What is your name? _______________________________________
How old are you? ______
Who is your 4-H leader? _________________________________
What is the name of your club? ______________________________

Type of project? _____ Market kid
_____ Doe kid
_____ Breeding doe

When did you start this project?    Month ____________
                                      Day ______________
                                      Year ______________

When did you finish this project?    Month ____________
                                      Day ______________
                                      Year ______________

Can you draw a picture of your goat here? THANKS!!!
ALL ABOUT MY GOAT

My goat’s name is: __________________________________________
My goat is a _____Buck _____Doe _____Wether
My goat has a ____ tattoo number
_____ eartag number

The number is: __________ left ear __________ right ear

My goat was born: Month ____________
_________
Day ____________
Year ____________

My goat weighed _____ pounds at birth OR
My goat weighed _____ pounds when I bought him/her

The breed of my goat is __________________________________________
My goat is _____ polled
_____ disbudded
_____ horned

Here is a photograph of my goat
RECORDS I KEEP ON MY GOAT

For market kid projects

My goat was weaned on this date: ________________
I brought my goat home on this date: ________________
My goat was disbudded on this date: ________________
My goat was castrated on this date: ________________
method used? ____ rubber band ____ knife ____ burdizzo

For breeding doe projects

My goat was bred on these dates: ___________ ___________ ___________
She was bred to: ____________________________________________
(write in buck’s name, breed, and number if known)
My goat kidded on this date: __________________
she had _____ buck kids _______ doe kids

For all projects

Was your goat ever sick? ______ yes ______ no

What was your goat sick with?

What did you do when your goat was sick?

What sort of medicine did your goat get?

What is the name of your veterinarian? Dr._________________________

Some of the things my veterinarian does with my goat are:
### RECORDS I KEEP ON MY GOAT (optional)

These are the shots my goat had already had when I got him/her

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These are the shots I got for my goat after I got him/her

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Goats can get parasites. What are parasites?

Some of the parasites goats can get are worms, coccidia, and lice.

My goat was wormed, treated for coccidia, or treated for lice on these dates:

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FEEDING MY GOAT

My goat is a ruminant. Unlike me, she chews her cud.
_____ I have watched my goat chew her cud.
_____ I have seen a cud.

Unlike me, she has four parts to her stomach. One of these sections is the rumen where food is fermented by tiny bugs or micro-organisms.
_____ I have smelled my goat’s breath to see how these bugs produce stinky gases when they are digesting her food.

Roughage is food that is high in fiber.
_____ I have scraped grass with a serrated plastic knife to find the fiber in the grass.
A roughage I feed my goat is:
My goat started to eat this when he/she was _____ weeks old.

Concentrates are foods that are high in energy.
A concentrate I eat is:
A concentrate I feed my goat is:
My goat started to eat this when he/she was _____ weeks old.

Animals also need protein to grow and live.
I get my protein from:
My goat gets protein from:

When my goat was born he/she could not eat much fiber. He/she could not eat roughage or grain.
Instead, my goat got protein and energy from ____________________________.

The type of milk I fed my goat was _________________________________.
How many times a day did you feed him/her this milk?
Who helped you feed the milk?
Did you use a bottle or what to feed the milk?
FEEDING MY GOAT (optional)

For kids you are hand rearing

My kid gets: type of milk ____________________________
           type of milk replacer _____________________
I started him/her on this when he/she was _____ weeks old
I give it to him/her _____ once _____ twice _____ three times daily
I give it to him/her in a ________________
I give him/her _____ fluid ounces of milk or milk replacer every day
I stopped feeding him this when he was _____ weeks old

For kids after weaning

My kid started eating grain when he/she was _____ weeks old
   At weaning he ate _____ pounds of grain daily
   Now he eats _____ pounds of grain daily
   The kind of grain he gets is:

My kid started eating hay when he/she was _____ weeks old
   The kind of hay he /she gets is:
   My hay weighs about _______ pounds per bale
   At weaning my kid ate about _______ pounds of hay per day (how many days did it take to use up a whole bale feeding your kid? _______).
   Now my kid eats about _______ pounds of hay per day (how many days does it take you to use up a whole bale feeding your kid? _______).

My kid also eats:

    _____ salt
    _____ pasture
        

FEEDING MY GOAT (optional)

For does nursing kids

A roughage my goat eats is _______________
A concentrate my goat eats is _______________

When my doe was in early pregnancy she ate

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When my doe was in late pregnancy she ate

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After my doe kidded I fed her

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Number of weeks fed __________

How many kids was she nursing?

After I weaned her kids I fed my doe

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Number of weeks fed __________

Some of the other things my goat gets to eat are:
WHAT I FEED MY GOAT

attach labels from any milk replacers or commercial grain or salt mixes you fed here.

also staple on baggies filled with samples of the hay, pasture and/whole grains you feed. Be sure to label each bag with masking tape telling what is in it.
TASKS I CAN DO

______ I can feed my goat.
______ I can measure the right amount of grain to feed my goat.
______ I can measure the right amount of hay to feed my goat.
______ I can water my goat.
______ I can brush my goat.
______ I can read a thermometer.
______ I can take my goat’s temperature.
______ I can drench my goat.
______ I can lead my goat.
______ I can read a scale or a weigh tape.
______ I can set up a tattooer or eartagger with the proper numbers someone asks me to put in.
______ I can put the rubber bands on an elastrator.
______ I can tell if a goat is a buck, doe or wether.

Who taught your goat to lead?
Who taught your goat to tie?
What are three signs of a healthy goat?

What are some signs that your goat might be sick?

Name three parts of a goat’s body:

Can you point out these parts on a live goat?

I have watched a goat being: I helped by:
______ born
______ disbudded
______ tattooed or eartagged
______ weighed
______ trimmed (hooves)
______ clipped (hair)
______ milked
______ vaccinated
______ wormed

I have eaten goat meat ______ yes ______ no
If you have tried goat meat, how did it taste to you?
**HOW IS MY GOAT GROWING?**

(Use this page to record the weight of your market kid or breeding stock kid or to weigh your breeding doe’s kids OR use the graph on the next page)

Method of weighing: _____ scale _____ measuring tape

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When my kid was sold or slaughtered, he/she weighed _____ pounds and was _____ weeks old.
Graph Your Kid's Growth - as your kid gets older you may only weigh him once a month. If so, try to weigh him about the same time each month.
SUMMARY OF MY PROJECT

The thing I liked most about raising my goat was:

The thing I liked the least was:

The most exciting thing I learned to do was:

Did you go on a field trip or do a special activity with your 4-H group? Where did you go and what did you see?