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Canine Connections Inside or Outside Dog?



Dogs are social creatures – they don't like being left alone.

Dogs are generally healthier, safer and happier when they are with 'their people'.

These days, an outside dog is more likely to spend most of his/her time alone as typically both Mum and Dad go out to work and the children go off to school.

After school, television and computer games are taking over from playing outside with the dog.

Dogs that spend most of their time alone are more likely to be fearful or aggressive towards people because they've never had to learn how to act around people.

While most dogs do enjoy spending some time outside, this needs to be balanced with quality 'family time'. With a little time and training, dogs can learn and come to respect house rules and be trusted family companions.

Dogs that spend time with their people usually develop a stronger bond with them and are more likely to be protective of 'their family'. If there is absolutely no alternative to leaving your dog outside then an insulated shelter in winter, shade in summer, a daily walk and play session, escape-proof fencing and stimulating 'busy' toys are all essentials.

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