



The Japanese Spitz Club Judging List Criteria Approved by the Kennel Club 2019

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“A1 List”

For persons who have previously been approved by the Kennel Club to award CC's in the breed and have completed their first appointment. To have the support of the Japanese Spitz Club (KC Policy)

“A2 List”

For persons who fulfil all the requirements for the A3 list and who have been assessed in accordance with Kennel Club requirements and accepted by the Kennel Club for inclusion on an A2 list and have the support of the Japanese Spitz Club (KC Policy)

“A3 List Breed Specialists”

1. To have owned a Japanese Spitz for at least 8 years
2. Judge Japanese Spitz for at least 7 years and have the support of the Japanese Spitz Club (KC Policy)
3. To have judged 25 Japanese Spitz classes
4. To have judged a minimum of 70 Japanese Spitz (KC Policy)
5. To have judged 1 Japanese Spitz Club Open show or 1 Championship show where CC's were not on offer
6. To have stewarded over a minimum period of 12 shows (KC Policy)
7. To have bred and/or owned a minimum of 3 days when they obtained the 1st entry in the Kennel Club Stud book (save in exceptional circumstances) (KC Policy)
8. To have attended a seminar given by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer and passed the relevant examination of Kennel Club regulations and judging procedures (KC Policy)
9. To have attended a seminar given by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer on Confirmation and Movement (KC Policy)
10. To have attended and passed a Hands-on-Assessment delivered by a Kennel Club Accredited Trainer (C&M)(KC Policy as of 1-07-2005)
11. To have attended at least one Japanese Spitz club specific judging seminar run in accordance with the relevant Kennel Club Code of Best Practice and passed an examination and assessment (KC Policy)

“A3 List Non-Breed Specialists”

1. To have owned their own particular breed for at least 8 years
2. To have a minimum of 7 years judging experience in any one breed (to include 5 years in the Japanese Spitz) and to have support of the Japanese Spitz Club (KC Policy)
3. To have judged 25 Japanese Spitz classes
4. To have judged a minimum of 80 dogs (KC Policy)
5. To have judged 1 Japanese Spitz Club Open show
6. To have awarded CC's in at least one other breed (KC Policy)
7. To have attended at least one Japanese Spitz club specific judging seminar run in accordance with the relevant Kennel Club Code of Best Practice and passed an examination and assessment (KC Policy)

8. To have bred and/or owned a minimum of 3 dogs of any breed when they obtained their 1st entry in the Kennel Club Stud Book (save exceptional circumstances)

“B List” Breed Specialists

1. To have 5 years experience owning and exhibiting in this breed and to have the support of The Japanese Spitz Club
2. Have judged Japanese Spitz for 3 years
3. To have judged at least 15 classes of this breed at Open Shows or Championship Shows without CC's (save exceptional circumstances)
4. To have judged 35 dogs of this breed
5. To have attended a seminar on this breed
6. To have stewarded at least 12 shows

“B List” Non-breed Specialists

1. Owned own particular breed for at least 5 years and have the support of the Japanese Spitz Club
2. Judged Japanese Spitz for at least 5 years
3. To have judged at least 15 classes of this breed at Open shows or Championship shows without CC's (save in exceptional circumstances)
4. To have judged 35 dogs in this breed
5. To have attended a seminar on this breed
6. To have stewarded at least 12 shows

“C” List Breed Specialist and Non-Breed Specialists

For aspiring judges who have shown an interest in the breed and have the support of the Japanese Spitz Club.

Listings would normally include persons who have judged the breed at limited and open shows but do not yet qualify for the B List.

To judge the Japanese Spitz Club Championship show

1. To have awarded Challenge Certificates to the breed on a minimum of 3 previous occasions
2. Not to have awarded Challenge Certificates at the Japanese Spitz Club's Championship show during the previous 5 years