



CHICKEN COOP CHECKLIST

SPACE

4 square feet inside and 10 square feet outside per Hen

ROOSTS

8 TO 12 INCHES PER HEN

FEED AND WATER

1/2 CUP FEED AND 2 CUPS WATER DAILY

MORE WATER MAY BE NECESSARY IN HOT WEATHER

CALCIUM SUPPLEMENT - CRUSHED EGGSHELLS OR LIMESTONE

LIGHT TO LAY EGGS

12 TO 16 HOURS LIGHT

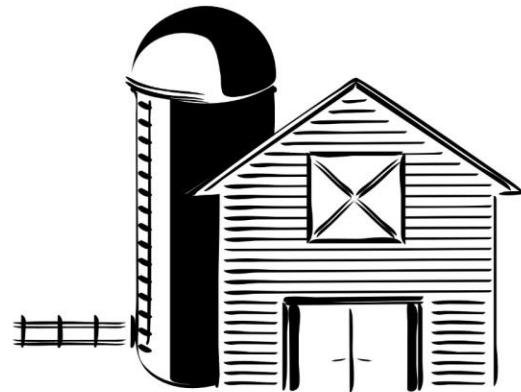
NESTING BOXES

ONE BOX FOR EVERY 3 TO 5 HENS

BEDDING

DEEP LITTER OR REGULAR CLEANING

WOOD CHIPS, SHAVINGS, STRAW, SAND, OR LEAVES



INSULATION AND VENTILATION

1 SQUARE FOOT VENTILATION PER HEN OR 1 SQUARE FEET PER 10 SQUARE FEET OF FLOOR SPACE

PROTECT HENS FROM DRAFTS AND KEEP WARM ENOUGH IN WINTER

PROTECTION FROM PREDATORS, WIND, RAIN, AND HEAT

