

CONURE PARROT



15-50 years



11 inches



Intermediate



70-75° F



Seeded Foods, Fruits & Vegetables



Conures are very friendly, playful, active, and intelligent birds. They are quite peaceful birds, and will eagerly engage in play with other birds, humans, and often times, other animals. Conures are easily tamed, and enjoy much social interaction. These guidelines are the basic necessities for your new pet. Please do your research and consult your veterinarian for further guidance.

CAGE SET UP

Conures must have a well-ventilated home, with space for them to play. A minimum 30" x 30" x 30" cage, with space for them to move around adequately, is necessary. Several climbing ladders and perches are needed for ample exercise.

BEDDING

Horse pellet bedding or corn cob is great for the base of the bird cage, and makes cleaning easier. As always, NEVER use cedar shavings with any small animal or bird. It negatively affects the respiratory tracts in small animals.

TEMPERATURE

Room temperature, between 70-75° F, is ideal for conures. They are very hardy birds, and can tolerate cooler and warmer temperatures. Keep the cage in a safe area away from windows and drafts.

FOOD AND WATER

Feed the young conures seeded cockatiel food, such as Happy Hearts or Kaytee brand cockatiel seed. You may supplement with fresh fruits and vegetables, leafy greens and nuts. These birds also love a water bath in the bottom of the cage. Use a shallow water dish, and fill with lukewarm water.

HANDLING

Conures love social activities. They are highly intelligent, friendly birds, and thrive on much attention. Handle them often with care.

CLEANING

Clean out the cage on a daily basis. Replace soiled bedding, and give fresh food and water daily.

Perches, ladders, and toys must be taken out and cleaned regularly.

ACCESSORIES

Conure parrots enjoy a variety of natural wood toys, chews, perches, and ladders.

Do not overcrowd the cage, as they need to forage and play.