

4-H Breeding/Mare & Foal Project Supplement

This project is for 4-H horse project members who are breeding a mare.

To help members learn the principles of breeding management relating to the broodmare, and horse management as it relates to training and development of young horses, members are expected to learn the following:

Knowledge Expected Of 4-H Member	Date Passed	Approved By
1. Know the feed requirements of the mare through the gestation and lactation periods.		
2. Be familiar with the normal estrous cycle of the mare, such as: length of cycle, time between cycles, time of ovulation, etc.		
3. Know the length of the gestation period and normal foaling signs.		
4. Illustrate by sketch or diagram the reproductive tract of the mare.		
5. Know how to care for and feed the mare at foaling time.		
6. Know the feed requirement of the weanling, yearling, and two year-old horse.		
7. Complete information about the mare, stallion, and foal requested below.		
8. Complete the foal's pedigree chart on the next page.		

Name of Mare:

Breed or type:

Sire:

Age:

Color:

Weight:

Is mare Jersey Bred?

Yes

No

Date of breeding:

Date mare foaled:

Sex of foal: Male

Female

Description of foal:

Name of Stallion mare was bred to:

State stallion is standing in: Jersey Bred? Yes No

Breed or type: Reg. No.

Sire: Reg. No.

Dam: Reg. No.

Total of any breeding costs:

Foal's Pedigree

