

Chicken Breeds



Ameraucana: Good layers, friendly and hardy. They are also known as Easter Eggers because they lay either light blue or light green eggs. They get along well with other chickens and very rarely go broody. This is a good choice for those who want a simple and easy to manage chicken. The coloring of these chickens can vary greatly from dark brown to a light golden color.



Barred Rock: Plymouth Rocks may just be the most popular breed in the US due to their excellent egg laying and hearty frames. They are also easy to tame and non-aggressive as they tend to get along well with other chickens.



Black Australorpe: The Australorpe is a big, hardy breed, capable of laying 5 eggs per week once they reach the age of five months. They are a calm, friendly and very easy breed to handle at any skill level, making them great for beginners.



Buff Orpington: Orpingtons can do it all, whether by laying 200 eggs per year or being easy to handle and show. They are friendly and get along well with other chickens. These are a good choice for first time chicken keepers.



Golden Laced Wyandotte: favorites for their dependable egg laying, easygoing nature, cold hardiness and beautiful golden feathers with black edging



Rhode Island Red: Excellent egg layers. They are prized for their 220 eggs per year production, are a hearty breed and popular in shows. They are friendly and inquisitive



Silkies: Silkies are one of the most charming and sweet natured breeds you will come across. They are docile and calm. They have a fluffy silk-like plumage, with feathers along their legs. They are winter hardy and will usually lay throughout the winter months. **



White Leghorns: Excellent layers of large white eggs – approximately 300 eggs per year. They are very active, winter hardy, somewhat nervous around people and get along well with other chickens in a flock