

# PURDUE EXTENSION BOONE COUNTY

## 4-H Rabbit WORKSHEETS

Grade 3-D



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Handling Your Rabbit – these are the correct steps for handling your rabbit.

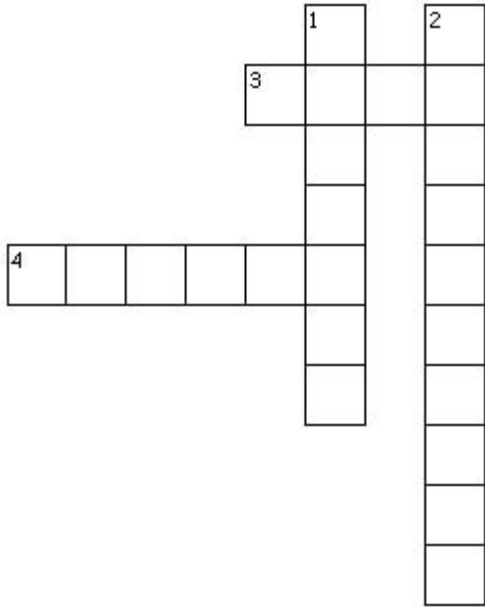
Fill in the blanks with the following words. Some words will be used more than once.

arm      arms      belly      break      carry      eyes      hand  
hutch      rabbit      release      rump      support      toe      weight

1. Put both of your \_\_\_\_\_ in the hutch. 2. Position one hand behind the rabbit's \_\_\_\_\_, while sliding the other hand underneath it's \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Lift the \_\_\_\_\_ to the hutch door, being careful to \_\_\_\_\_ its rump and hind legs with one hand. 4. Be sure to lift the rabbit toward you so that you do not \_\_\_\_\_ or pull the rabbit's toenails, or catch a \_\_\_\_\_ or foot on the wire. 5. Remove the rabbit headfirst from the \_\_\_\_\_.
6. With your hands still supporting the rabbit's \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, gently lift the rabbit upwards and tuck it under your \_\_\_\_\_. In this position the rabbit's \_\_\_\_\_ should be covered by your elbow. 7. Release one \_\_\_\_\_ from the rabbit's belly and place it underneath the rump to support its \_\_\_\_\_.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ the rabbit in this manner over to the table. 9. At the table, \_\_\_\_\_ the rabbit from under your arm while still supporting the rabbit's weight with one \_\_\_\_\_ underneath its rump. 10. Place the \_\_\_\_\_ on the table.

Answers can be found in the OSU Rabbit Resource Handbook – 4-H 228R.

Answer the questions to complete the crossword puzzle. Use the words provided.



**Down**

1. You will give your rabbit water in this.
2. You will put your rabbit in this to nest.

**Across**

3. You will keep your rabbit in this.
4. You will give your rabbit food in this.

feeder

nestingbox

waterer

cage

**Questions to answer about your project. If you have more than one rabbit choose one of them to answer the questions about.**

1. What breed is your rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How old is your rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What sex is your rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What variety is your rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What do you like most about taking care of your rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. What do you NOT like about taking care of your rabbit? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

