

Poultry Project Judging (Skill-a-thon) Study Guide 2021

The poultry project judging skill-a-thon will be available July 1-17, 2021. All 4-H members taking any poultry (all poultry: chickens, ducks, turkeys, etc) project are required to take the skill-a-thon as part of their project completion and 4-H eligibility to participate in the Geauga County Fair. Scores will be given at the completion of each test. These scores are for completion purposes only.

Division Break-Down Topics:

Junior (Ages 8-11)	Intermediate (Ages 12-14)	Senior (Ages 15 and up)
Record Keeping	Record Keeping	Record Keeping
Body Parts: Wing	Body Parts: Feather	Diseases
Brooder Scenarios	Animal Health & Care	Animal Health & Care
Feed & Feed Tag	Feed & Feed Tag	Feed & Feed Tag
Animal Health & Care	Medication Label	Medication Label
Project Knowledge	Project Knowledge	Project Knowledge

Topic - Record Keeping

Record keeping is an important part of every project and you should be keeping records on your project. You will need to know why records are important to keep and what type of records should be kept. Your club advisor should review your book and sign off on its completion for the 2020 project year.

Topic – Body Parts

Juniors may be asked to identify parts of the wing. Intermediates may be asked to identify parts of the feather.

Topic – Diseases

Seniors may be asked to identify up to 10 poultry diseases and/or parasites.

Topic – Animal Health & Care

Juniors, Intermediates, and Seniors may be asked questions regarding poultry health and care.

Topic – Medication Label

Intermediates and Seniors may be asked questions by reading a medication label.

Topic – Brooder Scenarios

Juniors may be asked to identify various brooder scenarios.

Topic – Feed & Feed Tags

Juniors may be asked to answer questions by reading a feed tag and/or identify common feeds. Intermediates and Seniors may be asked to answer questions by reading a feed tag and/or identify common feeds and additives.

Topic – Project Knowledges

All members may be asked general questions about their project. This portion is fill in answer.