Service dogs are focused on their jobs helping people with disabilities live more independently. Learning the dos and don’ts of service dog etiquette is one of the best ways you can respect their work and learn about trained service dogs.

**Tips and Tricks**

**ASK**
Ask before interacting with a service dog.
Ask how the service dog helps the handler, not about their disability.

**SPEAK**
Speak directly to the handler, not the service dog.

**RESPECT**
Be respectful of the service dog’s space.

**WORKING**
Always assume the service dog is busy working, not off duty.

Learn more at [canine.org/servicedogmonth](http://canine.org/servicedogmonth)