1. Ewe
2. Weaning
3. Trait
4. Spring Lamb
5. Litter
6. Lambing
7. Disease
8. Ram
9. Wether
10. Crossbred
11. Creep feeding
12. Dock
13. Breed
14. Feces
15. Feeder lamb
16. Sire
17. Ewe Lamb
18. Hock
19. Scours
20. Weaning
21. Conformation
22. Feeder pig
23. Colostrum

**Sheep Vocabulary & Terms**

Select the correct word to fit the definition from the list on the right.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: The birthing process in sheep.
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Giving lambs extra feed when they are still nursing.
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: A castrated male lamb.
4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: A female sheep that is over one year old.
5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Cutting the tails short on baby lambs.
6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Male parent of a specific lamb.
7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Intact male sheep.
8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Offspring produced from the mating of two or more breeds.
9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: A young female sheep.
10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: The shape and design of an animal.

**Body Parts**

Select the correct body part from the list on the right.

1. Back
2. Belly
3. Cheek
4. Dewclaws
5. Elbow
6. Eye
7. Ear
8. Rump
9. Breast
10. Muzzle
11. Rack
12. Hock
13. Loin
14. Knee
15. Twist
16. Neck
17. Pastern
18. Poll
19. Leg
20. Rump
21. Seam
22. Sheath
23. Shoulder
24. Ribs/Side
25. Flank
26. Stifle
27. Tail setting
28. Hoof
29. Underline
30. Dock



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**Breeds**

1. Hampshire
2. Ram Breeds
3. Suffolk
4. Dorset
5. Finnsheep
6. Ewe Breeds
7. Merino
8. Cheviot
9. Icelandic
10. Southdown
11. Columbia
12. Polypay
13. Corriedale

Select the correct answer from the list on the right.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: White faced breads are often known as “\_\_\_\_\_\_”. They usually produce more wool

 and more milk.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Black-faced breeds are sometimes called “\_\_\_\_\_”, they are used in commercial flocks

 to produce market/meat lambs.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: This black faced sheep originated in Southern England. They are large moderately

 prolific breed with wool caps, black faces and medium-wool fleeces

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Name three dual purpose breeds \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_:
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_: These sheep were imported to Canada from Finland in 1966 and to the U.S. in 1968,

 where they are primarily used to produce crossbred ewes. They are a small- to

 medium-sized, fine-boned, open-faced breed with medium-grade, good-staple

 length wool. Their wool is mainly white.

**General**

Select the correct word to complete the sentence correctly or to answer the question

1. Sloped top
2. Cow hocked
3. Strong topped
4. Judge
5. Auctioneer
6. Walks
7. 10 – 20 feet
8. 5 – 10 feet
9. 30 - 50 feet
10. Loin
11. Rack
12. Straight
13. 102.3
14. 70- 80
15. 12-20
16. .15” – 0.25”
17. .10” - 0.50”
18. Sleeps
19. Ringworm
20. Dermatitis

 from the list on the right.

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: The ideal market lamb has good muscling and its back is \_\_\_?\_\_\_.
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: The normal breathing rate for a lamb is \_\_\_?\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: The ideal lamb \_\_\_?\_\_\_ free and easy with strong pasterns and widely set legs.
4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: It has a long, wide, muscular \_\_\_?\_\_\_ and has a level rump and a high dock setting.
5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: At market time a meat lamb should have between \_\_\_?\_\_\_ and \_\_\_?\_\_\_ back fat.
6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: A fungus found on the skin that is contagious is \_\_\_?\_\_\_.
7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Normal body temperature of a lamb \_\_\_?\_\_\_.
8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: In the show ring always keep the lamb between yourself and the \_\_\_?\_\_\_.
9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: The best distance to look at the side, front, and rear of your lamb is \_\_\_?\_\_\_ feet.
10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: The normal heart rate for a lamb is \_\_\_?\_\_\_.

Writing a Thank-you Note

In the space below, write a thank-you to someone who has already helped you with your sheep project. This could be your mom or dad, the veterinarian, your project leader, the banker, your neighbor or a friend.

*Helpful hint: Start with a greeting. The first sentence should express your appreciation and explain why you are thanking the person. The next sentence should tell a little bit about your project or describe how you used the help. The final sentence should reconfirm your gratitude and sign your name.*

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