

Friends
make life
better!

RABBIT BONDING

SUCCESS GUIDE

Bun
friends
forever!

Finding the perfect bunny companion
is about **personality**, not appearance.

PAIRING TYPE

SUCCESS POTENTIAL (EXPERIENCE-BASED GUIDE)

WHAT TO KNOW



**ESTABLISHED
BONDED PAIR**
Already bonded!

♥♥♥♥♥
EXCELLENT! (100%)

🌸 The easiest and least
stressful option.



MALE + FEMALE
Classic match!

♥♥♥♥♥
EXCELLENT (95%)

♥ Usually the most natural
and harmonious pairing.



ADULT + ADULT
Mature & compatible

♥♥♥♥♥
VERY GOOD (90%)

🌿 Both rabbits have established
personalities and routines.



SENIOR + SENIOR
Gentle & peaceful

♥♥♥♥♥
VERY GOOD (88%)

🌸 Seniors enjoy calm
companionship and
shared nap times.



MALE + MALE
Boys can be besties!

♥♥♥♥
GOOD (85%)

★ Many males bond well
after neutering, but some
can be territorial.



MIXED-AGE ADULTS
Different ages, can work!

♥♥♥♥♥
GOOD (82%)

💚 Works beautifully if energy
levels and personalities
are compatible.



LARGE + SMALL
Size doesn't stop love!

♥♥♥♥♥
GOOD (80%)

🐾 Supervision is key during
introductions for safety.



FEMALE + FEMALE
Best friends... with time

♥♥♥♥♥
FAIR (75%)

🕒 Can succeed, but often
takes longer and needs
more patience.



ADULT + BABY
Proceed with caution

♥♥♥♥
FAIR (65%)

⚠️ Risk of "false bonding."
Hormones at puberty can
cause fights later.



BABY + BABY
Temporary friendship

♥♥♥
LOW (50%)

🛡️ Separate before puberty
(3-6 months). Not a
permanent solution.

WHAT MATTERS MOST?

🐾 Personality	★★★★★
🏠 Desexed Status	★★★★★
⚖️ Energy Level	★★★★☆
🕒 Age	★★★☆☆
🌸 Size	★★★☆☆
🐇 Breed	★★★☆☆

Every rabbit is
an individual.
With the right match,
patience and love,
almost any two rabbits
can become
best friends!



TIPS FOR SUCCESS

- ✓ Both rabbits are desexed
and fully healed (4-6 weeks).
- ✓ Introduce in neutral territory
with slow, supervised sessions.
- ✓ Match personalities and
energy levels, not just age
or appearance.
- ✓ Bonding is a marathon –
patience is everything!
- ✓ When in doubt, consult a
rabbit-savvy rescue or vet.



LOVE • PATIENCE • TRUST = A LIFELONG BOND

Happy
Bun Life!

IT'S ALL ABOUT PERSONALITY!

Temperament is the biggest predictor of a **happy, lasting** bond.

RABBITS HAVE UNIQUE PERSONALITIES—FIND THE RIGHT MATCH! ♥

You complete me!

Best bunny friend!

♥ PERSONALITY PAIRINGS: WHAT WORKS BEST? ♥

DOMINANT + SUBMISSIVE



- The ideal match!
- Natural hierarchy forms easily.
- Respect and roles are clear.

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EXCELLENT

CONFIDENT + SHY



- Confident bun helps shy bun feel safe.
- Shy bun gains confidence over time.

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VERY GOOD

HIGH-ENERGY + LAID-BACK



- Can work well with balance and patience.
- Make sure the laid-back bun isn't overwhelmed.

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GOOD

DOMINANT + DOMINANT



- Hardest match to achieve.
- Expect more challenges during bonding.

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CHALLENGING

♥ READING RABBIT BODY LANGUAGE: GET TO KNOW THEIR PERSONALITY ♥

RELAXED



- Relaxed body
- Soft eyes
- Ears in natural position
- Great sign!

CURIOUS



- Ears forward
- Sniffing around
- Interested but cautious

PLAYFUL



- Binkies, zoomies
- Play bow
- Light chasing
- Good energy!

ANXIOUS



- Body hunched
- Avoiding eye contact
- Ears back or flat
- Needs time & space

AGGRESSIVE



- Boxing
- Lunging, biting
- Fur pulling
- Separate & try later

TEMPERAMENT MATCH TIPS



Observe before you bond.

Spend time with each rabbit separately to understand their personality.



Match lifestyles, not looks.

Two calm rabbits or two playful rabbits often bond faster.



Give it time.

Great personalities still need a slow, patient introduction.



Let them choose each other.

Rabbit "speed dating" helps find natural connections.

COMMON RABBIT PERSONALITIES AT A GLANCE

THE BOSS



Confident leader. Loves to be in charge and sets the rules!

Needs: A respectful buddy who accepts their leadership.

THE SWEETHEART



Gentle, affectionate and loves grooming. Just wants peace!

Needs: A kind, calm companion who loves snuggles too.

THE EXPLORER



Curious, adventurous and always on the move. Loves to investigate!

Needs: A playful sidekick with similar energy levels.

THE SHY ONE



Timid, easily startled and takes time to feel safe.

Needs: A patient, confident friend to show them the way.

QUICK PERSONALITY CHECKLIST

- ✓ Does each rabbit feel comfortable in new spaces?
- ✓ Do they show interest without intense aggression?
- ✓ Can they relax near each other (even briefly)?
- ✓ Do they recover quickly from stress?
- ✓ Do their energy levels seem compatible?

REMEMBER

No two rabbits are the same. With patience, understanding and the right match, your bunnies can become best friends for life!

