

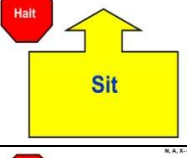
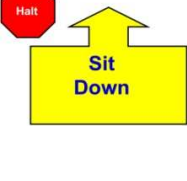
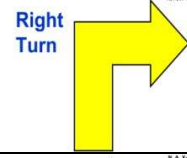
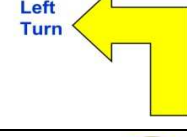














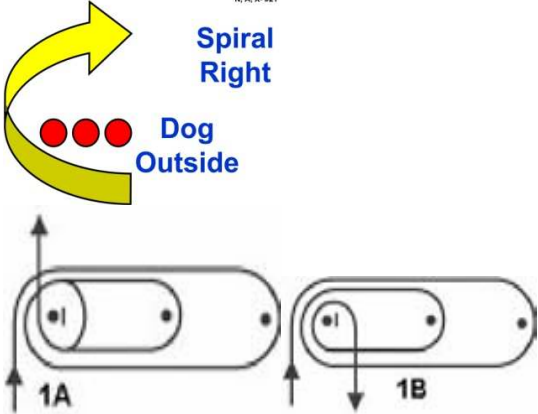
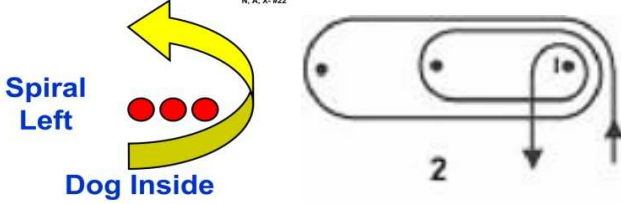
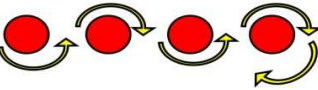
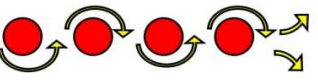
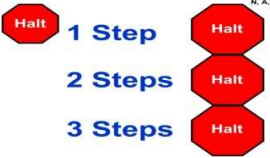










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	<p>Indicates the beginning of the course</p>
	<p>Indicates the end of the course – timing stops.</p>
	<p>While heeling, the handler halts and the dog comes to a sit in heel position. The team then moves forward toward the next exercise sign (station), with the dog in heel position. (Stationary exercise)</p>
	<p>While heeling, the handler halts and the dog comes to a sit in heel position. The handler then command the dog to down, followed by the command to heel forward from the down position. (Stationary exercise)</p>
	<p>Performed as a 90° turn to the right, as in traditional obedience.</p>
	<p>Performed as a 90° turn to the left, as in traditional obedience.</p>
	<p>While heeling, the team makes a 180° about turn to the handler's right.</p>
	<p>While heeling, the team makes a 180° about turn to the handler's left.</p>
	<p>While heeling, the team makes a 270° turn to the handler's right. 270° turns are performed as a tight circle, but not around the exercise sign</p>
	<p>While heeling, the team makes a 270° turn to the handler's left. 270° turns are performed as a tight circle, but <i>not</i> around the exercise sign.</p>

	<p>While heeling, the team makes a 360° turn to the handler's right. 360° turns are performed as a tight circle, but not around the exercise sign.</p>
	<p>While heeling, the team makes a 360° turn to the handler's left. 360° turns are performed as a tight circle, but not around the exercise sign.</p>
	<p>While heeling, the handler stops forward motion and calls the dog to the front position (dog sits in front and faces the handler). The handler may take several steps backward as the dog turns and moves to sit in the front position.</p> <p>The second part of the exercise directs the handler to move forward while commanding the dog to change from the front position to the handler's right, around behind the handler and to heel position, as the handler continues forward. The dog does not sit before moving forward in heel position with the handler. (Stationary exercise)</p>
	<p>While heeling, the handler stops forward motion and calls the dog to the front position (dog sits in front and faces the handler). The handler may take several steps backward as the dog turns and moves to sit in the front position.</p> <p>The second part of the exercise directs the handler to move forward while commanding the dog to change from the front position to the handler's left and moving to heel position, as the handler continues forward. The dog does not sit before moving forward in heel position with the handler. (Stationary exercise)</p>
	<p>While heeling, the handler stops forward motion and calls the dog to the front position (dog sits in front and faces the handler). The handler may take several steps backward as the dog turns and moves to sit in the front position.</p> <p>The second part is the finish to the right, where the dog must return to heel position by moving around the right side of the handler. Dog must sit in heel position before moving forward with the handler. (Stationary exercise)</p>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><small>N.A.X-#16</small></p> 	<p>While heeling, the handler stops forward motion and calls the dog to the front position (dog sits in front and faces the handler). The handler may take several steps backward as the dog turns and moves to a sit in the front position.</p> <p>The second part is the finish to the left, where the dog must move to the handler's left and sit in heel position. Dog must sit in heel position before moving forward in heel position with the handler. (Stationary exercise)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><small>N.A.X-#17</small></p> 	<p>Dog and handler must slow down noticeably. This must be followed by a normal pace, unless it is the last station in the class.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><small>N.A.X-#18</small></p> 	<p>Dog and handler must speed up noticeably. This must be followed by a normal pace, unless it is the last station in the class.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><small>N.A.X-#19</small></p> 	<p>Dog and handler must move forward, walking briskly and naturally.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><small>N.A.X-#20</small></p> 	<p>While heeling, the handler takes one step diagonally to the right and continues moving forward along the newly established line. The dog maintains heel position. The exercise may be performed just past the exercise sign.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><small>N.A.X-#21</small></p> 	<p>This exercise requires three pylons or posts placed in a straight line with spaces between them of approximately 6 - 8 feet. Spiral Right indicates the handler must turn to the right when moving around each pylon or post. This places the dog on the <i>outside of the turns</i> (See 1A and 1B). The exercise sign is placed near or on the first pylon or post where the spiral is started. (The approach, spiral patterns and exit directions are illustrated on the course map with arrows indicating the path of the team.)</p>

<p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">N. A. X. #22</p> 	<p>This exercise requires three pylons or posts placed in a straight line with spaces between them of approximately 6 - 8 feet. Spiral Left indicates that the handler must turn to the left when moving around each pylon or post. This places the dog on the <i>inside of the</i> turns (See 2). The exercise sign is placed near or on the first pylon or post where the spiral is started. (The approach, spiral patterns and exit directions are illustrated on the course map with arrows indicating the path of the team.)</p>
<p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">N. A. X. #23</p> 	<p>This exercise requires four obstacles (pylons, posts or people) placed in a straight line with spaces between them of approximately 6 - 8 feet. The exercise sign is placed near or on the first obstacle where the exercise is started. Entry into the weaving pattern is with the first obstacle at the dog/handler's <i>left side</i>. The dog and handler circle the end obstacle and return, weaving once in each direction.</p>
<p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">N. A. X. #24</p> 	<p>This exercise requires four obstacles (pylons, posts or people) placed in a straight line with spaces between them of approximately 6 - 8 feet. The exercise sign is placed near or on the first obstacle where the exercise is started. Entry into the weaving pattern is with the first obstacle at the dog/handler's <i>left side</i>. NOTE: In this exercise, the team does not return as they do in the Straight Figure 8 but weaves in one direction only.</p>
<p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">N. A. X. #25</p> 	<p>The team halts with the dog sitting in heel position to begin the exercise. The handler takes one step forward, with the dog maintaining heel position, and halts. The dog sits when the handler halts. This is followed by two steps forward - halt, and three steps forward - halt, with the dog heeling each time the handler moves forward, and sitting each time the handler halts. (Stationary exercise)</p>

<p>Call Front <small>N. A. X-926</small></p>  <p>1 Step Back </p> <p>2 Steps Back </p> <p>3 Steps Back </p>	<p>While heeling, the handler stops forward motion and calls the dog to the front position (dog sits in front and faces the handler). The handler may take several steps backward as the dog turns and moves to a sit in the front position.</p> <p>With the dog in the front position, the handler takes one step backward and halts. The dog moves with the handler and sits in the front position as the handler halts. This is followed by the handler taking two steps backward and a halt, and three steps backward and a halt. Each time, the dog moves with the handler to the front position and sits as the handler halts. The handler then commands the dog to resume heel position as the team moves forward toward the next station. (Stationary exercise)</p>
<p><small>N. A. X-927</small></p>  <p>Moving Down</p>	<p>While moving with the dog in heel position, the handler commands the dog to drop to a down position, as the handler pauses next to the dog. Once the dog is completely in the down position, the handler moves forward commanding the dog to heel from the down position. (Stationary exercise)</p>
<p><small>N. A. X-928</small></p>  <p>Halt</p> <p>Fast Forward From Sit</p>	<p>With the dog sitting in heel position, the handler commands the dog to heel and immediately moves forward at a fast pace. This must be followed by a normal pace, unless it is the last station in the class. (Stationary exercise)</p>
<p><small>N. A. X-929</small></p>  <p>Left About Turn</p>	<p>While moving with the dog in heel position, the handler makes an about turn to the left, while at the same time, the dog must move around the handler to the right and to heel position. The dog <i>does not sit before moving forward</i> in heel position with the handler.</p>
<p><small>N. A. X-930</small></p>  <p>Halt</p> <p>Walk Around Dog</p>	<p>With the dog sitting in heel position, the handler commands the dog to stay, then proceeds to walk around the dog to the left, returning to heel position. The handler must pause in heel position before moving forward to the next station. (Stationary exercise)</p>



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With dog sitting in heel position, the handler commands the dog to down and to stay, then proceeds to walk around the dog to the left, returning to heel position. The handler must pause in heel position before moving forward to the next station. The dog heels forward from the down position. (Stationary exercise)