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| A study was conducted to identify and estimate the prevalence of gastrointestinal helminthes of chickens in both domestic(open breeding) and farm breeding (closed breeding)in different area in Baghdad .Two hundred and sixty (260)chickens were examined for the presence of gastrointestinal parasites (130 chickens of each breeding). A total of four species were detected : *Ascaridia galli* 35(36.9%), *Raillietina tetragona 15(11.5%) 9(6.5%)* in domestic and farm breedings respectively. While *Heterakis gallinarum* 10(6.7%) and *Subulura brumpti* 7(5.3%) were found only in domestic chickens. Mixed infection was recorded in some cases. This study indicated that the prevalence of gastrointestinal parasite in local breeding was higher than farm breeding chickens.  | Abstract |