

Cat Project Member Name _____

Level 1 Level 2 Level 3

Level (*circle one*): Jr. 1 (8-9) Jr. 2 (10-11) Intermediate (12-14) Senior (15-18) Years in Project _____

Date of Birth _____ Age (*as of January 1*) _____ Year _____

4-H Club _____

✓	State and Owyhee County requirements This section is completed every year.	Notes	Date Completed	Leader Initials
	Must own, provide proper housing, feed, and care for a cat for at least 90 days.	The dog may be registered or an unregistered, crossbred, male or female.		
	Learn how to fit and show your cat.			
	Give an oral demonstration or illustrated talk related to this project.	This can be done on the club or county level.		
	Complete a 4-H Involvement Report			
	Complete 4-H Animal Project Record Book			
	Complete a Permanent Individual Animal Record			
	Attend an Ethical Practices training or clinic	All youth are REQUIRED to complete an Ethics activity each year .		
	Any supplemental forms required at the county level.	Enroll at Idaho.4honline.com and pay enrollment fee to your leader; read and sign Code of Conduct.		
	<i>NOTE: Each member is strongly encouraged to participate in a judging contest.</i>			
	Exhibit your completed Project Record Book	Project Book does NOT have to be included with your Project Record Book; however, a copy of the page(s) of each of your 7 activities should be included.		
	Display performance data on exhibit or stall card.	Stall cards are provided to your club leader at the meeting prior to Fair		
	Exhibit one your project animals in a Cat Fitting and Showing class.	Must exhibit/show. You may do so at the Owyhee County Fair or another location. Other locations must be pre-approved by the 4-H Program Coordinator.		
	Complete a minimum of 7 activities per year from CCS books or supporting materials for Dog:	No more than 3 years per level. Each activity can be done one time.		
	Community Service Activity/Project in Owyhee County			
	LEVEL 1 – First Year	7 activities per Level are completed each year.	Date Completed	Leader Initials
	• Explain 8 breeds of cat.			
	• Name 20 cat body parts.			
	• Demonstrate how to pick up, hold and carry a cat.			
	• Demonstrate the proper step to grooming a cat.			
	• Explain how to carry the cat to the Judge's table.			
	• Describe how to pose the cat.			
	• Demonstrate the steps to showing the cat's condition.			
	• Develop a yearly budget for your cat.			
	• Name 5 home hazards for your cat.			
	• Name 5 types of litter materials.			

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> List the common vaccinations. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the procedure and benefits of spaying and neutering. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe 10 signs of illness. 			
	LEVEL 2 – Second Year		Date Completed	Leader Initials
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the characteristics for 8 breeds of cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> List the cat's six senses. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name the classification for the major members of the cat family. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe how a cat show is planned, organized and conducted. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate two ways to exercise your cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name 4 famous cats. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain how a cat uses body language to communicate. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the process for declawing. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a first aid kit for your cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the three types of commercial cat food. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name 3 conditions or illnesses that can be treated by a special diet. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evaluate your cat's temperament. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe when and how to travel with a cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the dangers of having a cat outside. 			
	LEVEL 3 – Third Year			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Draw a diagram of the cat's gastrointestinal system. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify 4 cat to human diseases. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the reproductive cycle of cats. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose a cat business and write a short business plan. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compare the ingredients of two types of cat food for an older cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> List 10 signs of a stressed or fearful cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> List the normal vital signs for a cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain how to take a pulse on a cat. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research your county laws and ordinances about cats. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit a local shelter. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a poster promoting the cat 4-H project and display it at fair. 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organize a fund raiser for cat supplies for your local shelter. 			

I declare that the information in this book is correct and all 4-H requirements have been completed, to the best of my knowledge.

Member's Signature _____

Leader's Signature _____

Parent's Signature _____