

Premier Exhibitor Study Guide

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Tests are created using the Colorado 4-H Project manuals/Resource Handbooks (order form can be found on the ADCO 4-H website listed under Leader Resources).

- **Reproduction/Breeding**
 - Age
 - Traits to breed for
 - Gestation length
 - Genetics
 - Hormones/Breeding Cycle
- **Health**
 - Weight/body condition scoring
 - Biosecurity
 - Common diseases/parasites and their treatments
- **MQA**
 - Meat quality
 - Housing
 - Handling
 - Feed and Medication labels
 - Identification
- **Animal Breed Identification**
 - Classifications
 - History
 - What they are typically used for
- **Feed/Nutrition**
 - Essential feed/nutrients
 - Feed/nutrients at different ages
- **Animal Anatomy**
 - Body
 - Meat cuts
 - Digestive
 - Selection/judging criteria of animal
- **Industry trends**