

Boer Goat Quick Facts

A female goat is called a “doe,” while a male goat is called a “buck.”

A baby goat is called a “kid,” and a castrated goat is called a “wether.”

Goats do not have teeth in their upper jaw. They have 24 molars and 8 incisors.

Male goats go through a period called a “rut” when they are ready to mate. Female goats experience “estrus” when they are in heat and ready to breed.

Goats are seasonal breeders.

The length of gestation of a goat is between 145-155 days, with 150 days being the average.

The life expectancy of a goat is 8-12 years.

The normal body temperature for a goat is between 101.7 – 104.5 degrees Fahrenheit.