



# 4-H Dog Activity # 7



**Herding Group:** In 1983 the Herding group broke off from the Working group of dog breeds. These dogs are instinctual at gathering, herding and protecting livestock such as cows and sheep. They are naturally intelligent and responsive to being trained to do specific jobs and work closely with their human counterparts. German Shepherds are part of this group and are commonly trained for police and protection work. Some other breeds in this group that you might recognize are: Border Collies and the Shetland Sheepdog (Sheltie).



### Word Bank

Bouvier des Flandres  
Old English Sheepdog  
Australian Shepherd

Collie  
Puli

Pembroke Welsh Corgi  
Australian Cattle Dog

**Another dog bone to chew on...**

**What movie starred a pig that wanted to be a sheepdog?**

**Answer:** \_\_\_\_\_

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