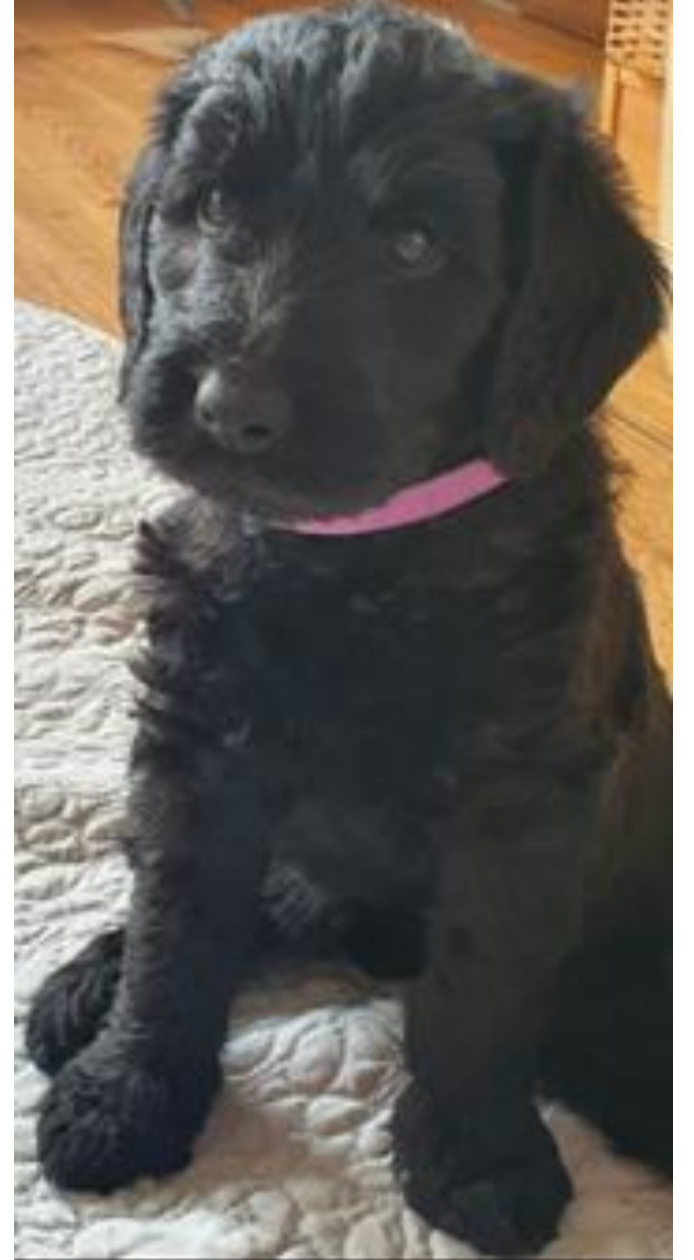


# All about Winnie

St Peter's Educational Assistance Dog  
(In training)

Part 1





Hello everyone!

My name Winnie and I am a black Labradoodle (a cross between a Labrador and a Poodle).

When I grow up, I want to be an Educational Assistance Dog. That's a dog who lives with a teacher but comes to school every day to work with children and be part of the school family.

Educational Assistance dogs help to teach children non-violence, empathy, respect, kindness, love, responsibility, friendship and trust. I am not old enough to start my training just yet but I want to tell you all about me.

I was born in May 2020.

My mum's name is Mollie  
and my dad's name is  
Wilbur and I have seven  
brothers and sisters!

Some of my siblings are a  
golden colour and some  
are black - just like me!



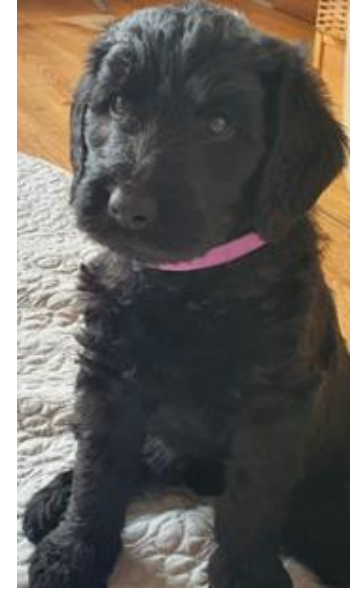
Winnie the  
black bear



Winnie the Pooh



Me!



I have been named Winnie after the female black bear who lived at London Zoo many years ago and who was the inspiration behind the lovable character Winnie the Pooh!

When my siblings and I were born, we were each given a different colour collar. My colour is baby pink (my favourite). The collar means that in all the pictures, you can tell which puppy is me!

This is me when I was only one week old...





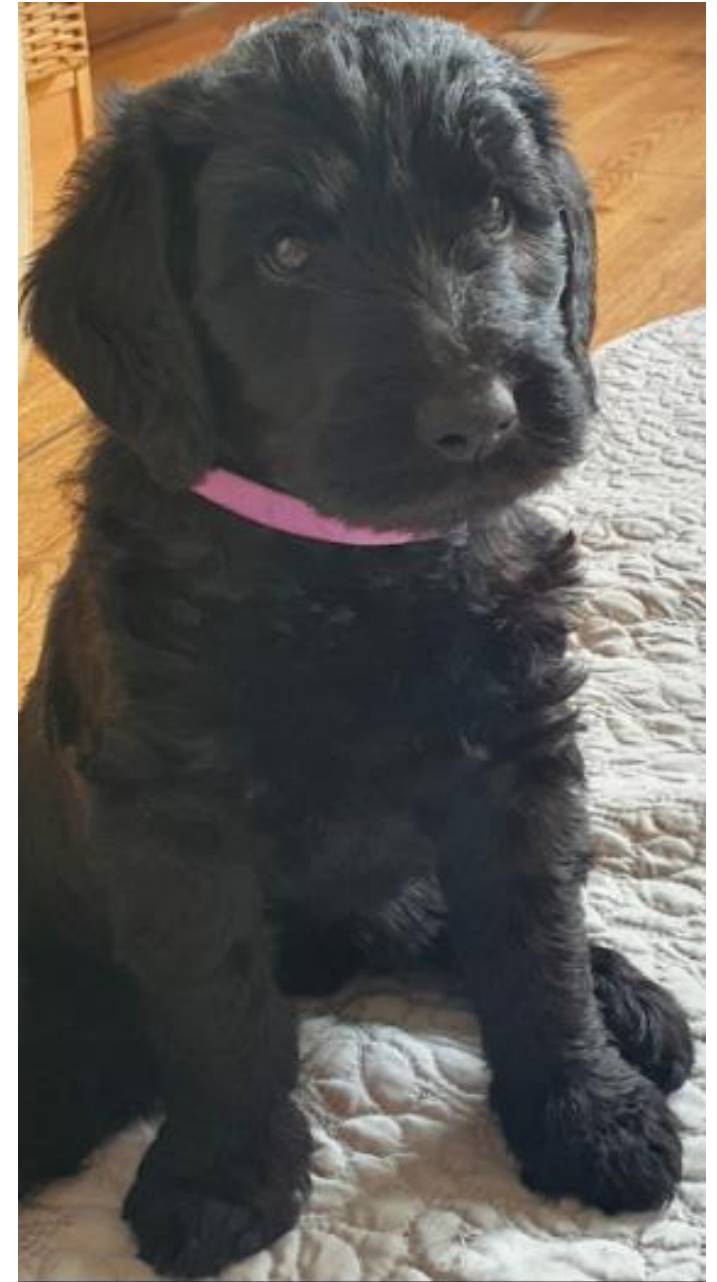
We are all very different.

Some of my brothers and sisters were a bit bigger than me and I am one of the smallest in my litter.

I don't mind being smaller though as I don't want you to think I am too big when I come to school!

I have spent the first 9 weeks of my life with a lady who is an expert in dogs, and she has been looking after me whilst I am really little.

I am growing really fast and my hair is getting curlier!







Here I am having my first  
bath... it wasn't much fun!

I think you can tell that I didn't  
like it much!

I also discovered the bean bag, but didn't seem to be able to get out again. It is a comfy place to relax though...





Miss Bartle sent me some toys to play with too. Some of them have been in school so that I can get used to the scent.

Smell is how dogs like me learn about the world!

As soon as I am big enough, I am going to live with Miss Bartle. She has been so excited to meet me and we are going to have lots of fun together!

In July, Miss Bartle will drive all the way to collect me and bring me home. It will be a long car journey, but worth it as I know I am going to meet you all.

Over the summer holidays, Miss Bartle has lots of plans for us:

- Walking in the park
- Going to puppy training classes
- Going to the vets
- Visiting different families and playing with other dogs
- Visiting our school

I think we are going to be very busy!

Don't forget to keep checking the website as I would love to share my progress with you all!



I can't wait to meet you all when we are back at school,  
we are going to have so many adventures together!

Love from,  
Winnie 