



BABY CHICK CHECKLIST

Heat Lamp & Bulb

Chicks need a heat source for the first few weeks, and a clamp lamp with a heat bulb is a cost-effective way to provide the warmth they need.

Bedding

Pine shavings work extremely well for providing proper footing, as well as absorption and smell reduction of chick messes. They also provide a soft bed!

Chick Feeder & Waterer

Small chicks struggle eating and drinking from full-sized feeders and waterers, so they need smaller chick-sized ones!

Chick Starter Feed

All brands of chick starter feed that CountryMax carries are easily digestible, and specifically designed to help your chicks grow. Choose between non-medicated or medicated varieties.

Chick Grit

Chickens don't chew their food – they naturally ingest small rocks that break down food in their gizzard. Our bestselling Country Heritage grit comes in chick-sized pieces of insoluble crushed granite specifically for young, developing chicks.

Electrolytes

Chicks benefit from electrolytes in the first few days of life. The boost helps their tiny systems handle the shock and exhaustion of travel, new environments and growth.

Chicken Wire

Soon your chicks will develop feathers and be able to “fly” up out of their brooder. Chicken wire or another breathable top on it will keep them safe and contained.

