

BOBWHITE QUAIL

Thank you for your order! We hope you enjoy your birds!

NUTRITIONAL CARE

28% Gamebird or Turkey Starter with Amprolium

Feed 0- 8 weeks of age

Use a Mini crumble - observe that particles are small enough (if they are not use a food processor to grind feed into smaller particles)

22% Gamebird or Turkey Grower

Feed 8 – 15 weeks

Use a regular crumble or mini pellet

19% Gamebird or Turkey Finisher/Maintainer

Feed after 15 weeks of age

Use a mini pellet

Breeding: Feed 21% Gamebird or Turkey Breeder

***Please provide with as much feed and water as birds would like to consume.**

PEN SETUP

0 – 8 weeks of age

Raise under brooder or heat lamp. Chicks should have radiant heat of 100°F directly under lamp and 95°F around outside of lamp. Use thermometer or heat gun to check temperature. Keep chicks at 95°F for the first 7 days then drop 1-degree Fahrenheit daily as long as chick behavior is healthy.

Over 8 weeks

When they have most of their feathering, usually around 6-8 weeks, birds can go outside. Make sure no rain is forecasted for at least 3- 4 days and that birds are acclimated to the same temperature outside. Birds should have ample plant cover or shelter and should be in a pen or cage that has a roof. Please provide birds with plenty of hiding spots, food, water, and sunlight.

Release Information

Northern Bobwhite Quail maybe be released at 16 weeks of age at maturity. To increase success rate, release in an area that has plenty of food over winter and cover for the birds. Please contact your local wildlife management for more information.

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Northern Bobwhite are a type of quail that is native to the US. Their population has been on the decline for 50 years. They are lively birds to watch, quick to run or fly, and very talkative! The Bobwhite name comes from their whistled *bob-white call* that is loud enough to be heard across any field or in your backyard.

Bobwhite make great backyards birds when they are put in an aviary with available perching and places to hide. If you are interested in breeding it is recommend to have 2 females to every male. They are great egg producers!

Whether you purchased the birds to watch, breed, or release they are exciting to watch and of course very cute! Enjoy and contact us with any questions!


Just Wingin it Gamebirds LLC

Specializing in Bobwhite Quail