



CHICK checklist

WEEK 1

- Medicated chick starter
- Water with electrolytes
- Top dress bedding daily
- Clean whole brooder 1 time
- Feed chicks from hand daily
- Check daily for pasty butt
- Brooder plate neck height
- 65°+ surrounding temp
- Outside time in the house

WEEK 2

- Medicated chick starter
- Water with electrolytes
- Top dress bedding daily
- Clean whole brooder 1 time
- Feed chicks from hand daily
- Check daily for pasty butt
- Brooder plate neck height
- 65°+ surrounding temp
- Short visits outside 60° +

WEEK 3

- Medicated chick starter
- Clean water
- Top dress bedding daily
- Clean whole brooder 1 time
- Feed chicks from hand daily
- Check daily for pasty butt
- Brooder plate to neck height
- 55°+ surrounding temp
- Short visits outside 50° +

WEEK 4

- Medicated chick starter
- Clean water
- Top dress bedding daily
- Clean whole brooder 2 times
- Feed chicks from hand daily
- Check daily for pasty butt
- Brooder plate neck height
- 55°+ surrounding temp
- Longer visits outside 50° +

WEEK 5

- Chick starter
- Clean water
- Top dress bedding daily
- Clean whole brooder 2 times
- Feed chicks from hand daily
- Check daily for pasty butt
- Remove brooder plate
- 50°+ surrounding temp
- Longer visits outside 50° +

WEEK 6

- Chick starter
- Water with electrolytes
- Start coop transition
- Feed chicks from hand daily
- Put on the roosts after dark
- Block off nest boxes
- _____
- _____
- _____

WEEK 7

- Chick starter
- Clean water
- Keep coop clean
- No nest boxes until wk 17
- Daily health checks
- Buy grower feed for wk 8
- You're a chicken keeper!
- _____
- _____

NOTES