

The Inside Scoop: Advice from the Dogs of Central Square

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Dogs in Cambridge know quite a bit about walking routes in our city, so we asked them their favorite ways to get around Central Square. Read on and see if you agree with their recommendations!



COCO

For me, a good walk is all about the smells, and I'm a connoisseur because my nose is low to the ground. My favorite smells near Central Square are in Franklin Street Park. After coming out of the park, I like to turn left and head up the hill on Hancock Street, because near the corner of Hancock and Mass Ave. there's a store that gives out free dog biscuits. See if you can sniff it out. Just put your nose up to the glass door and wag your tail and they will invite you in for a treat.

LOUIE

I like to walk in the rain because I'm shy, and there are fewer dogs out when it's raining. On sunnier days my human sometimes takes me to the dog park on Sidney Street in University Park. I do recommend it for other dogs, even though I prefer alone time with my person. If you see me there, I'll probably be staying quietly by the fence. If you approach me gently, though, I'll play with you!



JEZZIE

I'm 14½ years old, and I've lived in the Central Square neighborhood my whole life. My current favorite spot is the grassy area in front of City Hall. The grass is soft and people there are very friendly. If you're even half as cute as I am, you'll be able to get lots of attention and petting. From there, I like to head down Mass Ave. to the grass in Harvard Yard. Even at my age I still have the energy to try to chase squirrels.

