

What's up, doc?

Rabbit wellbeing at a glance



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Mindful munching

The ideal bunny diet is made up of 80% hay or grass, 15% leafy greens and just 5% pellets. Fresh fruit should be an occasional treat.



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A dream hutch

Three hops from an average-sized bunny covers six to seven feet – which is why the RWF recommends a minimum hutch size of 6' x 2' x 2'. This allows rabbits to move about and stand on their hind legs, and for separate food, toilet and sleeping areas. But bigger is always better!

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Two's company

Rabbits are social creatures and need to be kept in pairs or larger groups. Opposites attract and the best buddy combo is a buck and a female (both neutered).



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The scoop on poop

Did you know? Healthy bunny droppings should look like plump raisins!



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Nibble no more

Muesli-style foods should be off the menu. They can make rabbits picky, and often contain too much sugar.

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Weigh it up

Don't overdo the pellets – a general rule is one egg cup of pellets per kilo of your bunny's weight.

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Tooth truth

Rabbits' front teeth incisors can grow up to 3mm per week. Provide plenty of roughage to help them wear down naturally.



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A reason to celebrate

Kept healthy and happy, pet rabbits can live for up to 12 years. Some even reach their teens. The oldest rabbit documented lived to the record age of 17!



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