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Animal Fact Sheet

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Norwich Terrier

Canis lupus familiaris

The Norwich Terrier is a small, sturdy breed of dog originally developed in England for hunting vermin and as a farm companion. Known for its alert expression and erect, pointed ears, the Norwich Ter…

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal
Family: Canidae
Habitat: Domestic, Grassland, Farmland
Diet: Omnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 12-15 years
Weight: 5-6 kg (11-13 lbs)
Scientific name: Canis lupus familiaris

Did you know?

- The Norwich Terrier and the Norfolk Terrier were once considered the same breed and only officially separated in 1964, with ear shape being the prima…
- Norwich Terriers are one of only two breeds with prick ears recognized by the AKC terrier group. They have a distinctive bark and were bred to work i…

What I learned

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