

I've attached our kitten care sheet for you that will have some basic starter info for you taking your baby(s) home.

Rather than recreate the wheel, here's a link to a wonderful article that our breeder friends in CA wrote about creating a "safe room" for your newest family member that I strongly agree with: <https://www.quality-bengal-kittens.com/blog/blog/how-do-i-know-when-i-can-move-my-kitten-out-of-the-safe-room>

Here's what we get at Walmart for litter boxes: <https://www.walmart.com/ip/Sterilite-58-Qt-55-L-Storage-Box-White/10401038>

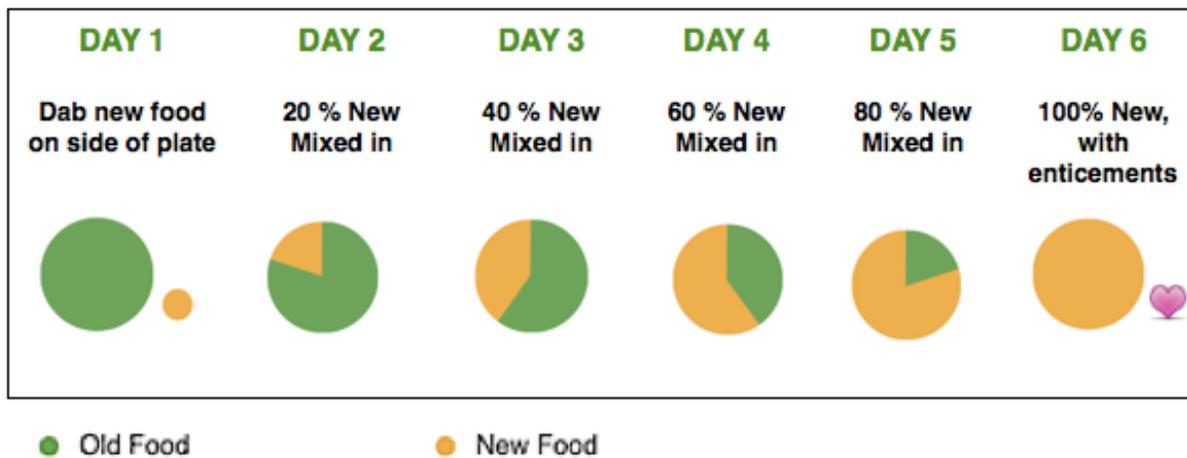
Chewy.com has one of the best prices on cat litter (<https://www.chewy.com/worlds-best-cat-litter-lavender/dp/37591>) and we just have it autoshipped right to our door every month. :-)

The kittens are currently eating our homemade raw recipe, included below.

There are some other good canned foods out there, just look for one with a good source of meat, low carbohydrates, no grains such as corn/wheat.

We recommend staying away from a dry-food diet, however if you absolutely must, make sure it's high quality, grain-free, and you have plenty of water available to the Bengal. (Fountains are great to use as they encourage them to drink.)

How to transition to a new food:



The cats' favorite treats are Stella & Chewy's Raw Rabbit food. - Purple bag -available on Amazon, but can get them at most pet stores.

The wheel toys the cats like are the One Fast Cat wheel. There is another brand breeders refer is the <http://www.ziggydoo.com/en/> Look online to see if you can get them used. Good way to save money. :-)

If you're interested, I've included information about feeding/making raw food here below:

There are two suppliers listed, as well as the recipe we use for cat food.

Raw food suppliers:

<https://www.mypetcarnivore.com/> - We've gotten the ground chicken mix and the rabbit (which was their favorite - they growl while they eat it, it's so cute!) Only two of the cats liked the beaver mix. – Make sure you get your order in before noon on Friday to ship out on Monday. We get it in New England by around Wednesday.

This is another good source, but you have to order in bulk, and they only ship once a month. <https://simplyrawsomeus.com/> Use reference/coupon code: BP1ESC to get a 10% discount off your first order. The Simply Chicken formula is great.

With both food sources above, you'll need to add the Kitty Bloom Supplement, linked below, unless you can get the cats to rotate through multiple proteins each week.

The recipe we use for the homemade cat food is as follows:

Always use a mixture of 80% meat, 10% bone, 10% organs (usually liver)

We then add 100% pumpkin for fiber, extra water, and kitty bloom (vitamin supplement).

Recipe for a 10# batch would be as follows:

6.5# bone-in chicken thighs

2.5 # boneless chicken thighs (or 1.5# boneless thighs + 1# gizzards/hearts)

1# liver

4 lg tablespoons of 100% pumpkin

1 3/4c. water

3 tablespoons of Kitty Bloom (cat food supplements for raw feeding, [available here](#))

Grind all together and then portion into freezer bags.

Freeze, then just pull out what you need the day before so it has time to thaw.

If you'd like to grind the bone-in thighs we recommend the Wesson #22 grinder. Alternatively, you can just use boneless chicken thighs cut into chunks and add 1/2 teaspoon ground eggshells per pound of meat (so for a 10# batch, it would be 9# chicken and 5 teaspoons ground eggshell).

For more information on raw feeding, visit <http://www.thenutritioncode.info/>. Megan has great info here.

Groups on Facebook that are helpful -

Raw Feeding - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1433569413365162/>

Bengal Newbies & Mentors <https://www.facebook.com/groups/237815192928299/>

Bengal Cat Club - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/bengalcatclub/>

If you decided that the raw feeding was too much to handle, any good, grain-free canned foods are a good alternative to any dry food. You can learn more about feeding at <https://catinfo.org/>