

CAVY

Sonoma County 4-H

Name: _____ Date: _____

Guidelines for Project Proficiency Award

Advanced:

	<u>Date</u> <u>Completed</u>	<u>Leader's</u> <u>Initials</u>
1. Identify and describe 13 breeds of cavies.	_____	_____
2. Describe 3 cavy diseases and give control measures.	_____	_____
3. Make out a pedigree for one of your cavies.	_____	_____
4. Explain in breeding, line breeding, cut breeding, and the advantages and disadvantages of each.	_____	_____
5. Demonstrate how to check for pregnancy.	_____	_____
6. Describe when and how to use a grooming board.	_____	_____
7. Attend 2 cavy shows and write a report on them.	_____	_____
8. Keep a complete production record on a cavy sow for the 4-H year. List breeding records, birth weights, weaning weights, and show records of any pups.	_____	_____
9. Prepare a 200 word essay on cavy genetics.	_____	_____
10. Describe the different uses for cavies.	_____	_____
11. Help beginning members learn showmanship.	_____	_____
12. Give a presentation on cavies at Presentation Day.	_____	_____

Project Leader's Signature of Completion: _____

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