

PURDUE EXTENSION BOONE COUNTY

4-H SHEEP WORKSHEETS

Grade 3-C



Name: _____

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Club Name: _____

Date: _____

1. True or False? All sheep are raised for their meat.

2. A male sheep of any age is called a _____.

3. The wool from a sheep is called the _____.

4. When selecting a lamb for your 4-H project you should consider breed, size and _____.

5. True or False? The animal's living environment is important in order to have a successful project.

6. The proportion of body parts refers to the lamb's _____.

7. How much does an ideal market lamb weigh?
 - a. 80 - 95 pounds
 - b. 95-100 pounds
 - c. 115-140 pounds
 - d. Over 140 pounds

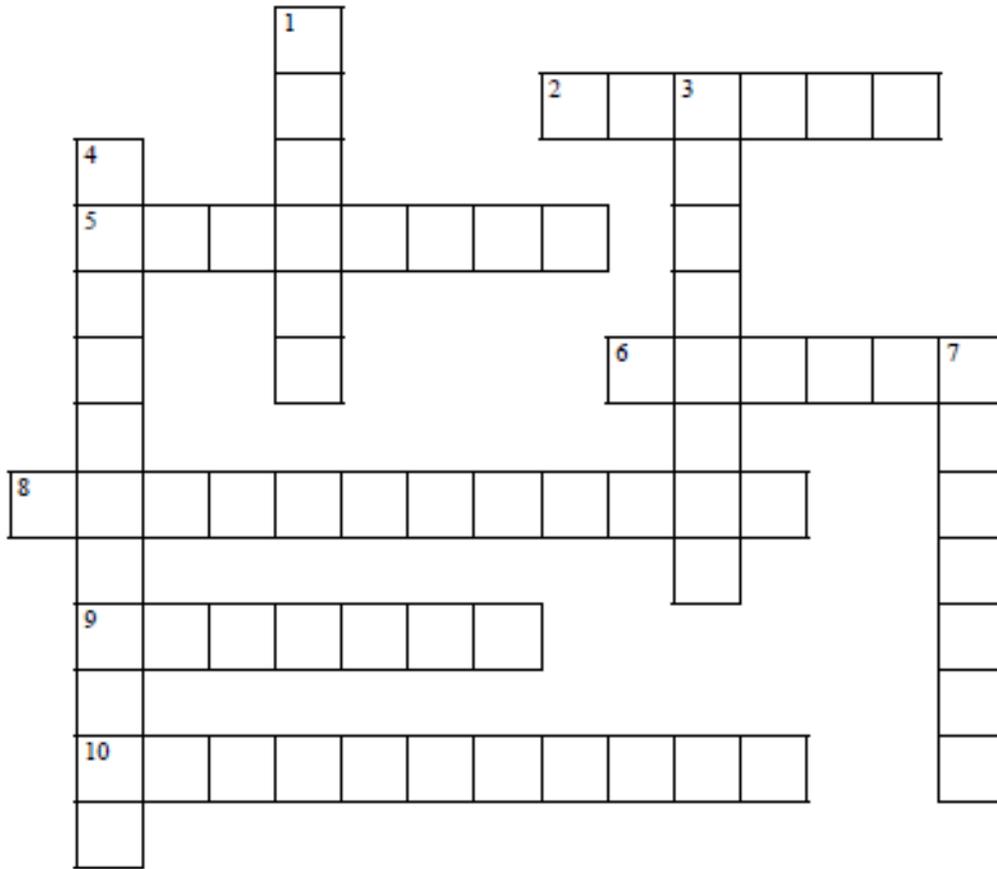
8. Which of the following are breeds of sheep? (circle all that apply)
 - a. Border Cheviot
 - b. Hampshire
 - c. Hereford
 - d. Merino

9. True or False? Suffolk lambs are known for their mothering ability and fleece quality?

10. True or False? Finn sheep were developed in Finland.

Answers can be found in the OSU Sheep Resource Handbook – 4-H 194R.

11. Sheep Equipment Crossword Puzzle



Down:

1. Place the top portion of this behind the lamb's ears.
3. Used when grooming to straighten out the tip of each fiber to get an even trim.
4. Used to measure rectal temperature of the lamb.
7. Used to give shots or to feed weak lambs.

Across:

2. Have these on hand to rub lambs down after they are born.
5. When lambing during cold weather, use this for additional warmth.
6. Use these to determine when your lamb has reached the ideal market weight.
8. Use these regularly to prevent bone malformation and an incorrect walk.
9. Use these to identify your lambs.
10. This used is for docking the tail.