



# DOG GROOMING TOOLS

*A Quick Reference Guide*



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# Clippers

- Can be corded or cordless
- Interchangeable or adjustable blades
- **NOT TO BE CONFUSED WITH HUMAN CLIPPERS!!!**





# Clipper Accessories

- Blades of various sizes and depths
- Clipper coolant
- Clipper wash
- Clipper oil

# Scissors/ Shears

*Straight blade*



*Serrated*



*Blending*



*Round-tipped*



*Curved blade*



*Bent shank*



*Thinning*



*Texturizing*



# Nail Clippers/ Trimmers

## *Guillotine*

- Used on small dogs only!



## *Pliers*

- Different sizes of pliers for all sizes of dogs.



# Styptic Powder

- Quickly stops bleeding if the quick is cut.



# Nail Grinders

- Corded or cordless
- Adjustable speed
- Great for dogs who hate nail clippers

# Nail Files

- V-shaped to match contour of dog's nail





# Brushes

## *Slicker Brush*

- Used to detangle knotted fur/hair
- Best used on medium, long, or curly coats



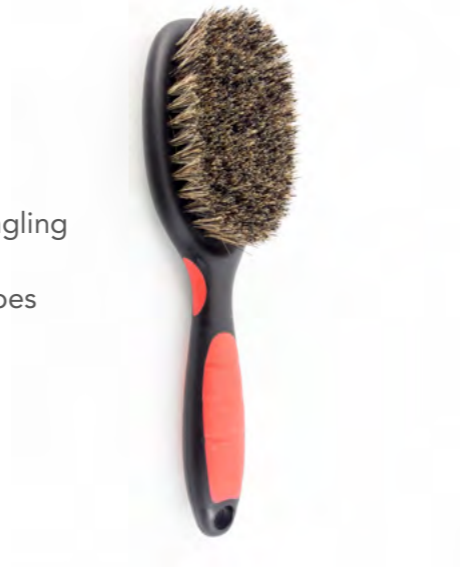
## *Pin Brush*

- Detangles and fluffs the coat
- Reduces frizz



### *Bristle Brush*

- Used for general brushing and mild detangling
- Different bristle sizes for different coat types



### *Greyhound Comb*

- Used in removing mats and tangles
- Usually the final tool used to check if any mats were missed



### *Undercoat Rake*

- Thins and desheds dog's undercoat
- Leaves the top layer of hair largely undisturbed



### *Dematting Rake*

- Gently cuts through large mats in fur
- Mainly used around the neck, ears and legs



### *Mat Breaker*

- Gently cuts through large mats
- Replace when the blade becomes dull!



### *Shedding Blade*

- Used to collect stray hairs left behind after grooming



### *Stripping Knife*

- Helps shape and thin the outer coat
- Removes wiry stray hairs



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