

## SWINE TERMS – MATCHING WORKSHEET

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| a. barrow                     | k. pig             |
| b. boar                       | l. piglet          |
| c. corn belt                  | m. shoat           |
| d. farrowing                  | n. sow             |
| e. farrow to finish operation | o. weaning         |
| f. gestation                  | p. stag            |
| g. gilt                       | q. herd            |
| h. litter                     | r. feeder pig      |
| i. market weight              | s. show pig        |
| j. nursery                    | t. farrowing crate |

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. a group of pigs kept together that may not be genetically linked
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. part of the U.S where the major cash crop is corn
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. a male pig castrated after sexual maturity
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. a female swine that has produced at least one litter of piglets
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. a castrated male swine
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. a young swine not at market weight
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. a pig that weighs between 35 and 50 pounds and is prepared to be fed for slaughter
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. the period of time between when a sow is bred to when she begins farrowing
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. a group of piglets born at the same time to the same mother
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. a pen which a sow is put in to deliver and nurse piglets
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. the birthing process for swine
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. a uncastrated male swine
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. a pig that is designated as a growing pig that weighs between 60 and 160 pounds
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. the preferred weight for a pig to be at time of slaughter

- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. a pig that has been chosen because of its superior and outstanding phenotype to be taken to competitions called shows.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. a business that deals with every step in raising pigs
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. a young male or female swine
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. a female swine that has not given birth
- \_\_\_\_\_ 19. the stage in-between weaning and feeding out for slaughter
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20. the manner in which pigs are removed from the sow and are no longer allowed to depend on the mother's milk for food