

Small Animal Science Get to Know You Activity - Day One

We ALL have some past experience with small animals. Some of us have animals at home while others have pet/been around animals. These species range from cats and dogs to chinchilla and ferrets. On a sheet of white paper write your name (first and last) legibly in the center then draw or trace an outline of the animal species you have the most experience with. Fill the rest of the page with examples of your previous (HS quality knowledge) of animals. We will then present to the class as well as display your work.

See example below:

Domesticated or pet rabbits consume unlimited water, about 65% of diet is hay and supplemental pellets

Rabbits usually live for 10 years, our class rabbit, Todd is around 7 years old.

Many breeds exist, Todd is a Hoto cross as shown by his white body, dark rings around eyes but slight black (cross) spots on body



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Todd and all rabbits HAVE to chew on items to help grind down their teeth and prevent dental/nutrition issues

You can show rabbits through 4-H, FFA, Girl Scouts or Boy Scouts at the County Fair

My first rabbit when I was a child was a pure black female, I named midnight

Rabbits are naturally prey animals and like to have an area to hide, Todd loves areas behind cabinets and under my desk.