

Opening the Opening of Puppy proofing your home.



1) Clear the cables.

Cables, wires and cords should be bundled, tied and hung off the ground. Remote controls and anything that contains batteries should be stored out of the puppy's reach.



2) Waste & rubbish.

Puppies are curious and smells coming from bins can be enticing! Keep rubbish in closed bins and placed where puppies can't get to them.



3) Cleaning products.

Cleaning products contain dangerous chemicals, and puppies explore with their mouths and nose. If you are using harsh chemicals to clean floors and surgaces, this would be a good time to opt for gentle chemical free alternative.



4) Toys and small objects.

Plastic toys and small objects present choking hazards and can be toxic. Make sure that they are packed and safely stored away.



5) House and garden plants.

Many houseplants are toxic for dogs. Supervise your puppy when playing in the garden and lift house plants off the floor. Fertilisers, snail bait etc. should also be stored securely.



6) Management is key.

In times when you cannot supervise your puppy, they should be safely contained within a puppy pen, crate or enclosed area where they feel comfortable.