

Brevard County 4-H Cloverbud

Rabbit

Record Book



Name: _____

Club Name: _____

Your Age (as of 9/1/25): _____

Years in 4-H: _____

Date Record Book Started _____ Date Completed _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

This year I want to learn these things about rabbits:

Choose at least two things from this activity list that you'd like to do this year.

___ Tell my club something I learned about my project.

___ Show my club something I learned to do with my project.

___ Go to a rabbit show, other than the Brevard County Fair.

___ Show my rabbit(s) at the Brevard County Fair.

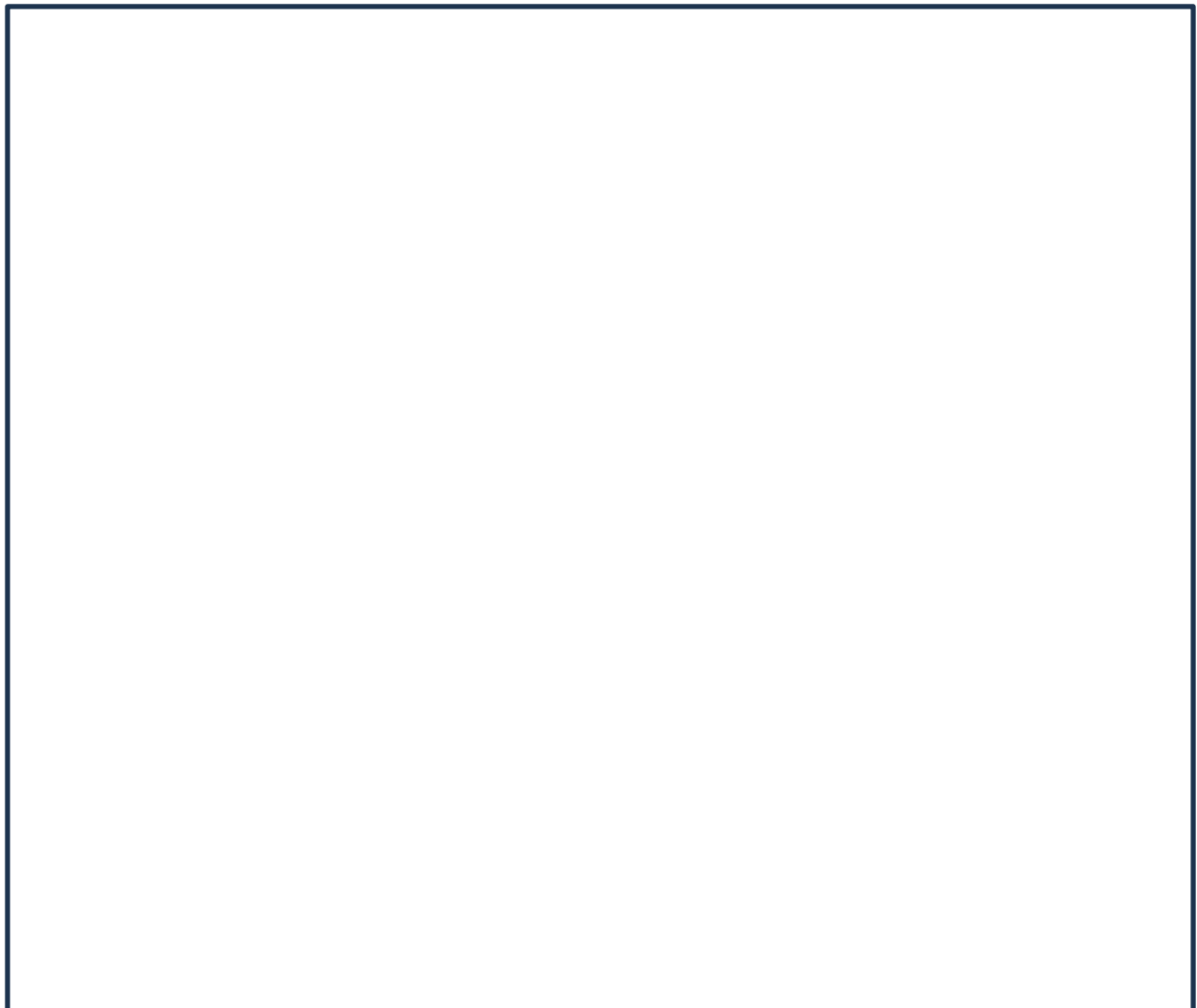
___ Take pictures of my project rabbits.

___ Other _____

History and Characteristics

- A. A male rabbit is called a buck, the female is called a doe, and the young are called kits.
- B. It takes 28 to 32 days from the time the doe is pregnant until she gives birth.
- C. A nesting box filled with straw is placed in the doe's hutch so she can make a nest before giving birth (called *kindling*).
- D. The number of young in a litter may vary from 4 to 10 kits.
- E. Adult rabbits need to have separate hutches.
- F. There are more than 40 breeds (*kinds*) of rabbits.
- G. You must use care when handling your rabbit. Rabbits can scratch when they don't feel safe. Learn how to pick up and carry your rabbit safely.

Draw or place a picture of you and your rabbit.



Information about Your Rabbit

Rabbit's Name: _____ Sex: _____

Color of Eyes: _____ Coat Color: _____

Special Markings: _____

Hair Length: Long _____ Short _____

Rabbit's Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Write a short story about where you got your rabbit.

Draw or place a picture of you and your rabbit.



Feeding your Rabbit

Rabbits need to be fed a balanced diet and fresh water every day. The pellets that rabbits eat are made from alfalfa and grain. Do not overfeed your rabbit. Don't leave uneaten food in the dish day after day. Store the food away from sunlight and moisture to keep it fresh. Clean the food and water dishes often to keep your rabbit healthy.

What is the name of the food you feed your rabbit? _____

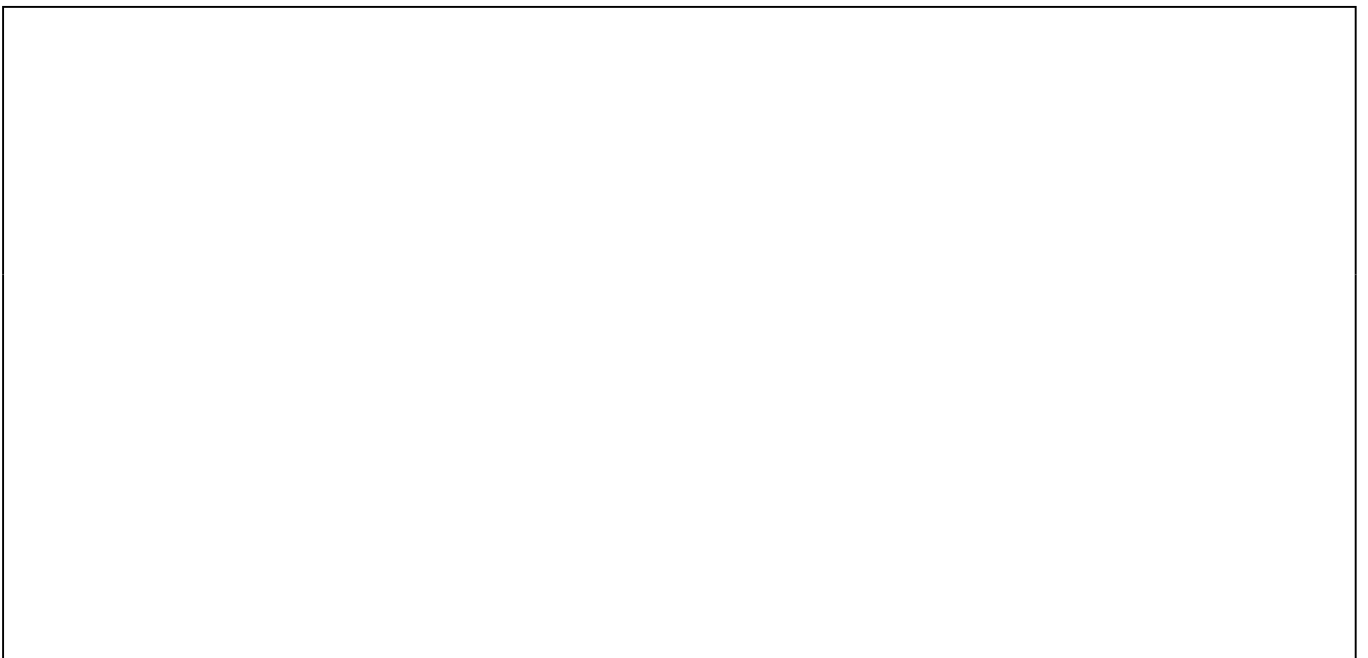
What are the ingredients? _____

What nutrition does it contain? _____

How much do you feed your rabbit a day? _____

A bag of feed costs _____ and weighs _____

Draw or place a picture of you feeding your rabbit.



My 4-H Rabbit Project Story

This page is your Project Story. You should write your story about your learning experience with your project rabbit. You will want to include what your rabbit has taught you, why you enjoy your rabbit, and how you show your rabbit love. Include details about any shows or exhibits you went to and ribbons or awards you won.

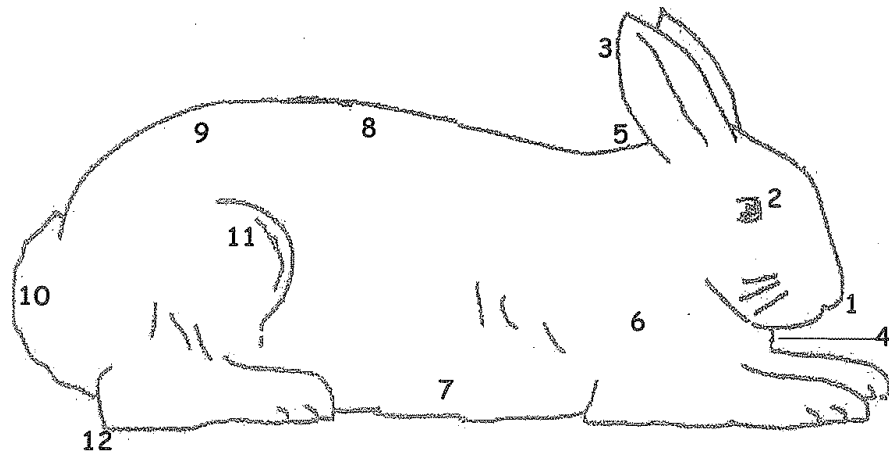
Member's Signature _____

Date _____

Leader's Signature _____

Date _____

Label the parts of the rabbit



Ear ____	Eye ____	Thigh ____	Belly ____
Neck ____	Tail ____	Loin ____	Dewlap ____
Rump ____	Hock ____	Shoulder ____	Nose ____



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