

PURDUE EXTENSION NOBLE COUNTY

4-H DOG WORKSHEETS

Grade 12-B



Name: _____

4-H Club: _____

Leader Signature: _____

Date: _____

1. A dog has four _____ which are used to capture, grasp, and tear prey.
2. To control your dog in showmanship, you must establish control of its _____.
3. The mesocephalic skull is characterized by what two dog breeds?

4. The dog food you use costs \$.50 per pound, and the label on the feed bag recommends that you feed your dog $2\frac{1}{2}$ cups per day. How much will it cost to feed your dog for a year? Show your work below.

5. Why can a dog only see part of the colors in the spectrum? _____

6. A female's estrous cycle is typically referred to as being _____.
7. What is the gestation period for a dog? _____.
8. What is the most important of the five senses in communication between humans and dogs? _____
9. Define operant conditioning in the space provided. _____

10. _____ refers to the ability of protein to be used by the body and its amount of usable amino acids.

Answers can be found in 4-H Dog Resource Handbook, 4-H 201R except those specific to your own dog

11. Definitions. Write the letter corresponding to the definition next to the correct term on the left.

- Targeting ___ a. A word or sound that signals to a dog his behavior is correct, e.g. "good dog!"
Bait ___ b. To pose a dog.
Bridge ___ c. Area of the back between the last rib and the hip.
Lure ___ d. Teaching a dog to touch or follow your left hand
Stack ___ e. To move a dog at a trot.
Loin ___ f. A treat carried by a trainer that a dog follows.
Withers ___ g. Food or other object to hold a dog's attention
Gait ___ h. Area at the top of the shoulder where it meets the neck.

12. Foods to avoid. Match the hazard with the food type by writing the letter next to the food item below.

<u>Food item</u>	<u>Hazard to Dogs</u>
Sugar-free products ___	a. These foods cause diarrhea.
Raw eggs ___	b. This food has been linked to liver damage.
Raw onions ___	c. Contain a toxin that can damage kidneys and lead to renal failure
Uncooked starches ___	d. Can interfere with heart function
Grapes & Raisins ___	e. Can cause dogs to become deficient in the vitamin biotin.
Chocolate ___	f. May cause hypoglycemia and liver failure

13. List five diseases for which core vaccines are used routinely in a preventive dog health program.

14. What bone do humans have that is absent from a dog's anatomy? _____