



Nevada County 4-H *Animal Science* Proficiency Program



LEVEL II – PRODUCER

NAME: _____

CLUB: _____

PROJECT: _____

PRIMARY MEMBERS ARE NOT ELIBIGLE TO PARTICIPATE IN PROFICIENCY PROGRAMS.

1. Identify and describe six breeds or species in your project.

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____
- 6. _____

2. Describe which breeds of your animal are used for different purposes. (food, fiber, show, breeding, working, etc.)

3. Describe the desirable characteristics in the conformation of your animal.

4. Describe the preparation and maintenance of facilities needed for your animal during production, breeding, and birthing.

5. Describe the stages and length of gestation for your animal.

6. Describe how to sanitize your animal's equipment.

7. Describe or demonstrate what you can do to protect your animal during hot and cold weather.

8. Describe control measures for at least three diseases or problem conditions for your animal.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

9. Describe competency in showmanship for your animal.

10. Describe some textural differences between species. Identify how/why color is important in standards of your breed.

11. Attach a written account of your expenses (equipment, materials, vet care, etc) of your animal and compare it to the value.

_____ *Project Leader's signature* _____ *Date*

12. Display your animal outside of your project group.

I showed my animal on _____, *at* _____

_____ *Project Leader's signature* _____ *Date*

13. Help someone else by sharing your knowledge or by giving away a product from your project to demonstrate positive citizenship.

What I did:

_____ *Project Leader's signature* _____ *Date*

Congratulations!

You have completed Level II of the Animal Science Proficiency.

Name _____ Age _____

Club _____

Project _____

Project Leader's _____
Printed Name Signature

Date _____

County Coordinator's _____
Printed Name Signature

Date _____

