Oklahoma Youth Expo Skillathon

Intermediate Study Guide

Fill out this study guide in full to prepare for the Skillathon.

Oklahoma Youth Expo, USDA and Oklahoma Dept. of Agriculture: Know important dates, board and leadership.

Carcass Traits: What is marbling?

What are retail cuts of meat?

How many primal cuts of beef are there?

What is loss of weight during shipping?

Understand how byproducts from an animal carcass can be utilized.

What are yield grades?

Diseases:

Know common animal diseases and response.

What are vesicular diseases?

Genetics: Understand dominant and recessive traits.

What is phenotype?

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Animal Species (Cattle, Swine, Sheep and Goats): List the Latin term for each.

List all names of the genders within each species.

Know the gestation periods for all species.

Understand the average body temperature for each.

Understand care given following birth.

Know breeds within each species.