

Shelby County Junior Fair Skillathon

STUDY GUIDE B – CAVIES

Station Topic	Pages in Resource Manual	Beginner	Intermediate	Senior
Nutrition & Digestive Systems	19; 43-46	Identify 4 parts of the cavy internal anatomy and answer two questions regarding the cavy's unique vitamin requirements.	Identify 8 parts of the cavy internal anatomy and answer two questions regarding the cavy's unique vitamin requirements.	Identify 8 parts of the cavy internal anatomy and answer four questions regarding the cavy's unique vitamin requirements and foods to avoid.
Selection & Breeding	55-59	Describe and identify boar, sow and pup and the approximate gestation length of the cavy. Define purebred.	Describe and identify boar, sow and pup and the approximate gestation length of the cavy. Identify ideal breeding age for cavies and when parturition would occur based on given breeding dates. Define purebred and crossbred.	Describe and identify boar, sow and pup and the approximate gestation length of the cavy. Identify ideal breeding age for cavies and when parturition would occur based on given breeding dates. Define purebred, crossbred, line breeding and inbreeding.
Animal ID & Recordkeeping	37-42	Identify proper order of ear tagging procedures.	Identify proper order of ear tagging procedures and two answer questions about a pedigree.	Identify proper order of ear tagging procedures and answer four questions about a pedigree.
Quality Assurance	2019 GPPs for Quality Assurance: #7 – Practice Good Environmental Stewardship #8 – Maintain Proper Workplace Safety #9 – Provide Proper Animal Handling and Care http://go.osu.edu/shelbyQA			