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Yes! I Can!
Educational
Program

*Learn about dogs,
responsible pet
ownership and
overcoming obstacles*

For Pre-school to
High School and
Children of all ages!

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Our Mandate

The **YES! I CAN! Educational Program** was developed as an initiative of Hull's Haven Border Collie Rescue. Since 2008 we have offered this unique learning opportunity. We teach compassion and educate the public about the need to understand dogs and the specific breeds of dogs before bringing one into your home. This is what we call *pre-emptive* rescue. The Program is always evolving.

- We teach children about dog rescue.
- Children learn that disabilities should not define a dog or a person, and that dogs should be treated with love and respect.
- We touch on personal safety with dogs.

Yes! I Can! is an interactive presentation that we take to schools, daycares, birthday parties, responsible pet ownership/ animal advocacy events and fundraisers to spread a positive message of compassion.

Our Message

Using interactive dialogue highlighted by the amazing abilities and funny antics of the dogs, we share with the audience:

- Dogs are living, breathing, thinking, feeling beings that deserve to be treated with kindness and respect.
- In order to help alleviate pet overpopulation, all pets should be spayed and neutered.
- It is important to adopt from shelters or a reputable rescue instead of supporting animals being bred for profit.
- If you want something badly enough, you can achieve your goals even when there are obstacles in your path. You have to be willing to work hard like Yume who has learned to catch a ball and jump over a jump even though she has no eyes. Yume says, "Yes! I Can!"



Pre-School & K to 6

This presentation is interactive and fun. We tailor our program to reach children at their current levels of understanding. Each presentation is unique, educational and a great way to teach children about reaching goals.



Bob and Sarge trust
Marley's jumping skills.

Junior & High Schools Our presentation for older children is also fun and interactive. We discuss more serious issues regarding animals and society, how they themselves can become involved and reaching goals. Each presentation is unique in its delivery.

For a more mature audience (senior high school level) upon request we have a more serious presentation. This covers the tragic results of pet overpopulation concerning puppy mills and the lack of laws and political will to make the changes necessary to stop animal neglect and abuse.