



# All Eyes on Me Level 2

This game rewards our dogs for looking up to us for reinforcement.

## **ALL EYES ON ME LEVEL 1:**

- Show your dog that you are placing or dropping a treat on the floor in front of you for your dog to eat.
- After your dog eats the treat, wait for the moment that their head comes up off the floor and mark "YES" and feed dog several times in a row for keeping their head up looking at you.
- Then place another treat on the floor and repeat.

Don't nag them for attention. Dogs are efficient creatures. They want to get to the next treat as quickly as possible. They will learn to eat and look back quickly. Easy win! Limit the area in which they have to search, no more than the length of their lead when your feet are planted in one spot.

## **LEVEL UP:**

- After marking your dog for looking up at you, place the next treat to the floor and repeat the new pattern.
- Gradually add movement by taking one or two steps away when you are placing the treat to the floor, so your dog has to move around with you and find your eyes after eating to get you to continue the game.
- Add a dash away after marking when your dog looks up to you and reward when they catch up to you.

Troubleshooting for sniffy dogs:

- Play on a boundary or bed to limit search area
- Play on a smooth surface where the treats are easy to find before playing on grass or similar
- Play in a very familiar area before going someplace new