

Fermenting Chicken Feed

step-by-step guide



1. MEASURE THE FEED

- Figure approximately **1/2 cup** per bird
- Determine the total amount and cut it in **half**
(Feed expands as it ferments)



5. STIR DAILY

- Stir the feed at least **2-3 times** each day
- It will take **3 days** for the feed to ferment



2. ADD WATER

- Add enough water to cover the feed by **2 inches**
- Use non-chlorinated water



6. WHEN IT'S DONE

- There should be bubbles on the top of the feed
- Strain out the feed into a bowl



3. GIVE IT A STIR

- Stir together the feed and the water
- Use a wooden spoon, don't use metal!



7. SERVE!

- Top with Grubbly Farms and let your flock enjoy their fermented feast!



4. COVER

- Cover the jar with a breathable cloth like cheesecloth
- Use a rubber band to fasten the cloth

Tips:

Always have the feed covered in water.

While the feed is fermenting, keep it in a cool, dark location.

Throw out the feed if you see or smell mold.



3-6 HOURS

Add more water until the feed is covered again.



24 HOURS

You may start to see some bubbles on the top!



48 HOURS

The feed may rise and you will see fermenting bubbles.



72 HOURS

Bubbles will be on top and the feed will smell slightly sour!