



Feeding Guide

Weight in lbs.	Cups per day			
	1 to 3 mos.	3 to 5 mos.	5 to 7 mos.	7 to 12 mos
Up to 5 lbs.	1/2 - 1	1/4 - 3/4	1/4 - 1/2	1/4 - 1/2
6 to 10 lbs.	1 - 1 %	% - 1 %	1/2 - 1	½ - 1
11 to 20 lbs.	1 34 - 2 34	1% - 2	1-1%	1- 1½
21 to 40 lbs.	2 ¾ - 4 ¾	2 - 3 1/4	1 % - 3	11/2 - 21/2
41 to 60 lbs.	4 ¾ - 6 ½	3 ¼ - 4 ¼	3 – 4	2 ½ - 3 ½

Feed your pup a high-quality food, specially formulated for large breeds. We use Blue Buffalo Large Breed Puppy food. It is important to not overfeed your pup, even if they beg. Golden Retrievers, along with many large breeds, can develop hip and joint issues if they gain weight too fast or become overweight. A Golden Retriever puppy should look lanky. You should not be able to see their ribs, but you should be able to feel their ribs and see a clearly defined waist when looking down on them from above. Split food into 3 equal meals (at least 2) if possible.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup 3 times per day, for a total of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups per day, from 8-12 weeks

A total of 2 cups per day, split into 3 meals, from 3 to 4 months

A total of 2 ½ cups per day, split into 3 meals, from 4 to 5 months

A total of 3 (female) – 3 ½ (male) cups per day, split into 3 meals, from 5-7 mo

https://puppyintraining.com/how-much-to-feed-a-golden-retriever-puppy/

Slow Feeder bowls help your pup slow down when they eat https://a.co/d/dxGU2JJ