

**Holistic Nutrition** 

## LIONEL'S CHOICE CANINE RESPONSIBLE FEEDING GUIDE

## **Puppy**

DAILY FEEDING GUIDELINES (weigh food for proper feeding)						
BREED	Expected	Age (months)				
	Adult	2	4	6	8	12
	Weight (kg)	From – To (grams/day)				
Small	1 – 5	20 — 70	40 — 120	40 — 130	40 — 120	40 — 120
	5 — 7.5	70 — 90	120 — 160	130 — 180	120 — 160	120 — 170
	7.5 — 10	90 — 100	160 — 200	180 — 220	160 — 200	170 — 210
Medium	10 — 15	100 — 140	200 — 270	220 — 290	200 — 270	210 — 280
C	15 — 20	140 — 180	270 — 340	290 — 350	270 — 340	280 — 350
	20 — 30	180 — 240	340 — 440	350 — 470	340 — 440	350 — 480
Large	30 — 40	240 — 290	440 — 540	470 — 580	440 — 540	480 — 590
	40 — 50	290 — 330	540 — 620	580 — 700	540 — 620	590 — 690
	50 — 60	330 — 350	620 — 690	700 — 810	620 — 700	690 — 780
Giant	60 — 70	350 — 370	690 — 730	810 — 880	700 — 770	780 — 870
To the	70 — 80	370 — 410	730 — 810	880 — 970	770 — 850	870 —

These guidelines are for average conditions. Your puppy's requirements may vary depending on breed, age, sex, environment and activity and level. Monitor your puppy's weight and make feeding adjustments as necessary. Do not overfeed your puppy. If there is food left over after one hour, remove it. This will help keep your puppy on schedule.

Feed your puppy with the same food at the same time each day. Abrupt changes in your puppy's diet may cause stomach upset and diarrhea. When switching to a new food, gradually transition him to the new food by mixing proportions of both foods until you slowly phase out the old food. If you are mixing water with dry food, you should mix 4 parts dry food to 1 part water. Clean your puppy's food and water bowls daily. Once your puppy begins to eat solid food they should be fed three time per day. After six months, daily recommendations may be divided into two to four meals. For puppies over six months, one daily feeding should meet their needs.



