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Bearded Dragons (Animal Planet Pet Care Library)



Synopsis

The bearded dragon is one of the most popular lizard pets in the hobby today. Because of their manageable size, easy-to-meet care requirements, and outgoing personalities, these active lizards are perfect for beginning keepers and experts alike. This expertly-written guide provides the most complete and up-to-date information on bearded dragons, including housing, feeding, temperature control, and health care.

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Customer Reviews

If you're considering adopting a bearded dragon, read this book before you start preparing! Do not just go with what the pet stores try to sell you! You will be amazed if you visit a pet store after reading this book, because you will see that a ton of things they sell for beardies are really unnecessary or actually harmful, and you may even notice they're not keeping their bearded dragons in the best conditions. You will see other less prepared owners buying crap that is dangerous and you will think "oh no, poor beardie!" I bought this book to help me decide whether or not to bring a beardie into our home. But I believe it would also be quite useful for any owner. This book is cleanly written and easy to follow, and includes practically everything you need to know from the care of feeder insects to how to safely disinfect items to place in your beardie's enclosure. Reading different care sheets on websites will always give some useful tips, especially from breeders, but the nice thing about having this book is that you can keep it near by and refer back to it as needed. Since reading it I've decided to adopt a beardie and this book will remain my first go-to

when I've got questions. However, I would refer to other guides or online information for more contentious issues. For example, the author of this book recommends keeping a small amount of water in the cage throughout the day, but I find a lot of people disagree with that. Substrates are another gray area. This book may recommend a type of substrate that another breeder may completely reject (I found sifted play sand to be one of the few generally agreed upon substrates for adult beardies). This book is truly an A-Z guide, and if you find gaps or want more information, the internet is a great free resource and there are plenty of other care guides available to help support a complete education on keeping a bearded dragon.

I read beardie books for info and a hobby. This book does not take things for granted as much as the Bearded Dragon Manual does. It doesn't assume you know everything and walks you through very good detail, such as don't feed them tomatoes because they are in the nightshade family. Enjoy.

Bought this for my 8 year old son who is considering getting a bearded dragon. He has read it cover to cover several times and learned so much about the bearded dragon. He is now using this book for a book report (3rd grade). It's very informative for him - as well as for me (his mom) in learning how we would need to care for one.

One of our kids wanted to have a pet and he is a huge reptile fan so we chose Bearded Dragons. I am now the most please person in the house. These guys are a blast. We purchased a book from the store from which we purchased the Beardies and though it was helpful, this book has been much more helpful to me. The writing style is right up my alley and helps me understand if we are doing the right things to maintain the health of our pets. It covers housing, food, relationships, general care, travel, and just about everything I need at this point. I very much enjoy this book and consider a great reference.

This book is informative and easy to read. It convinced me not to get a bearded dragon because their care seems a bit involved and I am looking for an easy-to-care-for reptile. I'm glad I read this book first!

I love how this book not only gives you advice on how to prepare a habitat for a beardie but also tells u how to keep their food and what to feed them and what's not so good to feed them. It's best

to read this book so u know what to expect. And also to understand what it takes to keep a beardie.

This book is perfect for an eight year old with a new bearded dragon! Wonderful pictures and easy to read. This will be a Christmas gift which I am sure will be read over and over. It was shipped fast also. Thank You...

Got this for my daughter who is very pleased with it. She found this book to be very informative and easy to read. She would recommend it to anyone looking for information about becoming a pet parent to a Bearded Dragon.

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