## ANNUAL COST OF OWNING A PUPPY

VETERINARY CARE		
Parasite prevention	\$194	
Exams with vaccines	\$591	
Deworming medication	\$83	
Fecal exams	\$120	
Microchip	\$125	
Neuter/spay	\$952/\$1,048	
NUTRITION		
Food	\$1,127	
Bowls	\$40	
THE ESSENTIALS		
Collar and leash	\$50	
Collar and leash Bed	\$50 \$70	
Bed	\$70	
Bed Toys	\$70 \$75	
Bed Toys Crate	\$70 \$75	
Bed Toys Crate OTHER EXPENSES	\$70 \$75 \$160	
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COST \$3,133/\$3,231

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VETERINARY CARE	
Parasite prevention	\$247
Exams with vaccines	\$197
Heartworm/Lyme test	\$115
Fecal exams	\$60
Wellness profile (blood work)	\$160
Dental cleaning	<b>\$795</b>
NUTRITION	
Food	\$1,370
THE ESSENTIALS	
Collar	\$50
Toys	<b>\$75</b>
OTHER EXPENSES	
Pet insurance*	\$1,043
Licence	\$25
TOTAL ANNUAL COST	\$4,137



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