

Chicken Facts

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Domestic chickens are **not capable** of flying long distances
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Chickens feed on **seeds** and **insects**

A mother hen turns her egg approximately **50 times per day**

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Hens take **24 - 26 hours** to lay an egg
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A chicken takes **21 days** to hatch

A chicken can travel up to **9 miles per hour**

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Chickens can **live 5 - 11 years** depending on their breed
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Chickens exist in **stable social groups**

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The chicken is the closest **living relative** of the **T-Rex**
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They can **recognize** each other by their **facial features**

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They can **recognize** more than **100 other chickens** and remember them

Chickens have **307 bones**

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Chickens have **more bones in their neck** than giraffes do

A chicken **heart beats 250 - 315** times per minute

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A **rooster** takes **18 - 20 breaths** per minute, a **hen**, **30 - 35 breaths**
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