



Wabash County 4-H Goat Worksheet

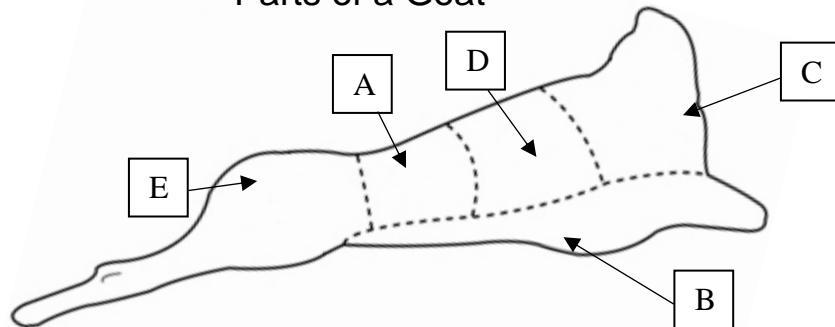


Grade 5

Name: _____ 4-H Club _____

Answers to these questions can be found in the "Goat Resource Handbook" 4-H 135R

1. Parts of a Goat



- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____

Label the parts from the words listed below.

Shoulder Loin Leg Rack Fore Shank/Breast

2. Look in Chapter 6, goats' hooves are like your own _____ and need to be trimmed _____. It is recommended that they are trimmed every _____. What are three things that overgrown hooves can cause?

3. Chapter 15 says the keys to preparing your animals for showing are _____ and _____. Clipping your goats should be done _____ days prior to the show. When clipping an animal for the first time you should start at the _____ because _____.

4. Chapter 15 discusses Show Ring Ethics. In what ways can unethical practices impact your animal? _____

What are three reasons that you have decided to show goats in 4-H?

5. Chapter 5 covers Nutrition, listing 6 essential nutrients for goats. They are: _____

With a goat's body being composed of _____% water, its important to make sure we provide _____ water at all times. They may consume up to _____ gallons of water a day.

6. In Chapter 9, there are two types of Utility Goats:

What are the similarities in choosing goats to be utility goats (what makes them ideal):

7. In Chapter 11, the type of bedding you use is important. The most common types are:

What type of bedding do you use for your animals and how often do you take care of the manure from your animal(s)? _____

8. Chapter 5 states that goats have a _____ digestive. What are the four componets that a ruminant's digestive system is composed of? _____

9. Look in Chapter 2 for help. What breed of goat(s) will you bring to the fair? List 2 specific things you know about that breed. _____

