

4-H Swine Knowledge Quiz

Circle the correct answer for each question.

1. What is the normal body temperature range for a healthy pig?
A. 95–97°F
B. 98–100°F
C. 101–103°F
D. 104–106°F
2. True or False: Fresh, clean water should be available to pigs at all times.
3. Which nutrient is MOST important for muscle growth in market hogs?
A. Fat
B. Protein
C. Fiber
D. Minerals
4. True or False: Swine should be fed at the same time each day to help reduce stress.
5. What is the primary purpose of brushing a show pig?
A. Improve muscle size
B. Remove dirt and promote skin health
C. Reduce feed intake
D. Train the pig to walk
6. True or False: Pigs are more sensitive to heat stress than cold stress.
7. Which of the following is a sign of a healthy pig?
A. Lethargy and coughing
B. Dull eyes and rough hair coat
C. Bright eyes and active behavior
D. Refusal to eat
8. True or False: Proper pen sanitation helps reduce disease and parasite problems.
9. What piece of equipment is commonly used to guide a pig in the show ring?
A. Halter
B. Show cane or whip
C. Rope
D. Collar
10. True or False: Overfeeding can negatively affect a pig's performance and health.