



4-H POULTRY WORKSHEET

Grade 10



Name: _____

4-H Club: _____

Use Chapters 19 and 21 to answer the following questions.

1. Name four of the egg marketing categories.

i. _____

ii. _____

iii. _____

iv. _____

2. What should you do to prevent bruising of the meat during and after slaughter?

3. The period of time required after the drug is “withdrawn” from the animal’s food or water supply prior to consuming any part of the animal or egg is called the _____ period.

4. If you wash your eggs, wash them in _____ solution and refrigerate because you have washed off the _____ which is a natural protective layer.

5. There are 4 main steps of processing poultry. What are they?

i. _____

ii. _____

iii. _____

iv. _____

Answers can be found in Storey’s Guide to Raising Poultry

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6. Chapter 21 is all about marketing your products. One of the first steps in marketing is to create a business plan. Use the space below to create your own business plan (real or imagined) for your poultry. What are you selling? How will you prepare it? What volume can you produce? How will you market and price it? Where will you sell it? Include anything else you feel is important.

DeKalb County 4-H Poultry Record Sheet

Year _____

Pullets _____ Layers _____ Exhibition Birds _____ Waterfowl Game Birds _____

Type of Housing used _____ Date project started _____

Date hatched or date and age of poultry when received: _____

Describe one or more of your poultry species in this section:

Breed _____ Style of Comb _____

Color _____ Type of Feathers _____

Vaccination Date(s) _____

Number of hours per week spent on this project. _____

(Includes feeding, grooming, general care, and getting birds ready for the fair.)

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Summary of Expenses & Income

(see next page)

Income:

Selling of birds _____

Selling of Eggs _____

Other Income _____

Income Total _____

Expenses:

Feed Cost _____

Health Care &

Veterinary Expenses _____

Equipment & Supplies _____

Miscellaneous Expenses _____

Expense Total _____

Profit or Loss _____

Expense Record

1. The following tables are designed to be a diary of expenses. Use additional sheets as necessary.
2. Transfer the totals to the Summary of Expenses on front

Feed Cost

Date	Item Purchased	Units or Volume	Unit Cost	Total Cost
Total Cost				

Equipment & Supplies (bedding, housing, fencing, etc.)

Date	Item Purchased	Cost
Total Cost		

Health Care & Veterinary Expenses

Date	What Was Done	Cost
Total Cost		

Miscellaneous Expenses

(Manure Handling, transportation fee, cost of poultry, etc.)

Date	Item Purchased	Cost
Total Cost		