

HELLO!

If you would like to take part in our rabbit campaign for a chance to win a prize please complete our rabbit worksheet to show us all you have learned about rabbits! The entries will be judged by the team here at Portland Vets and the winner announced Friday 17th April 2020

Remember to make sure you fill in your name and a parent / guardian contact details!

Please drop in completed sheets to either Portland Vets Horley or email horley@portlandvets.co.uk.

Rabbit Factsheet

Rabbits are very SOCIAL animals, but they often end up living alone 😞

A rabbit should always have another neutered RABBIT as a companion. They can even live in a group; this is called a HERD!

Rabbits love to lick and GROOM their friends, it relaxes them and makes them very happy. A happy rabbit will show you they are happy by jumping in the air and flicking their feet. This is called a BINKY!

Rabbits should not live with GUINEA PIGS. Guinea pigs need different food and living conditions. They are also unable to participate in social grooming.

Rabbits need lots of space to run around! Hutches can be very small and not suitable for a pair of rabbits. Ideally rabbits should live in a large shed or kennel with a RUN attached. They can even live indoors!

Rabbits are HERBIVORES. This means they only eat vegetables and plants. HAY is the most important part of their diet. A rabbit needs to eat a pile of hay as big as themselves every day!

Rabbits should be given a small portion of PELLETS with their hay every day. MUESLI should be avoided so they don't pick out their favourite parts only!

They should also eat a small portion of fresh food every day. This can be hand picked GRASS, HERBS and even a small amount of VEGETABLES.

Did you know carrots are commonly thought to be the best food for rabbits. However they are very sugary and should only be given as a TREAT in very small amounts once a week.

FRUIT is also very sugary and is a yummy treat for our rabbit friends.



Name _____ Age _____ Contact Number _____

Rabbits look like this:

What is a group of rabbits called?

GROUP PACK SCHOOL HERD

Who is a suitable companion for a rabbit:

DOG CAT RABBIT GUINEA PIG

Rabbits only eat vegetation; this means they are:

OMNIVORES HERBIVORES CARNIVORES

Rabbits can eat (circle all you think):

CHOCOLATE CAULIFLOWER CHEESE
 MINT PIZZA
 SANDWICHES SPINACH PUMPKIN
 HAY ICE CREAM

Rabbits should live alone?

YES or NO

Rabbits should have hay every day?

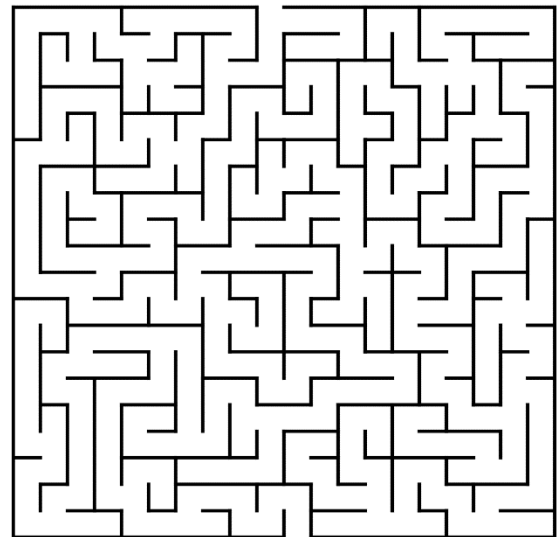
YES or NO

Rabbits can eat carrots every day?

YES or NO

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| APPLE | KALE |
| BLACKBERRIES | MINT |
| BROCCOLI | PARSLEY |
| GRASS | PLANTAIN |
| GREENS | RASPBERRIES |
| HAY | STRAWBERRIES |



Please tell us anything else you know about rabbits



Please draw your ideal rabbit home