



4-H DRAFT ANIMAL WORKSHEET

Grade 6



Name: _____ 4-H Club _____

Using the parts of the horse word list, fill in the blanks with the correct horse part word.

Back	Croup	Eye	Forehead	Hock
Loin	Muzzle	Neck	Poll	Throat latch

- The lower portion of the face, nose, mouth, and lower jaw. _____ z _____
- The part connecting the horse's head to its body. _____ e _____
- The part of the back on each side of the spine from the last rib following to the hip joint. _____ i _____
- The organ of sight. _____ y _____
- The front part of the head between the base of the ears and the eyes.
_____ h _____
- The top part of the horse's shoulders, loin, and hind quarters. _____ c _____
- The middle joint or area of the hind leg between the foot and the hip that carries the horse and serves as its pivot point. _____ c _____
- The area between the base of the ears. _____ l _____
- The area between the loin and the base of the tail. _____ r _____
- The area underneath where the head and neck meet.
_____ t _____

11. Identify the following equipment.





12. Good hay is free from _____.
13. What should good hay look like? _____

14. Why is it important to know how much your horse weighs when feeding it? _____

15. How much does your horse weigh? _____
16. You should feed about 2 pounds of hay for every 100 pounds that your horse weighs. How much hay should your horse get? _____
17. How would you explain to someone else how to tie a quick release knot? _____

18. What is showmanship? _____

19. List 6 rules for Safe Handling _____

20. Fill in the chart for Draft Horse Breeds

Breed	Origin	Color	Characteristics
Belgian			
	Scotland		
		Grey, black	
Shire			
			16 to 17 hands

DEKALB COUNTY DRAFT ANIMAL RECORD

You need to be keeping Monthly records. Use separate pages to record your monthly data and use this form to summarize your information.

Financial Summary	
Item	Cost
Income	
Value of all 4-H animals (Table 1)	
Any other income from project (i.e. Open Shows)	
Total Income	\$
Expenses	
Cost of animals/breeding fee if applicable	
Boarding fee	
Health Costs: Veterinary/medical fees/health/ferrier fees (Table 2)	
Feed costs \$ amount from summary on back page (Table 3)	
Housing or Rent	
Manure Handling (cost of or value of)	
Bedding (cost of or value of)	
Fencing (cost of or value of)	
Transportation (to & from meetings, shows, etc.)	
Equipment and Tack (feed, show, groom)	
Other (List)	
Total Expenses	\$
Income – Expenses: Actual or Projected Profit (loss)	
	\$

Table 1. Inventory of 4-H Project Animals

Animal's Name	Breed	Sex	Birthdate	Value
Total Value of All 4-H Animals =				\$

Table 2. Health Management Records: Veterinary/medical/health/ferrier fees

Yearly Costs (Actual + Estimated) of Supplies and Services for each Animal						
Animal	Shots	Worming	Dental	Coggins	Hoof Care	Other
Cost Totals	a.	b.	c.	d.	e.	f.
Total Yearly Health Cost = a + b + c + d + e + f = \$						

Table 3: Feed Record for All 4-H Animals

Hay Record	Number of Hay Bales	Avg. Hay cost/value	Cost per month
<i>example</i>	8	\$3.00	8 x \$3 = \$24
April			
May			
June			
Total cost for quarter year			a.
Number of Animals x (a.)Total Cost x 4 (quarters in a year) = Avg. yearly Hay cost (A.) \$			
Pasture Record	Number of Days	Avg. Cost per Day	Cost per month
April		\$0.20	
May		\$0.20	
June		\$0.20	
Total cost for quarter year			b.
Number of Animals x (b.)Total Cost x 4 (quarters in a year) = Avg. yearly Pasture cost (B.) \$			
Grain/Concentrate	Number of Pounds	Cost per Pound	Cost per month
April			
May			
June			
Total cost for quarter year			c.
Number of Animals x (c.)Total Cost x 4 (quarters in a year) = Average yearly Grain cost (C.) \$			
Supplements	Number of Pounds	Cost per Pound	Cost per month
April			
May			
June			
Total cost for quarter year			d.
Number of Animals x (d.)Total Cost x 4 (quarters in a year) = Avg. yearly Supp. cost (D.) \$			
Total Average Yearly Feed Cost = A. + B. + C. + D. = \$			