

## Maltese Dachshund Mix: The Cutest Mix of Them All

The adorable **Maltese Dachshund mix** is the result of combining the Maltese and Dachshund breeds. Affectionately called the Mauxie, this designer hybrid breed is most known for its fluffy fur coat and slender lean body. Small but mighty, the Mauxie is loving and playful — making this breed an ideal companion for both new and seasoned dog owners.

### Get To Know the Maltese Dachshund Mix

The Mauxie's parent breeds are among the most ancient! The heritage of the [Maltese](#) dates up to 8,000 years back. Being reported in Egypt, Greece, Italy, and Malta (where the Maltese gets its name), the Maltese has a rich history. On the other hand, the Dachshund breed was first recorded in Germany over 600 years ago.

While this [mixed breed dog](#) is playful and courageous, the Mauxie was bred in Germany to hunt badgers. **They had to be bold and fearless and they still hold those traits to this day!**

### Reasons You'll Love the Mauxie

What's not to love? Mauxies are:

1. Affectionate
2. Playful
3. Loyal

While the Mauxie makes the perfect companion and is insanely adorable, it's also important to keep in mind that they can be stubborn. **The **Maltese Dachshund mix** is not afraid to express how they feel!** Your Mauxie will want to be involved in daily life and will always keep an eye on activities taking place around the house.

### Your Mauxie Care Guide

Now that you know how cute the Mauxie is, let's talk about how to take care of them. Here's what you need to know:

- **Food & Diet** - You're in luck! **The Mauxie breed is not really known to be picky eaters.** However, this breed has a higher tendency to become overweight, so you will want to ensure their diet plan is lean and nutritious.

- **Exercise** - While the **Maltese Dachshund mix** is small, they still require a lot of activity. **Two routine walks per day and regular playtime should do just the trick.**
- **Grooming** - A Mauxie that inherits more Maltese genes than [Dachshund](#) genes will require more grooming attention. A good grooming regimen may be:
  - A light home grooming once per day to avoid tangles
  - A throughout brush once per week
  - Routine groomer visits

This breed will definitely make your family feel affectionately loved. Packed with a booming personality, the **Maltese Dachshund Mix** has been one of America's favorites since World War II!