

Dried forage mix

Bunnies, chinchillas and guinea pigs love a little variety in life! Why not make your fluffies a dried leaf and flower salad to spice up their lives!

You can use herbs, garden plants or store bought greens. If using garden produce, please remember to ensure no pesticides have been used nearby or on the plants.

Easily available greens:

Green grass! Bunnies loooooove this!

Nasturtium (Kappertjies)

Mulberry leaves

Hibiscus leaves and flowers

Willow leaves and twigs

Dandelion

Pot marigold (*Calendula officinalis*)

Pea plants

Rose – NO pesticides!

Wild pansy (*Viola tricolor* ONLY!)

Chamomile

Parsley (Small amounts)

Sage

Rosemary

Basil

Mint

Coriander

Fennel

Lavender

Strawberry/Raspberry/blackberry or blueberry leaves

Sunflower

Celery

Radish tops

Carrot tops

Beet leaves

Fresh Lucerne (in moderation)

Oat grass

Wheat grass

Bok choy

Radicchio

Endives

Kale



There are several ways to dry out leaves:

- Leave them out on paper towel somewhere warm and dry – it may be a few days before they dry properly.
- Lay them out outside and let the sunshine do the work.
- Dehydrators work wonders!
- You can dry leaves in an oven on the lowest heat setting, or better yet, save energy and just use the leftover heat after you've cooked something. It doesn't take long (about 15minutes).

Once they are dry they can be stored for long periods.