

# Taking Home Your: Aquatic Turtle

## **QUICK FACTS**

#### **SHOPPING LIST**

#### RECOMMENDED HABITAT

A tank that allows for 10 gallons of water for each inch of turtle

#### SIZE

5 to 11 inches long depending on species

#### **LIFE SPAN**

20+ years

### LIGHTING:

Heat light and UVB light

▼ Tank

**⋈** Pelleted Food

UVB Light

✓ Live Food

☑ Heat Light

**☑** Dechlorinator



## DIET

- +Specialized aquatic pellet daily
- +Feed in the water, only enough that will be consume within a few minutes
- +Treat with live guppies, shrimp (live or freeze dried) and worms

## CARE

- +Tank temperature: 75 F
  - +Basking: 95 F
  - **+UV** light daily
- +Rinse filter weekly and replace cartridges months

## **HABITAT**

- + Tank with space for swimming & basking
- + Strong filter
- + Water must be dechlorinated
- + Include heat &UV light

