

ENRICHMENT DIY GUIDE

# STUFFED KONGS

#### 1. Collect your supplies:

- Kongs
- > Spoon
- Your dog's preferred creamy treat!

#### 2. Fill kongs!

- Use a spoon to fill each kong with your dog's preferred treat.
- Mix it up and get creative!

### 3. Put the kong in the freezer!

- Freeze for convenience. No need to defrost – your dog will love the challenge!
- Consider making multiple at once!





# PEANUT BUTTER NYLABONES

#### 1. Collect your supplies:

- Nylabone
- > Spoon
- Disposable Gloves
- Peanut Butter (or preferred creamy treat!)

### 2. Cover the Nylabone!

Use a spoon or your gloved hands to spread a small amount (1 to 2 Tbsp) of peanut butter all over a nylabone.

### 3. Put the Nylabone in the freezer!

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### TREAT TUBES

#### 1. Collect your supplies:

- Your dog's preferred crunchy treats
- Empty paper towel/ toilet paper rolls

#### 2. Make your treat tubes!

- > Fold in one end of the toilet paper roll.
- Throw in <u>FIVE</u> small crunchy dog treats.
- Fold in the other end of the toilet paper roll to seal.

#### 3. Give them to your dog!

- You can simply hand the tube to your dog, or hide it for them to find!
- Pro tip: add an interesting scent item to the tube - grass from a novel area, or maybe even a little animal fur from the vacuum bag!



# **BUSY BOXES/BAGS**

#### Collect your supplies:

- > Spoon
- Gloves
- Your dog's preferred crunchy treats
- Your dog's preferred creamy treat (optional)
- Empty cardboard boxes, egg cartons, or paper bags

### 2. Make your busy box!

- Use a spoon or your gloved hands to spread 1 to 2 Tbsp of creamy treat on the inside of the box or bag (optional).
- > Throw in **FIVE** treats.
- Interlock the box's top to create a seal and shake that box! This will make the treats stick. If using a bag, roll up the bag!

### 3. Give it to your dog!

- You can simply hand the box/bag to your dog, or hide it for them to find!
- Pro tip: until you're comfortable, hand this one out only when you can supervise your dog, to make sure they don't ingest stickers or large parts of cardboard.

## PEANUT BUTTER FRISBEES

### 1. Collect your supplies:

- Frisbee (or a large plastic plate or cutting board!)
- > Spoon
- > Gloves
- Your dog's favorite creamy treat
- Your dog's favorite crunchy treat

#### 2. Make PB Frisbees!

- Use a spoon or your gloved hands to spread a small amount (1 to 2 Tbsp) of peanut butter (or your dog's favorite treat) on the bottom of the inside of the frisbee.
- Stick <u>FIVE</u> <u>small</u> crunchy dog treats to the peanut butter.

#### 3. Put it in the freezer!

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# **ICIES**

#### 1. Collect your supplies:

- Larger Dog Treat or Chew
- Broth or tap water
- Paper Cups

#### 2. Make Icies!

- Fill the paper cup half way with broth or water
- Add in a larger biscuit, jerky treat, or chew (bully stick or dental stick) poking out of the mixture.

#### 3. Put it in the freezer!

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# **TOWEL KNOTS**

#### 1. Collect your supplies:

- Bath Towel or Blanket
- Your dog's favorite crunchy treats (or kibble!)

#### 2. Make Towel Knots!

- Roll each towel "hot dog style" (see photo)
- Tie a knot in the middle of each towel.
- Stick <u>TEN</u> treats inside the twists and folds of each towel.

### 3. Give it to your dog!

- You can simply hand the towel/blanket to your dog, or hide it for them to find!
- Pro tip: Try feeding all or a portion of your dog's meals this way!



