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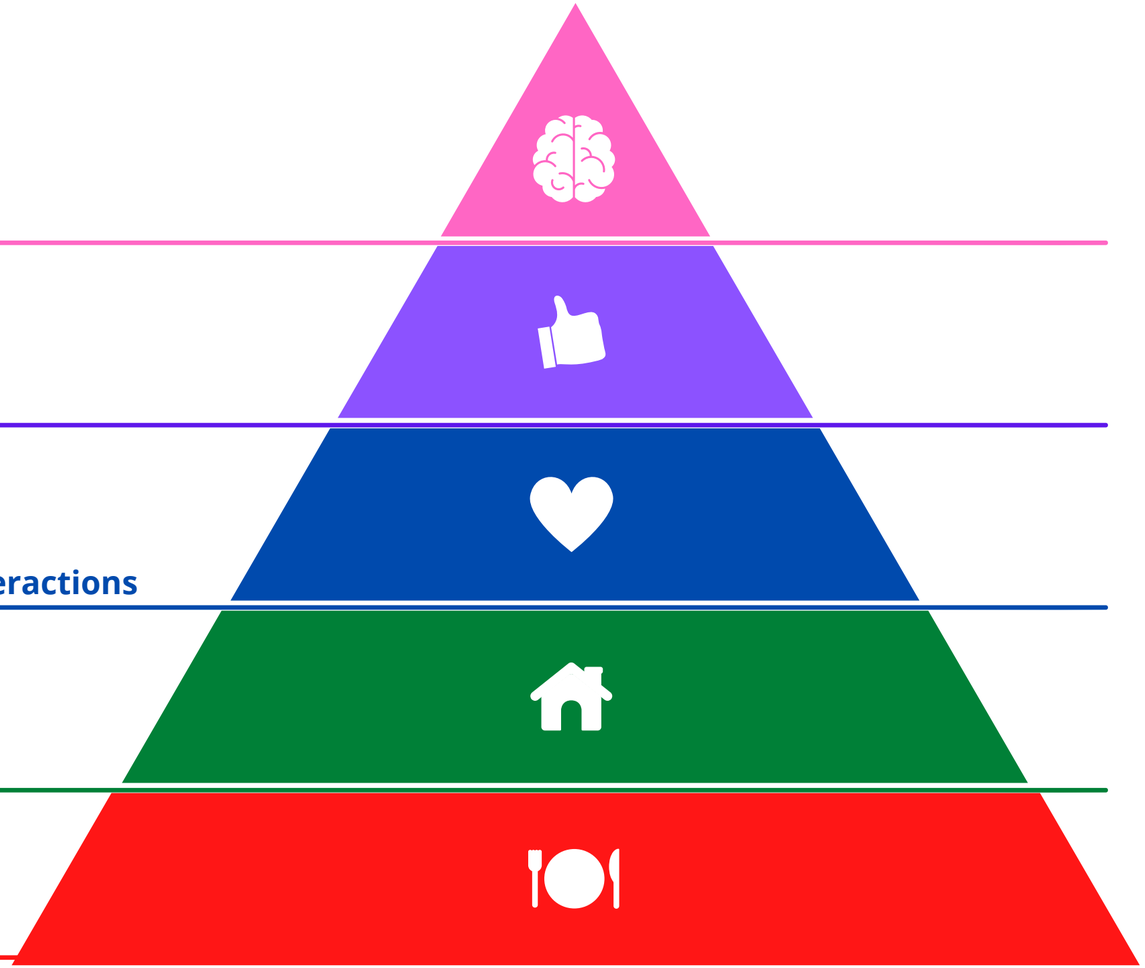
Canine Hierarchy of Needs



Cognitive Needs

Frustration free puzzles, scent games, novelty, choice

Reinforcement Based Training Needs

Counter-conditioning, desensitisation, relaxation

Social Needs

Bonding to people and other dogs, play with friends, positive interactions

Emotional Needs

Love, trust, consistent environment, predictability, affection

Biological Needs

Safety, eating, drinking, grooming, sleep

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