

# Temperament Tests

We can all get startled by something but it is how we recover that enables us to deal with things. Same for dogs. The test evaluates a dog's ability to recover from an increasing series of stresses. The test is pass fail, but each individual part also grades the dog as to type of response.

These scores help determine what type of training and activity a dog is most suited for. . If you are looking for a dog to work hard all day in any condition - be it police work or sheep herding - you need a different temperament than you need for the dog doing school and hospital visits as a therapy dog.

Besides German Shepherd dogs, our test is used by breeders of all breeds and especially a breeder of service dogs.



Meeting strangers



Strange footing, part 1



Umbrella reaction.



Wierd Stranger



Gun Test





*Temperament tests are labor intensive and it takes lots of help to make it happen. We are fortunate to have so many helpers.*



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