

PURDUE EXTENSION BOONE COUNTY

4-H SWINE WORKSHEETS

Grade 5-C



Name: _____

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1. Failure to provide the necessary _____, _____, and _____ for your pigs will result in overcrowding and poor performance.

2. How many square feet per pig do pigs weighing 40-100 pounds need?

3. The pig's sleeping area should be cool in the _____ and warm in the _____.

4. For nipple waterers you should have at least _____ per pen.

5. Which of the following are factors that affect the pig's environment?
(circle all that apply)

a. Weight

d. Humidity

b. Temperature

e. Air Movement

c. Water

f. Feed

6. The best way of reducing odor in your facilities is to: _____

7. Most animal related accidents are the result of "_____ - _____".

8. To reduce exposure to disease, animal handlers should use:

9. What are the two main differences between farrowing crates and pens?

1. _____

2. _____

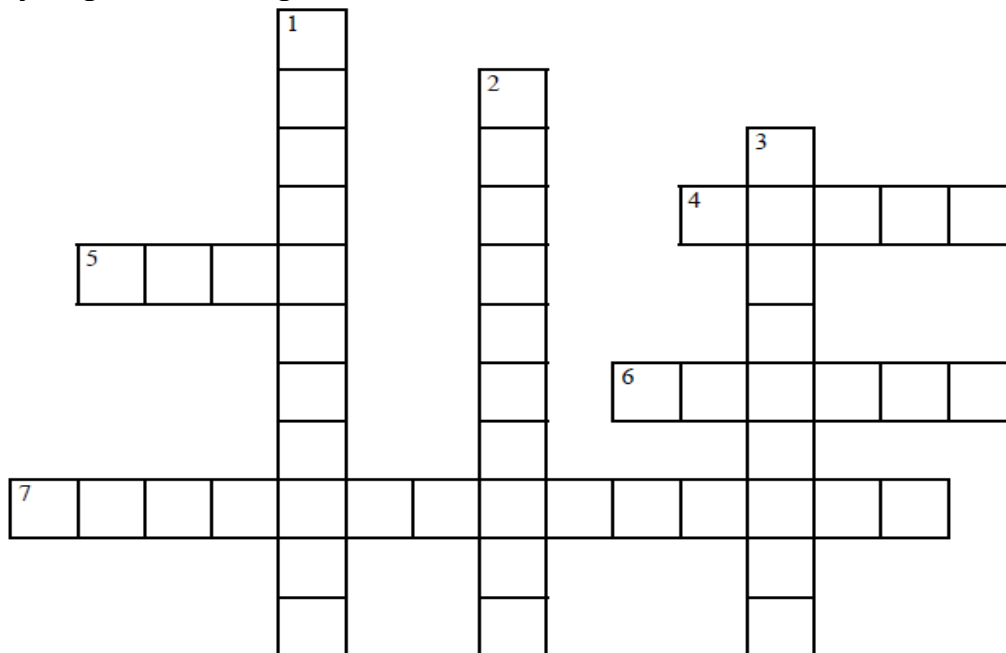
Answers can be found in the OSU Swine Resource Handbook – 4-H 134R.

10. Why do baby pigs need a much warmer environment than sows?

11. What provides baby pigs immediate protection from common infections?

- a. Standardization
- b. Colostrum
- c. Farrowing
- d. Milk Substitutes

12 Baby Pig Processing – Crossword



Across:

- 4. Side cutters and ear-notches are important ____ to have when processing.
- 5. An _____ injection is important to prevent anemia.
- 6. A new _____ of pigs should be processed within 24 hours of birth.
- 7. Ear notching is the most common method of pig _____.

Down:

- 1. Tools should be _____ between each pig.
- 2. _____ is a routine practice for male pigs.
- 3. To prevent biting and infection clip needle teeth and _____.