

PURDUE EXTENSION BOONE COUNTY

4-H HORSE AND PONY WORKSHEETS

Grade 11-B



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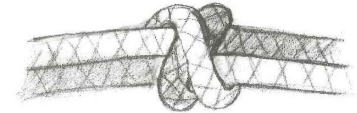
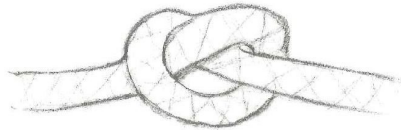
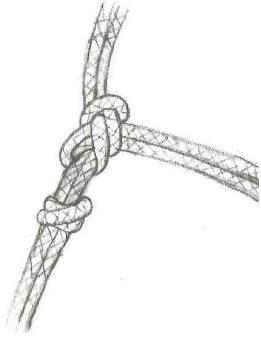
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1. Know Your Knots

Name the knot shown below.



2. Please answer the following questions about determining a horse's age

How many sets of teeth will a horse have during its life time and what are those teeth called?

How many teeth will a mature male horse have?

After a horse had reached 12 years of age, list three ways you can determine how old it is.

Answers can be found in the OSU Beginning Horse Management manual 4-H 174

3. Match the age with the description of a horse's teeth

Cups worn from lower intermediate incisors	6 years old
Dental stars appears on all incisors	7 years old
Smooth mouth; no cups	8 years old
Cups worn from lower central incisors	9 years old
Cups worn from all lower incisors	10 years old
Cups worn from upper central incisors; dental star appears on lower centrals & intermediate incisors	12 years old

4. Determine whether the following statements are True or False.

- T F Gates need to be at least 4 ft. high and 6 ft. long.
- T F Lining the sides of your feed box with aluminum will help deter rodents from getting in your horse's grain.
- T F A tack box is essential if you will be traveling to shows, fairs and trail rides.
- T F It is okay to leave a rope halter around your horse when you are not using it.