considered: Belgian Malinois / German Shepherd / to be determined

Why have you chosen this breed rather than another?

Intended purpose: family companion, dog sport, working role, other (specify)

Your expectations of the puppy at 3, 6, 12 and 24 months

Experience and skills

Dogs previously owned: breed, age, time in your care and difficulties encountered

Practical experience with working dogs or highly reactive dogs

Does your work or personal experience involve organising or supervising others? Which skills could you transfer to dog handling?

Describe a situation where you changed your approach after something did not work

How do you distinguish affection, play, a training cue and rest time?

How do you respond when a dog does not immediately understand?

Household and environment

Household composition and people responsible for the dog

Children in the household: approximate ages, supervision arrangements and separate spaces (no medical diagnosis requested)

Other animals: species, known behaviour and introduction arrangements

Housing type, fenced or unfenced garden, outdoor access and safety measures

Visitors, neighbours, public places, transport and everyday environment

Agreement among adults and consistency of household rules

Daily organisation

Working hours, daily absences and care arrangements

Arrangements for walks, rest, meals, training and quiet periods

Planned activities: scent work, searching, problem-solving, obedience and age-appropriate sport

Budget for veterinary care, equipment, training and unexpected costs

Contingency plan for illness, moving home, a new child, separation or change of work

Behaviour awareness and prevention

How do you recognise fear, stress, arousal, frustration and emotional recovery?

What would you do if the puppy mouthed your hands or clothing while being stroked?

How would you adjust your handling and timing to avoid unintentionally reinforcing mouthing?

How would you respond if the puppy displayed vigilance, guarding, territorial behaviour or reactivity?

How would you introduce new experiences without insufficient exposure or overwhelming the puppy?

What safety measures would you use around children, other animals and visitors?

Workshops and training follow-up

Have you attended a preparatory workshop without your puppy? Dates and observations

Can you attend regular training sessions with a professional experienced in handling this breed?

Can you demonstrate a simple cue, timely reinforcement, ending a game and helping the puppy settle?

How do you respond to practical feedback from a trainer and apply it yourself?

Would you accept a further assessment or an agreed later handover if the project requires it?

Declarations and signature

I confirm that I have provided truthful, complete and up-to-date information about my project and home conditions.

I undertake to report any significant change before the puppy is handed over.

I understand that this questionnaire is mandatory before reservation confirmation and does not guarantee the puppy's adult temperament.

Date, place and prospective purchaser's signature

Questionnaire received and checked by Dog Attitude: date and staff member

INTERNAL ASSESSMENT — DOG ATTITUDE

Project and expectations

☐ Suitable ☐ Further review ☐ Not observed Notes: _____

Experience and learning capacity

☐ Suitable ☐ Further review ☐ Not observed Notes: _____

Household organisation and safety

☐ Suitable ☐ Further review ☐ Not observed Notes: _____

Reading behavioural signals

☐ Suitable ☐ Further review ☐ Not observed Notes: _____

Handling, timing and progress in workshops

☐ Suitable ☐ Further review ☐ Not observed Notes: _____

Individual puppy observations

☐ Suitable ☐ Further review ☐ Not observed Notes: _____

Match between project and puppy

☐ Suitable ☐ Further review ☐ Not observed Notes: _____

Reasoned decision: ☐ Proceed ☐ Further preparation ☐ This puppy not allocated

Date, assessor and observations: _____

PRIVACY

The signed form may be stored securely on paper or electronically, with restricted access. Supply a privacy notice stating purposes, legal basis, retention, rights and contact details. Do not request household medical diagnoses.

Records and privacy

The dated and signed questionnaire is securely kept in the reservation file, including on paper. Retention depends on contractual necessity, statutory duties and possible claims; not all data are automatically retained for ten years. See the privacy notice.