



ANIMALS OF THE WORLD

Holland Lops and Other Rabbits

What does a Holland Lop rabbit eat? Where should a pet Holland Lop be kept? What are common signs of illness in rabbits? Read *Holland Lops and Other Rabbits* to find out!

What did you learn?

QUESTIONS

- Rabbits eat ...
 - Hay
 - Apple seeds
 - Meat
 - Ivy
- You should brush your rabbit ...
 - Twice a week
 - Once a week
 - Twice a month
 - Once a month
- The rabbit with the most beautiful fur is the ...
 - Holland Lop
 - Lionhead rabbit
 - Blanc de Hotot
 - Rex rabbit
- The largest rabbit of all is the ...
 - Flemish Giant
 - The Giant Chinchilla
 - Netherland Dwarf
 - Blanc de Hotot
- What is a female rabbit called?
- What is a male rabbit called?

TRUE OR FALSE?

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| _____ 1. Rabbits can range in size from less than 2 pounds to more than 16 pounds. | _____ 4. The Blanc de Hotot is known for its ears. |
| _____ 2. Rabbits need to remain out of direct sunlight or temperatures above 80 °F. | _____ 5. The Netherlands Dwarf rabbits are one of the smallest types of rabbits. |
| _____ 3. Rabbits cannot be trained to use a litter box. | _____ 6. Rabbits do not need to get regular checkups. |

ANSWERS

- 1. a. Hay.** According to section “What Does a Holland Lop Eat?” on page 8, we know that “Also, provide as much fresh grass hay as your rabbit wants to eat. The fresh hay provides fiber and helps keep the teeth healthy.” So, the correct answer is A.
- 2. b. Once a week.** According to section “How Do You Groom a Holland Lop?” on page 28, we know that “At least once a week, go over your Holland Lop’s fur with a bristle brush, slicker brush, or damp washcloth.” So, the correct answer is B.
- 3. d. Rex rabbit.** According to section “Who Is the ‘King’ of the Rabbits?” on page 34, we know that “One rabbit has fur so beautiful, it was named Rex, the Latin word for ‘king.’” So, the correct answer is D.
- 4. a. Flemish Giant.** According to section “Which Is the Biggest Rabbit of All?” on page 42, we know that “Flemish Giants, however, are the breed of rabbit that can grow the largest.” So, the correct answer is A.
- 5.** According to page 63, a female rabbit is called a *doe*.
- 6.** According to page 63, a male rabbit is called a *buck*.

TRUE OR FALSE? ANSWERS

- 1. True.** According to section “What Is a Rabbit?” on page 6, we know that “Rabbits may range in size from less than 2 pounds (0.9 kilograms) to more than 16 pounds.” So, the correct answer is True.
- 2. True.** According to section “What Is a Good Rabbit Habitat?” on page 22, we know that “Rabbits need to remain out of direct sunlight or temperatures above 80 °F (27 °C) at all times.” So, the correct answer is True.
- 3. False.** According to section “Will a Holland Lop Use a Litter Box?” on page 26, we know that “Rabbits, including Holland Lops, do not automatically use a litter box, as cats usually will. Still, rabbits do like to set aside a particular spot where they relieve themselves.” So, the correct answer is False.
- 4. False.** According to section “Which Rabbit Is an Eye-Catcher?” on page 38, we know that “The Blanc de Hotot has one truly noticeable feature — its eyes.” So, the correct answer is False.
- 5. True.** According to section “Which Is the Tiniest Rabbit?” on page 40, we know that “For example, the Netherland Dwarf rabbits remain very small throughout their lives. Adult Netherland Dwarfs usually weigh less than 2 pounds (0.9 kilograms).” So, the correct answer is True.
- 6. False.** According to section “What Routine Veterinary Care Is Needed?” on page 58, we know that “All rabbits should get regular checkups, including dental checkups, to make sure they are well.” So, the correct answer is False.