

King of the castle



Cats feel safer in a Feline Fort®



FelineFort®

Privacy and protection

Providing cats with a private place to hide is scientifically proven to make them feel safe and secure. So Cats Protection, the UK's leading feline welfare charity, developed the Feline Fort®.

The Feline Fort® is a three-piece unit consisting of a cat step, table and hide that enables cats to express natural behaviours like hiding. It increases their territory and allows them to view their surroundings from higher up, helping them feel safer.

The Feline Fort® can be purchased as a unit and each element can be bought individually.

For cats in care

Cats in care can suffer from stress-related behavioural problems, such as excessive grooming and aggression, as they adjust to an unfamiliar environment.

Research carried out at Cats Protection adoption centres underlines the importance of providing these cats with somewhere to hide. Dr Rachel Casey, a Diplomat of the European College of Veterinary Surgeons, recognised specialist in Veterinary Behavioural Medicine and a Certified Clinical Animal Behaviourist at the University of Bristol, found that cats provided with a hiding place were much less stressed than those in equivalent housing without one.

The Feline Fort® helps reduce stress levels in cats, allowing them to choose how much they want to interact with people. It can be used as

a three-piece unit in a variety of configurations, within the pens or as a stand-alone piece within a behaviour room.

For cats in the home

The Feline Fort® helps to improve the lives of cats at home by expanding their territory vertically and making their environment more stimulating.

Cats can suffer from stress caused by household changes, presence of other cats and medical conditions. These cats may benefit from a Feline Fort®, which has multiple hiding and sleeping areas they can retreat to. If you suspect your cat is stressed or have noticed changes in their behaviour, then speak to your vet.



Colours may vary

Feline Fort® features

The Feline Fort® consists of three pieces to be used individually or together in a variety of configurations. It is made from premium UV stabilised polyethylene; an extremely durable material. It will not crack or discolour, will stand up to most chemicals, is very easy to clean, will last for many years and it looks great too!



Cat Step

- Designed for 8kg cats but will tolerate human weight
- Assists access to the table
- Optional hiding place
- Place to perch
- Good for assisting access for senior cats



Cat Hide

- Security box with easy cat viewing
- Sleeping box – inside and on top
- Access to perch shelf in care
- Will suit standard sleeping pods
- Provides two entry/exit holes for added feline sense of safety
- Has a small hole for a heat pad cable



Cat Table

- Sleep area – 600mm height
- Privacy underneath for litter tray or kitting box
- Removable legs for easier storage

If you'd like more details or would like to purchase a Feline Fort®, please contact our National Helpline on: 03000 12 12 12 or email: helpline@cats.org.uk

Make a donation today and help us care for even more cats

If you would like to send a donation by cheque (payable to **Cats Protection**) then please send it to the address below:

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Feline Fort Appeal
Cats Protection
Freepost Sea 7878
Haywards Heath
RH17 7BR

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