

PURDUE EXTENSION NOBLE COUNTY

4-H HORSE AND PONY WORKSHEETS

Grade 12-A



Name: _____

4-H Club: _____

Leader Signature: _____

Date: _____

1. Match the type of horse with the uses of the horse.

Stock	Used for pleasure and trail riding
Draft	Used in the horse-racing industry
Hunter	Used for farming and to transport freight
Easy-Gaited	Used for working livestock
Racing	Used in both the hunt field and the show ring

2. Define the following reproduction terms

Anestrous - _____

Diestrus - _____

Estrus - _____

Colt- _____

Filly- _____

Produce- _____

Get- _____

Answers can be found in the OSU Beginning Horse Management manual 4-H 174

3. True or False. Please circle the T or F. If it is a false statement, explain why it is a false statement.

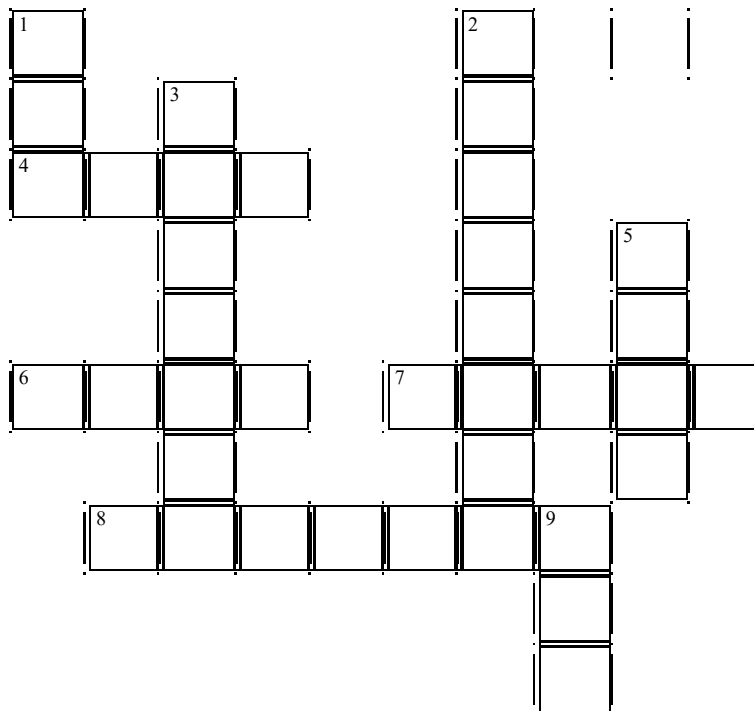
T or F In the winter months, mares usually do not cycle.

T or F The average cycle of a mare is 30 days.

T or F Normally fillies and colts reach puberty between 12 and 18 months of age

T or F Because fillies and colts reach puberty around the same time, it is a good idea to keep them together until they reach 18 months old.

4. Reproduction Term Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- 2 The male parent
- 4 A mature female horse
- 6 The name for a breeding stallion
- 7 A female offspring; also an immature female horse
- 8 A male horse that has been castrated

DOWN

- 1 The female parent
- 2 A mature male horse
- 3 The offspring of the dam
- 5 A male offspring; also an immature male horse
- 9 The offspring of a sire