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Salmonella	Cockerel
Bacteria, typhoid fever, food poisoning	Male chicken under 12 months of age
Capon	Roaster
A castrated male chicken with soft skin or tender flesh	A young chicken of either sex usually butchered after eight weeks of age
Layer	Hen
A female bird kept for egg laying production	A mature female chicken over 12 months of age
Bantam	Chick
A small domestic chicken that is often a miniature version of a larger breed	A young male or female just hatched one to seven days
Broiler	Broody
A young bird of either sex that is bred and grown specifically for highly efficient meat production	A hen that stops laying eggs

Comb	Brooder
The fleshy growth or crest on the top of a chicken's head	A temperature-controlled heated box used for raising newly hatched poultry
Cock	Crop
An older male chicken	An organ in the chest that stores food to be processed by the gizzard
Dust	Gizzard
A chicken's habit of thrashing around in soft soil or sand to clean feathers	A hard muscular stomach that grinds down food
Candle	Hackles
The process to view the contents of an egg inside the shell	Feathers over the back of a chicken which are typically pointed in males and rounded in females

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Clutch	Pullet
Term describes a bunch of eggs	A young immature female chicken
Coccidiosis	Roosters
An animal disease caused by infestation of parasite in intestinal tract	As your cockerels blossom into fully grown and sexually mature chickens
Straight Run Chicks	Wattle
Chicks that will be sold as hatched	Red flaps that dangle beneath every chicken's beak
Earlobes	Vent
Red or white, located slightly below and behind the chicken's eyeball	A fancy word for the anus on a chicken
Spurs	Hackle Feathers
Resemble an antelope-like horn, located above the foot on a rooster	Neck feathers on a chicken

Sickle Feathers	Cape
Long feathers that form the rooster's tail	Harvested by skinning the neck and keeping all the feathers intact on the piece of skin
Lockdown	Sparring
The latter part of every hatch period no matter if it's duck, chicken, or emu eggs	A fancy word for when roosters are fighting
Zippering	Strut
When a baby chick picks at its shell, creating a ring around the shell that it can escape from	The victory walk rooster proudly displays as he surveys his flock of ladies
Tidbitting	Culling
When a rooster drops food or treats at the feet of hens; it is a way to attract a mate	Identifying and removing non-laying or diseased birds