

Dog Detective



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A **doGGone crazy!**[™] Book


The purpose of this book is to help children learn to speak dog and to pet only happy dogs.

The symbol **X** on a page in this book indicates that a dog with this expression does not want to be petted or played with - even their own dog!

Did you know....



half of all children are bitten by a dog by the time they are 12 years old



most dog bites to children occur at home or at a friend's house



most bites to young children are on the face from hugging the dog



many people do not supervise dog/child interactions



even nice dogs may bite if provoked

Look for these clues...



Happy, panting



Half-moon eye



Licking chops



Mouth closed



Yawning



Tail up in the air



X

Leave me alone.



I am happy.



X

What's that you say?



X

I am unhappy.



I love you.



X

I am the boss!



X

Back off!



I am relaxed.



X

I am very interested.



X

I am worried.



I am happy.



X

Throw the ball now!



X

I am very afraid.



I am content.



X

I am frustrated.



X

I will not share.

Parents: For more information and resources about child safety around dogs please visit...

www.doggonecrazy.ca

www.familypaws.com

Teach your kids to **Be a Tree** so a dog will go away if any dog is too frisky, is bothering or scaring them.

