

# Junior Market Chicken Study Guide

Please reference the Poultry Resource Handbook and Fremont County Fair Book

Poultry Resource Handbook can be found online from this link:

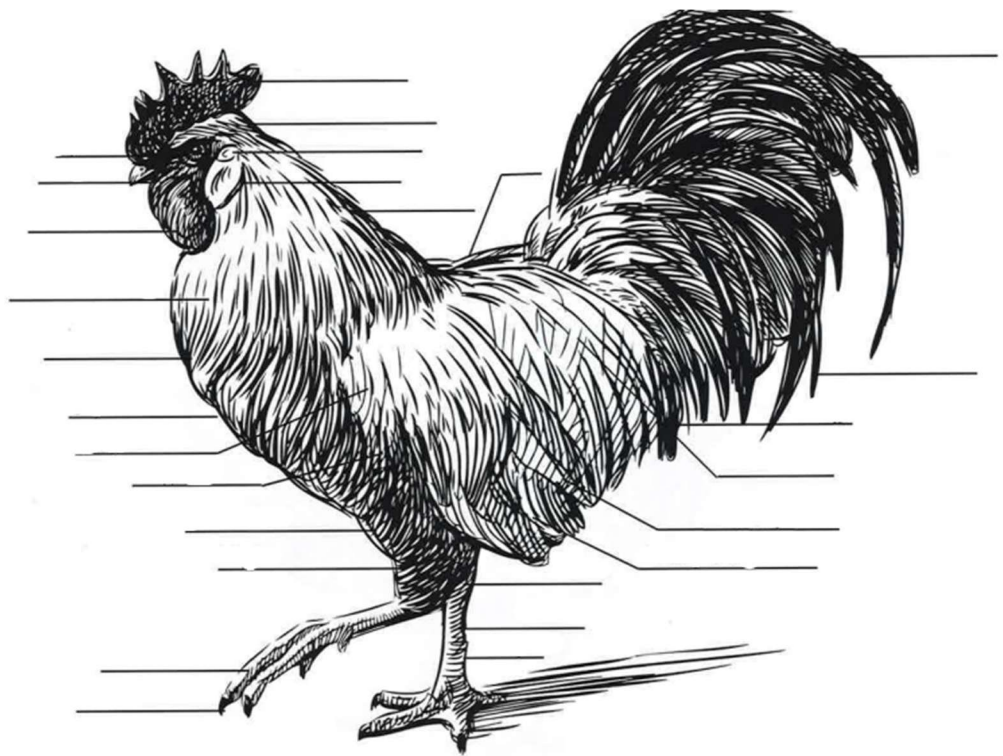
<https://co4h.colostate.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/27/2025/11/Poultry-Handbook.pdf>

or checked out at the Extension Office

Terms to be defined:

- Frizzle:
- Nits:
- Withdrawal Time:
- Defect:
- Harvest:
- Splayed Legs:
- Pasty Butt:
- Toe Picking:

Be able to identify parts of a Chicken using the following diagrams from the 4-H Poultry Resource Handbook.



Understand the following topics:

- Requirements for a good chicken coop, specifically space requirements, types of shavings to use, and cleaning practices
- Fremont County Fair pen, age, sex, breed, and weight requirements
- 4 basic maneuvers for showmanship
- What to use to help warm chicks
- Fremont County Fair mandatory classes
- Market species common problems
- Most common predators of chickens
- Types of feeds and what they contain such as nutrients
- What a vet-check looks for