

# DAIRY CATTLE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

## Guidelines for Project Proficiency Award

Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Leaders Initials \_\_\_\_\_

### Beginning:

1. Name at least 5 breeds of Dairy Cattle.

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2. List the 4 main characteristics used to judge a Dairy Cow or Heifer.  
Please describe them briefly.

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3. What is colostrum and what is its function?

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4. Explain the proper feeding of your Dairy Heifer at least for its first 3 months

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5. To show a Dairy Heifer or Cow, the animal must be grade or registered. Please describe each of these terms and their differences.

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6. What are the three different ways you can mark your Dairy Heifer or Cow?

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Leaders Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_