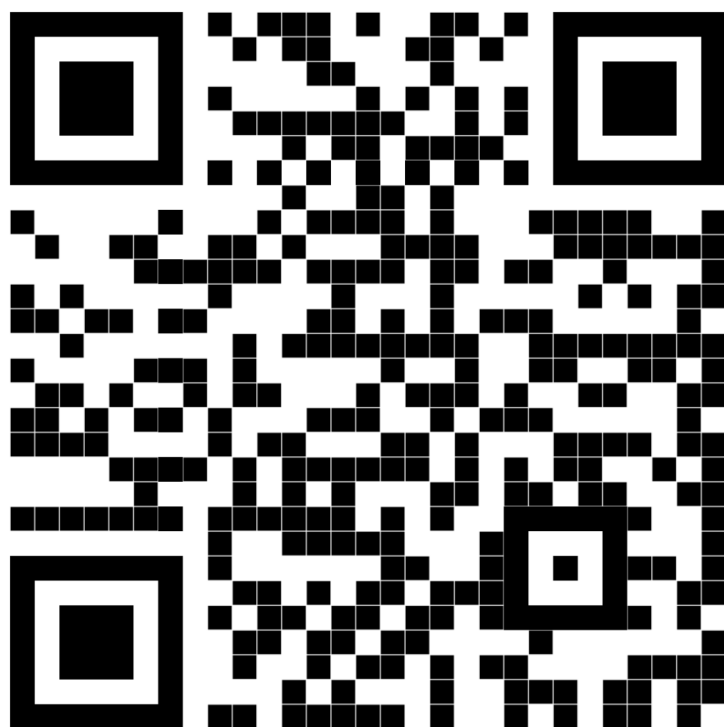


Learn More about Raising Chicks



Common Chicken Breeds

Meat:

- Cornish Cross
- Jersey Giant
- Freedom Rangers
- Orpington
- Brown Leghorn

Layers:

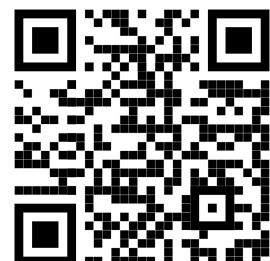
- Leghorns (White or Red)
- Plymouth Rock
- Wyandotte
- Rhode Island Red
- New Hampshire

Ornamentals:

- Polish
- Silkie
- Cochin
- Brahma
- Bantams

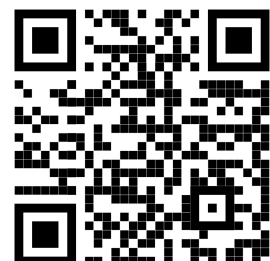
Local Places to Buy Chicks:

- Cal Ranch
- IFA
- Tractor Supply(online)



Questions to consider before getting chicks

- What is your city's ordinance for backyard chickens?
- Why do you want chickens? Pets? Eggs? Meat?
- Where are you purchasing chicks from?
- What breed(s) are you getting?
- Where are you keeping the chicks till they are old enough to go into the coop?
- Do you have the appropriate supplies?
- Do you have a large enough coop for the number of chicks you are purchasing?
- Who will care for the chickens and keep their coop clean?



Supplies for Chicks

- A large box/someplace to keep the chicks
- A heat lamp
- Chick Starter feed and Feed Container
- Chick Water Dish
- Wood shavings
- Optional: Wooden blocks for Roosting

