

Tick Check Harry

Instructions

1. Check for ticks on Harry. Gently run your hands through his fur to feel for any “ticks.”
2. Mark where you found the ticks on your handout. Leave the ticks on for the next person to check.
3. Pass Harry to the next person.

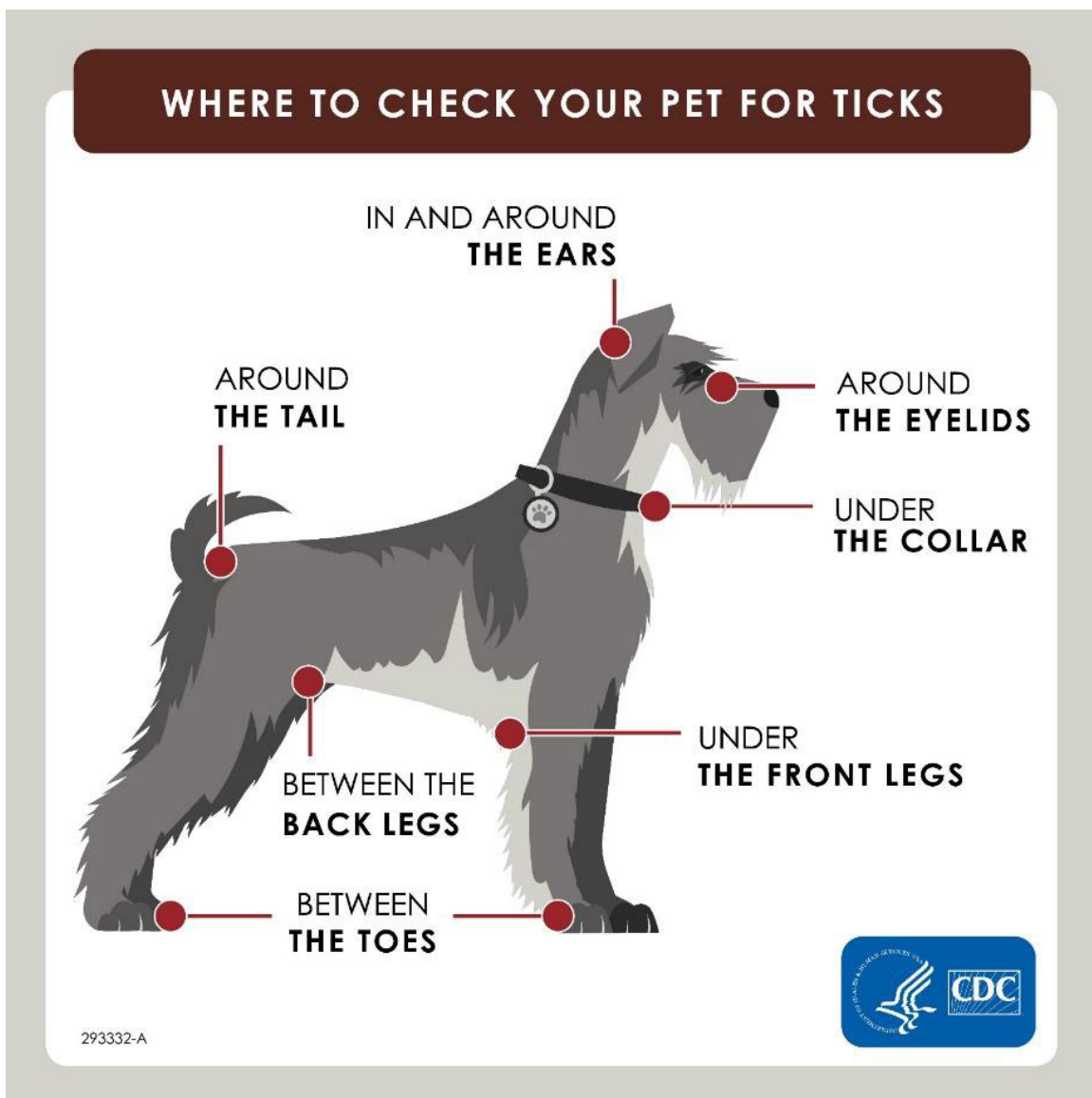


Image adapted from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Word Match

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Match the best word to the description. Write the letter on the blank line next to the number.

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| 1. ____ | A small bug species that feeds on blood. | A. Molt |
| 2. ____ | A process of shedding an outer layer to make way for new growth. | B. Infect |
| 3. ____ | After a tick egg hatches, at this life stage it is a tiny _____. | C. Lyme disease |
| 4. ____ | The life stage of a tick that happens right before the adult stage. | D. Tick check |
| 5. ____ | The word used to describe an animal or person which a tick feeds on. | E. Host |
| 6. ____ | To spread a disease-causing germ. | F. Repellent |
| 7. ____ | A type of illness that can be spread by ticks. | G. Tick |
| 8. ____ | Something you can do to look for ticks that might be on your body or on your pet. | H. Larva |
| 9. ____ | The place or environment where a plant or animal lives. | I. Nymph |
| 10. ____ | Something you can use to keep bugs away. | J. Habitat |