

PURDUE EXTENSION BOONE COUNTY

4-H SWINE WORKSHEETS

Grade 3-D



Name: _____

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Club Name: _____

Date: _____

1. Which of the following are not breeds of swine (circle all that apply):

Angus Hampshire Hereford Jersey Duroc

2. This breed originated in Butler and Warren Counties in Ohio.

3. _____ plays an important part in the weight of your pig.

4. Some heavy muscled pigs may carry an inherited defect known as

5. How many pork chops does a 250 pound pig typically yield?

a. 10-20

c. 50-60

b. 30-40

d. 60-70

6. Pigs require _____ in their diet for muscle formation.

7. _____ is the most essential of all nutrients.

8. _____ is the cheapest of all nutrients.

9. When ear-notching pigs the litter mark goes in the _____ ear and the individual pig mark goes in the _____ ear.

10. Pigs "toilet train" better in a _____ shaped pen.

a. round

c. square

b. rectangular

d. none of the above

Answers can be found in the OSU Swine Resource Handbook – 4-H 134R.

The Pig Show

Across

2. Avoid rushing, be _____.
4. Keep an eye on the _____ and on your pig at all times.
6. Know your animal's _____.
8. It is ok to tap your pig on the _____.
9. Tapping your pig on the ____ could bruise the cut.
10. The best _____ is made 15-20 feet from the judge.
11. _____ from your experience.

Down

1. Know what your pig _____.
3. Do not be _____ with your animal.
5. Know your pig's _____.
7. Know your pig's _____ date.

Word List:
 Alert
 Earnotch
 Eats
 Farrowing
 Judge
 Learn
 Loin
 Rough
 Shoulder
 Show
 Weight