

Want something
unusual in your cold
water tank?!
What about an
AXOLOTL!!

Axolotls can regenerate
body parts!

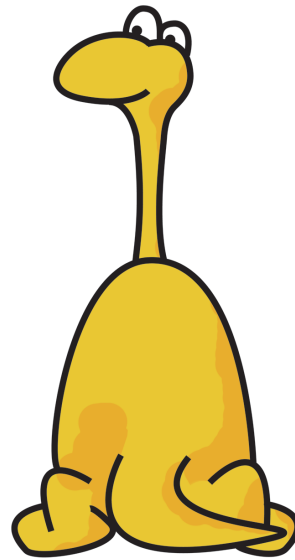
If an axolotl happens to lose
a limb they have the ability
to re-grow that limb!

They can even regenerate
their heart, kidneys & liver!



Female axolotls lay about
400 eggs, which hatch after
about 2.5 weeks.

Newborn young remain
attached to plants for
another two weeks.



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Bronty's Fact Sheet
**Axolotl (Mexican
Walking Fish)**



All you need to know to keep Axolotls!!

Axolotls are named by the Aztecs and are stuck in the larval stage of a salamander, which is a lizard-like amphibian that lives on the land. They remain in this larval stage for their entire life.

They come in a range of colours: black/green, black, gold and albino are the most common colours.

Females have a larger, wider head than the males.

Axolotls grow to between 20cm and 40cm.

Axolotls are sensitive to light (they have no eye lids and poor eyesight) so need to be kept out of direct sunlight and any other internal bright lights.



Axolotls can be housed with other axolotls, but it is recommended not to keep other small fish in the same tank, as they will become a potential food source for the axolotl.

They are quite snappy but they have very small teeth so they can not cause harm to you. They can not survive outside the water; they should be submerged at all times.

Your tank should have coarse gravel on the bottom (they will eat fine gravel!) and you should provide a few hiding places eg. Rocks, logs.

Ph level should be neutral and the water temperature is ideal at 14 to 20 degrees.



Axolotls need only be fed every second day and this should be done with a pair of tweezers to reduce wasted food. They feed on live crickets, other small insects, earthworms and bloodworms.

Axolotls live for up to 15 years.

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