

Livestock Test for Intermediate Division

Show Name: SCJLA PRACTICE TEST
Show Date: SUMMER 2017
20 Questions

Name: _____ County: _____

Number: _____ Score: _____

NOTE: Circle the correct answer for True/False and Multiple Choice questions. Fill in the blanks otherwise...

1. True / False - When halter breaking a beef calf, let the calf drag the halter lead for a few days prior to tying for the first time. - BF 9
2. True / False - When tying up cattle, tie below eye level about twelve inches from post. - BF 9
3. True / False - Washing cattle hair twice a week is best. - BF 9
4. True / False - Bedding beef cattle in a dark place during the day shortens day length and promotes a hair growing metabolism in the animal. - BF 9
5. True / False - Cattle hair is usually trimmed in a downward and backward motion. - BF 9
6. True / False - Show cattle should have their feet trimmed weekly. - BF 9
7. True / False - All cattle should be shown with their tails up or bobbed. - BF 9
8. True / False - It is good to help the exhibitor in front of you, if they are having trouble, by tapping the calf. - BF 9
9. What is the first step in training beef cattle for a show? - BF 9
 - a. Finishing
 - b. Clean coat
 - c. Weaning
 - d. Halter breaking
10. Ringworm is a more common problem in what group of cattle? - BF 9
 - a. Bulls
 - b. Young
 - c. Old
 - d. Lactating cows
11. When leading cattle, your hand should be how far from its head? - BF 9
 - a. 2-5 inches
 - b. 6-12 inches
 - c. 14-18 inches
 - d. Right next to head
12. When showing, if you want a rear foot of a calf to move back what do you do? - BF 9
 - a. Push backward with halter
 - b. Press soft tissue where hoof is split of the foot that needs to be moved
 - c. Pull forward on halter
 - d. a & b
 - e. b & c

13. When showing cattle, where should the rear foot on far side from the judge be placed? - BF 9

- a. Straight behind the foot closer to the judge
- b. In front of foot closer to the judge
- c. Behind the foot closer to the judge

14. Name two characteristics beef breeding cattle should display.

- a. _____
- b. _____ - BF 9

15. It is important for the owner to be _____ and _____ when halter breaking and leading cattle. - BF 9

16. Extending the hair at the end of the _____ so it has the appearance of a corner in beef cattle will make it appear to have more width. - BF 9

17. Name three characteristics you can evaluate from the rear view of cattle.

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____ - BF 9

18. When leading a calf you should be on its _____ side. - BF 9

19. To correct the topline of a calf at show apply pressure at the _____ with the hook of the show stick if the top is weak and needs to be raised. - BF 9

20. Name four facts that you will need to be prepared to answer questions on about your calf (e.g. weight).

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____ - BF 9