L3-1(s) Moving stand, walk around

At the station sign, the handler asks the dog to stand-stay without coming to a stop first and without sitting. The handler is permitted to move out of heel position when cueing the stand. The dog remains in the stand-stay as the handler walks 360°, clockwise or anticlockwise, around him.

STAND, WALLS AROUND

L3-2(s) Moving stand, leave dog

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11(s), 12(s) or 13.

At the station sign, the handler asks the dog to stand-stay without coming to a stop first and without sitting. The handler is permitted to move out of heel position when cueing the stand. The handler leaves the dog in the stand position and walks alone to the next station sign.



STAID, LEAVE DOG

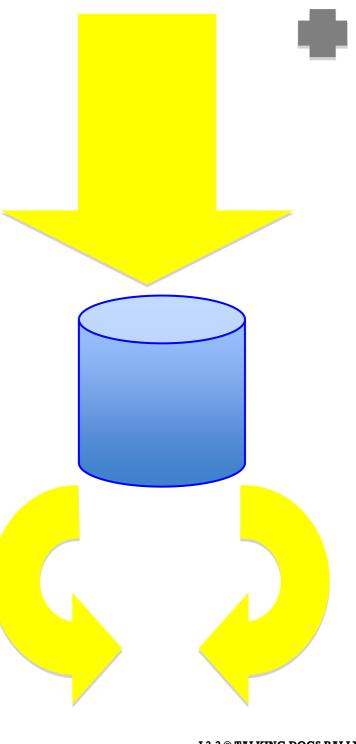
L3-3 Recall through tunnel, forward

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 3m away from the end of the tunnel closest to this station sign, the handler turns to face the dog. The dog is recalled through the tunnel and finishes at the handler's left heel by walking directly to the left heel position, or by walking around the handler to the right. When the dog arrives at the handler's left heel, the team immediately moves forward to the next station. There is NO sit. There is no requirement for the dog to come to the front of the handler, he is permitted to go straight to the handler's left heel.

RECALL THROUGH TUNNEL,

L/R,
FORWARD



L3-4 Face dog, call to heel, forward

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 3m away from the first sign, the handler turns to face the dog. The dog is called directly to the handler's left heel by moving directly to the left heel position, or by moving around the handler to the right. Then the dog arrives at the handler's left heel, the team immediately moves forward to the next station. There is NO sit. The dog is required to go straight to the handler's left heel, not stop in front of the handler.



L3-5(s) Distance down, sit, return

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 3m away from the first sign, the handler turns to face the dog. The dog is asked to lie down, then sit preferably without moving forward, but certainly without moving more than a body length forward. The exercise ends when the handler returns to the dog and takes up heel position, with the dog remaining in the sit



L3-6(s) Recall, down, L/R, forward

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 4.5m away from the first sign, the handler turns to face the dog. The dog is recalled. At any point, but more than 1m from the handler, the dog is asked to stop and lie down mid-recall. He is then recalled again, this time being allowed to reach the handler. The dog should move to the handler's left heel by moving directly to the left heel position, or by moving around the handler to the right. When the dog arrives at the handler's left heel, the team immediately moves forward to the next station. There is NO sit. The dog is permitted to go straight to the handler's left heel, not stop in front of the handler.

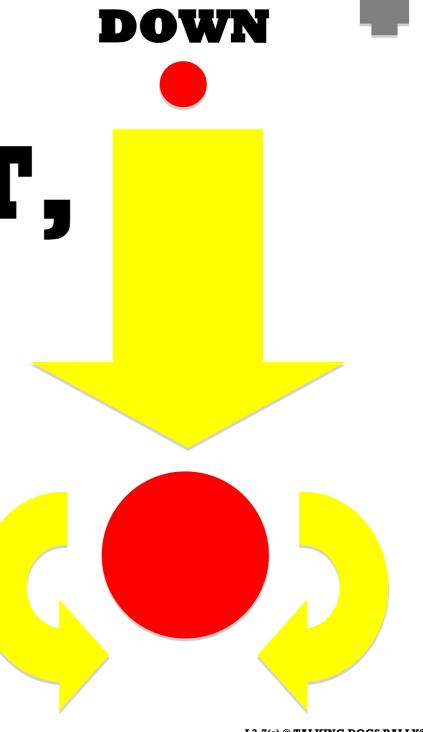


L3-7(s) Distance down, sit, call to front, finish L/R

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 3m away from the first sign, the handler turns to face the dog. The dog is asked to lie down, then sit preferably without moving forward, but certainly without moving more than a body length forward. The handler then recalls the dog back to them. The dog should sit in front of the handler. Then the handler asks the dog to finish at their left heel, by walking directly to the left heel position, or by walking around the handler to the right, where the dog ends the station in a sit.





L3-8 Heel back 3 steps, forward

On reaching the station, the team takes 3 consecutive steps backwards, then immediately moves forward to the next station. There is NO sit. Both dog and handler move back with the dog remaining at heel position throughout the station.

HEEL BACK 3 STEPS,

L3-9(s) Stop, leave dog

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-3, 4, 5(s), 6(s), 7(s), 10, 11(s), 12(s) or 13. (This station sign is the same as L2-1(S))

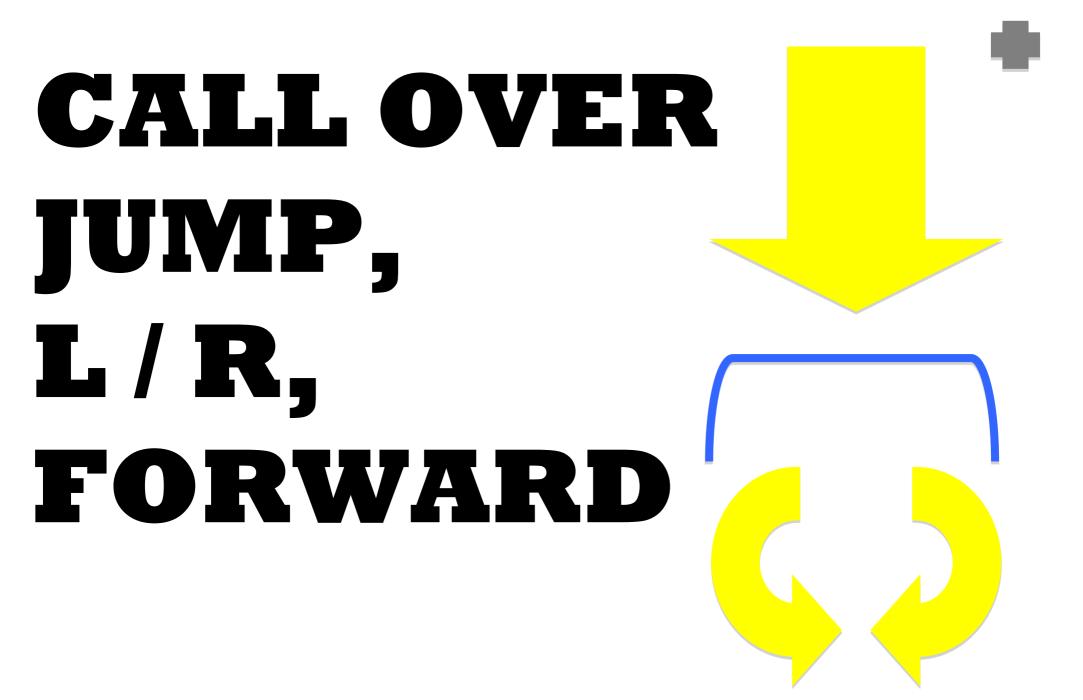
The team stops at the station sign and the dog sits. The handler leaves the dog in the sit position and walks alone to the next station sign.



L3-10 Call over jump, L/R, forward

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 4m away from the first sign, the handler turns to face the dog. The dog is recalled over the jump. The dog should move to the handler's left heel by moving directly to the left heel position, or by moving around the handler to the right. When the dog arrives at the handler's left heel, the team immediately moves forward to the next station. There is NO sit. The dog is permitted to go straight to the handler's left heel, not stop in front of the handler.

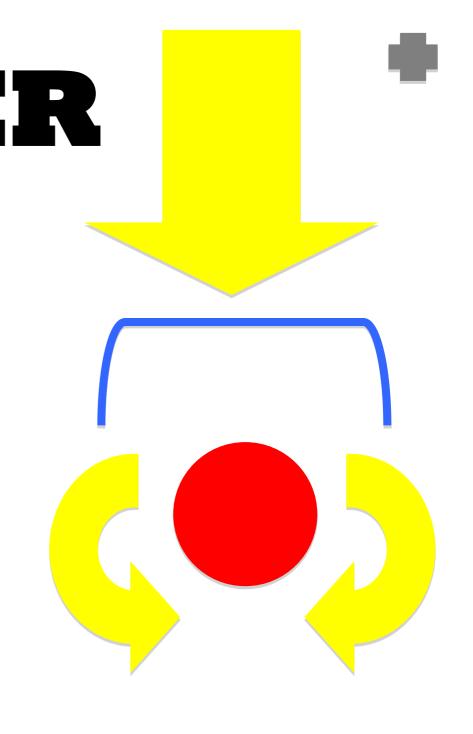


L3-11(s) Call over jump, front, finish L/R

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 4m away from the first sign, the handler turns to face the dog. The dog is recalled over the jump. The dog should sit in front of the handler. Then the handler asks the dog to finish at their left heel, by walking directly to the left heel position, or by walking around the handler to the right, where the dog ends the station in a sit.

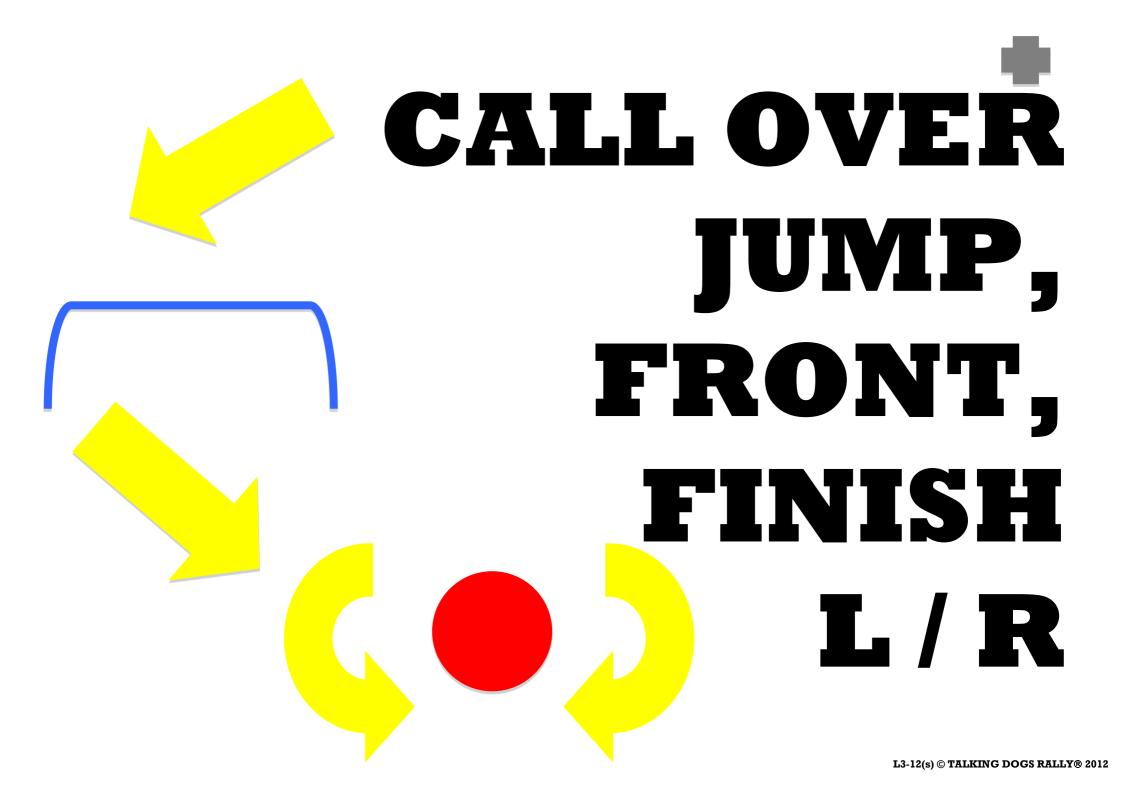




L3-12(s) Call over jump (angle), front, finish L/R

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 4m away and 1.8m to the side of the first sign, the handler turns 180° to face forward. The handler should *not* stand at an angle facing the jump. The dog is recalled over the jump. The dog should sit in front of the handler. Then the handler asks the dog to finish at their left heel, by walking directly to the left heel position, or by walking around the handler to the right, where the dog ends the station in a sit.



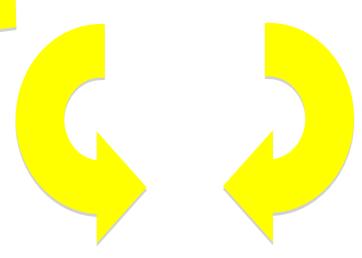
L3-13 Call over jump (angle), I/r, forward

Note: This exercise is part of a multi-sign station. Pair this sign with L3-2(s) or L3-9(s).

On reaching the station, which is placed approx 4m away and 1.5m to the side of the first sign, the handler turns 180° to face forward. The handler should *not* stand at an angle facing the jump. The dog is recalled over the jump. The dog should move to the handler's left heel by moving directly to the left heel position, or by moving around the handler to the right. When the dog arrives at the handler's left heel, the team immediately moves forward to the next station. There is NO sit. The dog is permitted to go straight to the handler's left heel, not stop in front of the handler.







L3-14 Right turn, 2 steps, moving down, forward

The team turns 90° smoothly to the right. This turn should arc rather than turn sharply. The team takes 2 steps, then the handler asks the dog to lie down without coming to a stop first and without sitting. The handler is permitted to move out of heel position when cueing the down. The handler asks the dog to move forward with them at heel position, instantly moving forward without sitting.

RIGHT TURN, 2 STEPS, MOVING DOWN, FORWARD

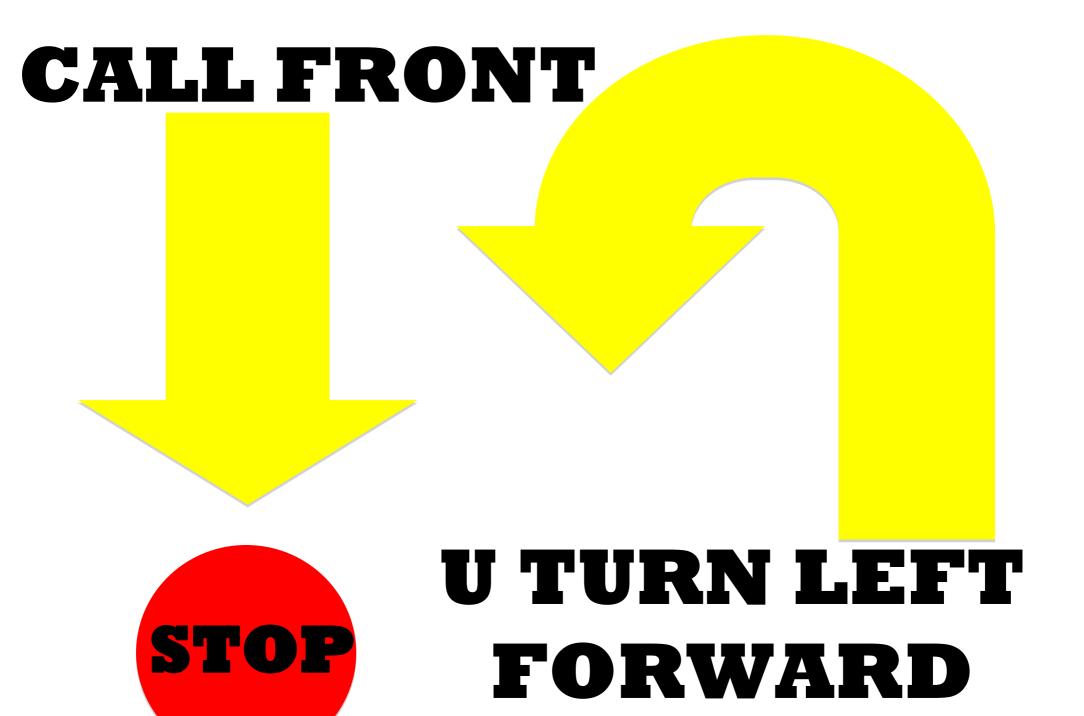
L3-15 Left turn, 2 steps, moving down, forward

The team turns 90° smoothly to the left. This turn should arc rather than turn sharply. The team takes 2 steps, then the handler asks the dog to lie down without coming to a stop first and without sitting. The handler is permitted to move out of heel position when cueing the down. The handler asks the dog to move forward with them at heel position, instantly moving forward without sitting.

LEFT TURN, 2 STEPS, NICVING DOWN, FORWARD

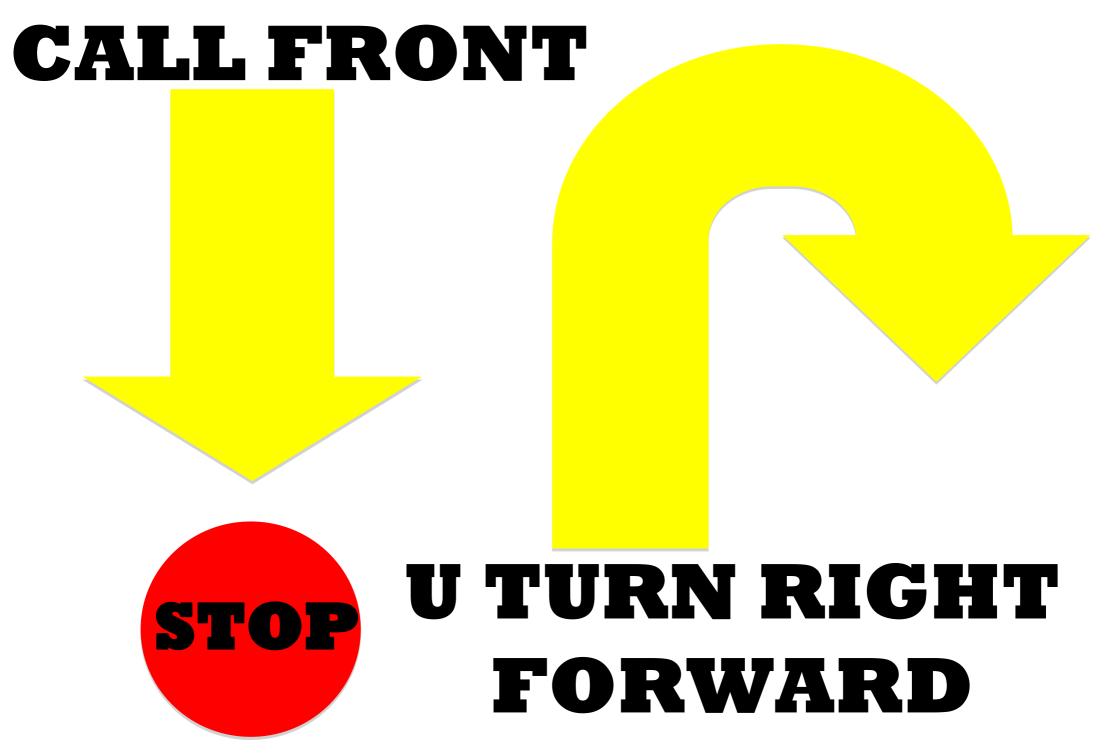
L3-16(s) Call front, stop, U turn left, forward

The handler stops moving forward and calls the dog to move in front of them, facing the handler. The handler may take several steps backwards in order to help the dog achieve the correct position. When the dog arrives in front he must sit. The handler then moves so that they are standing beside their dog in the heel position. Then the team walks 180° smoothly to the left. This turn should are rather than turn sharply.



L3-17(s) Call front, stop, U turn right, forward

The handler stops moving forward and calls the dog to move in front of them, facing the handler. The handler may take several steps backwards in order to help the dog achieve the correct position. When the dog arrives in front he must sit. The handler then moves so that they are standing beside their dog in the heel position. Then the team walks 180° smoothly to the right. This turn should are rather than turn sharply.



L3-B1 Retrieve, right finish

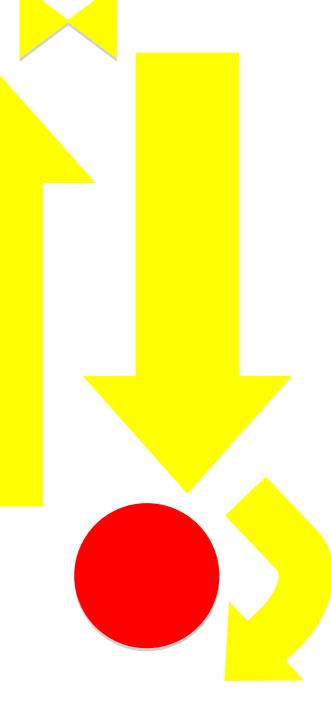
Note: The judge will place the retrieve article (provided by the handler) approximately 4.5m from the station sign before the team starts the course.

At the station sign the handler sends the dog to collect the retrieve article. The dog brings it back to the handler and sits in front of them. The handler takes the article. Then the handler asks the dog to finish at their left heel, by walking around the handler to the right, where the dog ends the station in a sit.



RETRIEVE

RIGHT FINISH



L3-B2 Call front, dog walks back

The handler stops moving forward and calls the dog to move in front of them, facing the handler. The handler may take several steps backwards in order to help the dog achieve the correct position. When the dog arrives in front he must sit. The dog is then asked to walk backwards. As the dog walks backwards, the handler takes **3 steps** forward. The dog should walk in a straight line, facing the handler. There is NO requirement for the dog to sit at the end of the exercise. The station is complete when the team stops after taking their 3 steps.



L3-B3 Call front side-step left or right

The handler stops moving forward and calls the dog to move in front of them, facing the handler. The handler may take several steps backwards in order to help the dog achieve the correct position. When the dog arrives in front he sits. The handler then takes a sideways step to the left or right. As they move, the dog should simultaneously stand and move sideways, continuing to face the handler. As the handler stops so should the dog, who then sits. The team should move in sync.





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