

The Linn County Fair 4H Rabbit Show Written Showmanship Quiz

STUDY GUIDE CAVY

Bring this study guide filled out to Check In and receive an extra 20 points on your Showmanship exam at fair.

Good luck! This looks like a lot of questions, but if you work on it a little bit each week you will have this done in no time. Remember you can use all types of resources including the internet. Be cautious when using the internet not everything is fact, and always double check.

1. To nurse or to produce milk in mammals is termed to:

- A. Lactate B. Parturition
- C. Gestation D. Colostrum

2. Who is the rabbit and cavy 4H project leader for Linn County?

3. What is the standard of perfection based on?

- A. Point System B. Opinion
- C. Prettiness D. Nothing

4. What is the written record of a cavy's family called? _____

5. What does show room classification mean? _____

6. Cavies need what vitamin in abundance in order to survive?

- A. Vitamin B12 B. Vitamin D
- C. Vitamin A D. Vitamin C

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7. Name all the breeds of Cavies recognized by the American Cavy Breeders Association.

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| 1. _____ | 2. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 5. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 8. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 11. _____ | 12. _____ |
| 13. _____ | | |

8. How many toes does a cavy have?

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| A. 12 | B. 14 |
| C. 16 | D. 20 |

9. What is the name of the variety of cavy that comes in red, black, and white?

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| A. Tortoiseshell and white | B. Tortoiseshell |
| C. Broken Black and Red | D. none of the above |

10. Are cavies a four class or a six class? _____

11. T or F? Cavies are a community based animal.

12. What vegetable does your cavy prefer best?

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13. How long is a cavy's gestation (pregnancy)?

- A. 21-24 day
- B. 69-74 days
- C. 30-35 days
- D. 50-55 days

14. Where were cavies first domesticated?

- A. North American
- B. Asia
- C. South American
- D. Africa

15. Name the five Satin breeds of cavies

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

16. What is the single most important thing in your animals' diet? _____

17. Which breed or breeds are known as a short haired breed of cavy?

- A. Peruvian
- B. Abyssinian
- C. Coronet
- D. American

18. This breed has a distinctive white rosette on the top of its head - _____.

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19. The vitality and finish of a coat in good health would be called:

- A. Cottony B. Clean
- C. Condition D. Bloom

20. What is a breeding trio? _____

21. What are the 6 showroom classifications in the Long Haired breeds?

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

22. T or F- Cavies are housed on solid flooring.

23. What is a male cavy called? _____

24. What is a female cavy called? _____

25. What is a baby cavy called? _____

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26. Where is the Crown located on the cavy?

- A. On the Belly
- B. On the nose
- C. In Front of the Shoulders
- D. Middle of the back

27. What age is it usually safest to start breeding a cavy?

- A. 2 months old
- B. 3 months old
- C. 6 months old
- D. 9 months old

28. What is Scurvy?

29. What is the ideal temperature for a cavy's cage?

- A. 55 – 75 degrees Fahrenheit
- B. 30 – 50 degrees Fahrenheit
- C. 65 – 84 degrees Fahrenheit
- D. 70 – 80 degrees Fahrenheit

30. T or F? A purebred cavy is not capable of reproducing itself in type, color, markings, fur, and other characteristics.

31. T or F? A crossbred cavy results when animals of different breeds are mated.

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32. What is the age of an intermediate cavy?

- A. 4-6 weeks old
- B. 3-6 months old
- C. 6-8 months old
- D. 4-6 months old

33. How many showroom classifications does the breed American come in? Can you name your favorite? _____

34. How many generations do a pedigree usually record?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four

35. Which ear of the cavy would have an American Rabbit Breeders Association Registrar's registration tag in it? _____

36. What is Kink when referencing show cavy? _____

37. List out 3 general disqualifications for cavy

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

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38. What is the distinguishing difference between a Peruvian and a Coronet?

39. What makes the satin coat different from the normal coat?

40. A form of malocclusion where the incisors meet evenly, without the upper incisors overlapping the lower incisors:

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| A. Peg teeth | B. Butting or butted teeth |
| C. Buck teeth | D. Wolf teeth |

41. Name the three variety showroom classifications for the Agouti patterns.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

42. Who is the American Rabbit Breeders Association president?

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43. What is the name of the Chartered ARBA club associated with Linn County?

44. Who is the District 3 Director for the American Cavy Breeders Association?

45. What is showmanship, and what does it mean to you?

46. Why do you raise rabbits/cavies?

47. How is the best way to cool a rabbit/cavy?

48. How often should you feed your rabbit/cavy?

49. How often should you clean your rabbit/cavy cage?

50. What is your goal for this year in the rabbit/cavy project area?