



Keeping Rabbits

Multi-Pet Introduction

Safely introduce your rabbit to other pets

PHASE 1: Before Meeting (2-4 weeks)

- ☐ Keep pets separate at first
- ☐ Let rabbit settle into home first
- ☐ Other pet is current on vaccinations
- ☐ Both pets are spayed/neutered (recommended)
- ☐ Prepare separate spaces for each pet

PHASE 2: First Meetings (Neutral Space)

- ☐ Choose neutral room
- ☐ Keep other pet on leash or behind gate
- ☐ Let rabbit free in the room
- ☐ Keep meetings short (5-10 min)
- ☐ Watch body language from both pets
- ☐ Separate immediately if any aggression

PHASE 3: Building Trust (Weeks 2-4)

- ☐ Scent swapping (blankets, toys)
- ☐ Longer supervised meetings
- ☐ Both pets calm during meetings
- ☐ No food aggression (feed separately)
- ☐ Each pet has own hiding spots

PHASE 4: Full Introduction

- ☐ Unsupervised time together (short at first)
- ☐ Both pets eating comfortably
- ☐ Grooming each other (bonded!)
- ☐ Lying down together
- ☐ Always have escape routes available

⚠ Never leave them alone together until fully bonded. Some pets will never get along — know when to stop.