



Steuben County 4-H Beef, Beef Feeder, Dairy Feeder, Dairy Steer & Started Calf Worksheet

Grade 6



Name: _____ 4-H Club _____

Use Chapter 9 to answer the following question:

1. What is the difference in how to set your cow's feet if the judge is in front of the cow as opposed to viewing it from the side?

Use Chapter 7 to answer the following questions:

2. What are the five essential nutrients for beef cattle.

- a. _____ b. _____ c. _____
- d. _____ e. _____

3. How do you make sure that your cow(s) get ALL these essential nutrients?

4. Review the section on roughage. How many pounds of hay should you feed daily? _____.

It is always important to investigate your hay for what? _____.

Use Chapter 2 to answer the following questions:

5. What trait often does not receive enough emphasis in the selection process? _____

6. What are three disadvantages to a calf with a poor disposition?

Use Chapter 11 to answer the following questions:

7. Fill in the the blanks about Getting Ready for Show. Use a _____ to make setting up your animal easier. As you lead your animal hold the _____ in your _____ hand and the _____ in the _____ hand.

Use Chapter 6 to answer the following questions:

8. List the three mating systems.

a. _____ b. _____ c. _____

9. List two reasons to use A.I.

Use Chapter 10 to answer the following questions:

10. Identify the 4 influences of the value of market animals.

a. _____ b. _____

c. _____ d. _____

11. How does location influence market animal's value and what effect does it have on the animal?

Use Chapter 12 to answer the following question:

12. Review Quality Assurance Factors. What are the four topics important to livestock quality and to the producer and describe them.

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

Completed (40 possible)	_____
Accuracy of answers (30 possible)	_____
Appropriate grammar (15 possible)	_____
Neatness of record (15 possible)	_____
Total	_____

A = 86-100 points
B = 71-85 points
C = 70 points or less

Answers to these questions can be found in the "Beef Resource Handbook" 4-H 117R