

St. Clair County 2020

4-H & Youth Fair



Poultry Project Record Book

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Exhibitor Name: _____ Years in Project: _____

Age as of 1/1/2020: _____ 4-H Club Name: _____

*Due on or before July 1st, 2020 to the Fair office Marysville or
the MSU Extension Office Port Huron*

Place photo of project animal/and or member here.

Members Signature: _____

Parent, Guardian or 4-H Leaders Signature: _____

Other 4-H project areas that you are involved in:

What species did you raise _____

What breed is your project animal/s _____

Market Poultry Only- Chickens, Turkeys, Geese, Ducks

Species	Breed	# Poults/Chicks Started	# Poults/Chicks Lost	Estimated Market Weight For A Single Bird

Include Photos of project birds here

Feed and Labor Record

Month start with Hatch Date	Brand of food used	Pounds of food	Cost of food	Cost of project animal/s	Hours spent caring for project
Totals	-----				

Check the Tag

Type of feed _____

Purpose _____

Pounds _____ % Protein _____

Three major ingredients: _____

Feeding instructions _____

Withdraw time _____

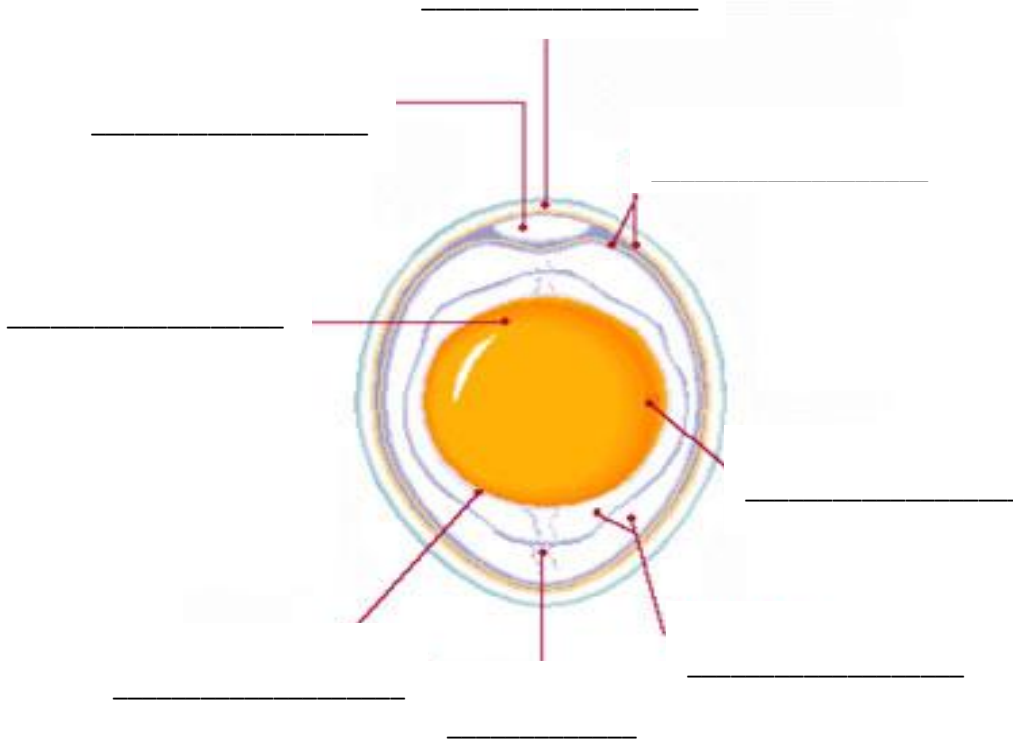
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Poultry Talk

_____ 1. Plumage	A	The two rows of broad feathers that cover the lower portion of the secondaries.
_____ 2. Wry Tail	B	A male turkey
_____ 3. Pullet	C	Miniature chickens usually 1/4 to 1/5 the size of a regular or large fowl.
_____ 4. Bantam	D	The portion of the leg below the hock.
_____ 5. Wing Coverts	E	The collective feather covering of the entire body of a fowl.
_____ 6. Split Wing	F	Female chicken over one-year old.
_____ 7. Cock	G	The tail of a fowl permanently carried to one side.
_____ 8. Axial Feather	H	Male chicken under one-year old.
_____ 9. Tom	I	The short feather growing between the primaries and secondaries of the wing.
_____ 10. Hen	J	Male chicken over one-year old.
_____ 11. Luster	K	Where there is a distinct gap between the primary and secondary feathers.
_____ 12. Shank	L	Female chicken under one-year old.
_____ 13. Cockerel	M	A brilliant glossy, appearance of the feather due to reflection of light.
_____ 14. Hackle	N	The enlarged part of the gullet lying at the front of the body at the base of the neck.
_____ 15. Crop	O	The rear and side neck plumage of a fowl.

Eggs 101

Label the parts of the egg.

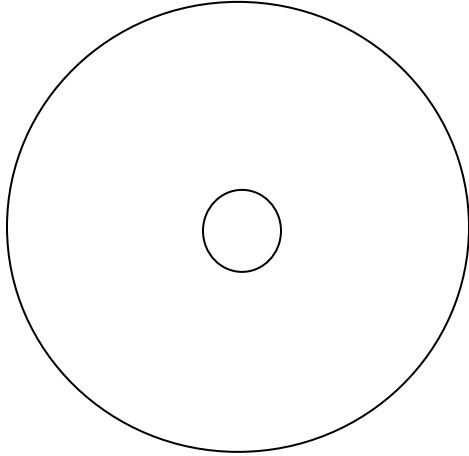


Match the term to the definition.

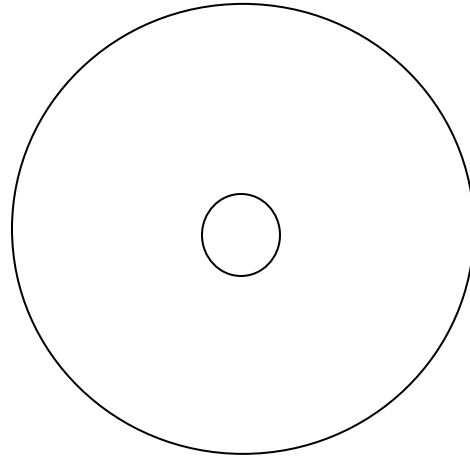
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| _____ 1. Shell | A | The yellow essential part of an egg |
| _____ 2. Air Cell | B | Part of the blastoderm that forms the embryo |
| _____ 3. Shell Membrane | C | A cavity containing air |
| _____ 4. Yolk | D | The white of an egg |
| _____ 5. Germinal Disk | E | Two twisted cords that connect the yolk to the shell membrane |
| _____ 6. Yolk Membrane | F | The hard exterior of an egg |
| _____ 7. Albumen | G | Membrane that protects the essential part of the egg |
| _____ 8. Chalaza | H | Lining the inner surface of the egg |

Brooder Care

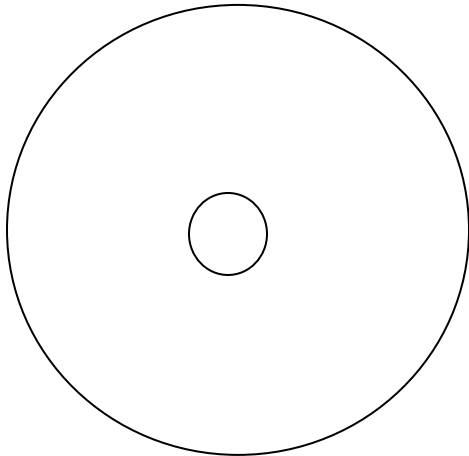
Draw what the chicks would look like for the following examples.



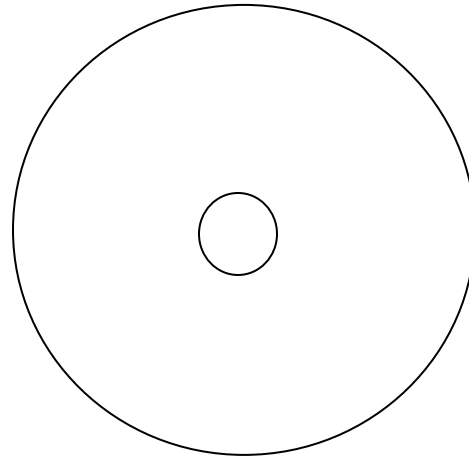
Too Hot



Just Right



Too Drafty



Too Cold

It takes _____ days to incubate chicken eggs.

_____ days to incubate turkey eggs.

_____ days to incubate duck eggs.

Housing

How did you house your birds and keep them healthy?

What did you learn most while doing this project?

Include photos/drawings of your poultry housing here

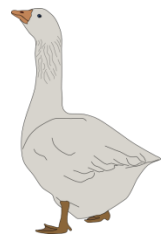
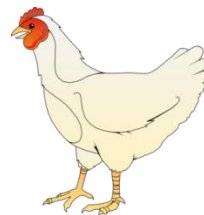
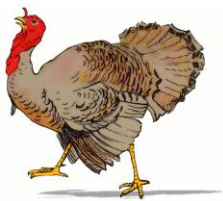
Proof of Hatch Date

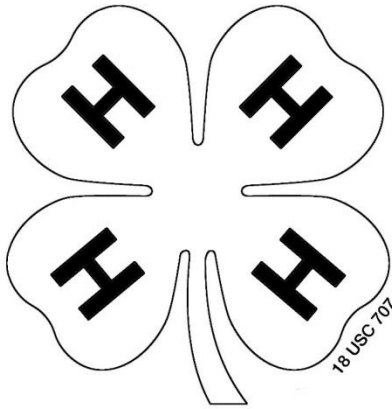
Place your receipt from purchasing your birds below. This shows the Proof of Hatch Date of your birds. If you have purchased your birds as a club, each member will need a copy.

What's the difference . . .

Hatch Date- Is the day that the birds are hatched.

Purchase Date- The date that the chicks are shipped.





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