

Animal & Vet Science Swine Market

Enroll in ZSuite Under this Project Name: AVS-SWINE-Market Approved for 2024-25 Project Year

Raise one or more barrows or gilts for market, exhibiting and selling at the fair. Care

for your animal for a minimum of 100 days before exhibiting.

REQUIRED YOUTH CURRICULUM

Project Description:

4-H Animal Science Skills Checklist

Market Animal Weight Guidelines

4-H Livestock Budget Template (Microsoft Excel file)

4-H Individual Permanent Animal Record

Seven Steps in Selecting Market Projects

ZSuite 4-H Involvement Report

ZSuite 4-H Project Record Book

REQUIRED VOLUNTEER CLUB LEADER CURRICULUM

Swine Resource Handbook for Market and Breeding (OH #134R), 2001

4-H Animal Science Lessons

4-H Animal Science Lesson Plan Tracker

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOURCES

Market Animal Health Supplement

Market Swine Growth Chart (#72140)

Idaho 4-H Livestock Cost & Return Estimates – Market Swine Project (#72995)

Exploring Swine Health and Husbandry (#08456)

Swine Showmanship Video



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PROJECT COMPLETION CHECKLIST

STATE REQUIREMENTS		
Choose one or more barrows or gilts for your Market Swine project.		
Individually identify each animal with an ear tag, tattoo, or ear notch.		
Provide one or more forms of positive ownership for at least 100 days for each project animal. Contact		
your local Extension office for exact forms and deadlines.		
Weigh and provide primary care for all animals on a uniform county feeding period for a minimum of 80		
days.		
Provide appropriate documentation, which includes a bill of sale. Check with local Extension Office for		
exact forms required and the deadline for turning in those forms.		
Complete the 4-H Project Record Book for this project in your ZSuite Member Account		
Fill out your 4-H Involvement Report in your ZSuite Member Account		
Give an oral presentation (speech, demonstration, or illustrated talk) to your 4-H peers on a topic related		
to this project. Recommended guidelines for length of oral presentations are:		
Junior: 5-8 minutes		
Intermediate: 8-10 minutes		
Senior: 10-12 minutes		
Complete any supplemental forms or activities required at the County level for your project (see below)		
and submit to the County Extension Office by the date specified.		

ADDITIONAL LOCAL REQUIREMENTS		

FAIR EXHIBIT CHECKLIST		
Completed Idaho 4-H Involvement Report (ZSuite)		
Completed Idaho 4-H Project Record Book for this project (ZSuite)		
Supplemental forms or materials required at the county level, submitted to the county Extension office by		
date specified		
Exhibit project animal(s) at a county Extension approved fair, show, exhibition or field day.		
Display performance data on exhibit or stall card.		
Exhibit one of your project animals in a Swine Fitting and Showing class at a county Extension approved		
fair, show, exhibition or field day.		

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