



Guinea pig: Daily feeding guide



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5% PELLET (1-2 tsp/day):

Not essential!!!

Must be good quality (Oxbow, Burgess, Supreme)
Recommended during phases of growth and reproduction
Feeding in excess leads to dental disease and weight gain

25% VEGETABLES:

All vegetables!

Red peppers: about 70 grams daily
Especially those rich in fibre (Fennel, Celery)
Carrots sparingly: high in sugar
Rarely: kale, broccoli, spinach (oxalate +++)

75% GREEN GRASS and HAY:

Rich in fiber!

Help to wear teeth down (teeth grow continuously)
Maintain intestinal function
As well as grass, wildflowers
Deciduous branches (hazel, birch, willow).

FRUITS and TREATS:

Apples, pears, grapes

Give a small daily amount as a **treat**

If a lot is given the sugar will disrupt intestinal balance, cause harmful fermentation and bloat, and predispose to **weight gain** and **obesity**

NEVER ADMINISTER!!!

Bread, pasta, biscuits, cereal & seeds mixture, chocolate, popcorn. Seeds, potatoes, green parts of aubergine.

