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2026 Llama and Alpaca Questions

The Llama Alpaca Resource Handbook is available through the Floyd County Ext. Office

*MUST READ pages 9 & 10 to answer the first 3 questions

1. When and where did the camelid family originate?

When:

- a. 10,000 years ago
- b. 1 million years ago
- c. 10 million years ago
- d. 55 million years ago

Where:

- a. North America
- b. South America
- c. Africa
- d. Europe

2. What are the four countries modern day South American camelids originate from?

- a. Brazil
- b. Argentina
- c. Chile
- d. Peru
- f. Columbia
- g. Bolivia

3. What is the average height and weight of:

Guanaco: _____

Llama: _____

Vicuna: _____

Alpaca: _____

*MUST READ page 17-19 to find the answers

4. Poor quality/less desirable fiber can be used as mulch in the garden.

True or False? _____

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5. What are the six fiber types for llamas, and the two fiber types for alpacas?

Llamas:

Alpacas:

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6. What is the Three Cut Method used for?

a. Shearing

c. Performance

b. Toenails

d. Halter

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7. List four types of parasites (common names), and where it can be found on the animal

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8. circle what a parasite control program may involve

- a. Monthly Ivermectin
- b. Mowing Grass
- c. Cleaning feeding/watering areas regularly
- d. Fecals
- e. Feeding Alfalfa

9. What are four ways to tell llamas and alpacas apart?

***MUST READ pages 50-57 for questions 10-12**

10. What is the daily protein requirement for llamas and alpacas?

- a. 30%
- b. 16%
- c. 10%
- d. 25%

11. Which is NOT one of the five main minerals llamas/alpacas require?

- a. Magnesium
- b. Copper
- c. Zinc
- d. selenium
- e. Posphorus
- f. Calcium

12. Circle three “feedstuffs” listed for llamas and alpacas

- a. Alfalfa products
- b. Whole grain wheat
- c. Castor bean
- d. Cinnamon
- e. Dried peas
- f. Dried sugar beet pulp

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13. Label each body part on the llama

Basic Anatomy of the Llama

