

PURDUE EXTENSION BOONE COUNTY

4-H Rabbit WORKSHEETS

Grade 6-B



Name: _____

Grade: _____

Club Name: _____

Date: _____

1. Nutrition & Health. The first column is the deficiency symptom. Write in the second column what mineral is needed to correct the deficiency.

Deficiency Symptoms	Mineral Needed
Muscular Dystrophy	
Weak or dead offspring	
Weight loss, reproductive problems	
Rickets, tetany, brittle bones (2 answers)	
Anemia (2 answers)	
Depressed Growth	

2. List the 10 essential amino acids

1.	6.
2.	7.
3.	8.
4.	9.
5.	10.

3. What are amino acids used for? Why are they necessary? _____
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4. **Toenail Clippings.** Answer each statement as True or False:

You should use a dog toenail clipper to clip a rabbit's toe nails. _____

Be careful not to clip the quick. It contains dirt. _____

It is easier to clip dark nails. _____

Start by clipping ¼ inch below the quick and carefully work upward. _____

Trim on a 45 degree angle toward the nail. _____

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

5. **Tattooing.** Fill in the blanks:

When tattooing a rabbit, you should place the tattoo in the _____ ear. The _____ ear is used for their ARBA registration number. Rabbits should be tattooed when they are separated from their _____. You should use even numbers for the _____ and odd numbers for the _____. Make sure you have the correct _____ by testing it on a piece of _____. Clean the area of the _____ between the _____ with a cotton swab soaked in _____.

6. What is Quality Assurance? _____

7. What are the 4 parts to Quality Assurance?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

8. Good rabbit husbandry requires knowledge of the following 6 areas:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

9. What health issues or concerns have you had this year involving your rabbits?

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