

Name _____ Date _____

1. What is the first important step in the process of insect control?
Identify the insect that is present so that the proper control procedure will be used
2. What are the most important aspects in controlling or preventing pests?
Sanitation and good housekeeping
3. List 3 of the 5 pieces of equipment used for applying insecticides and explain each.
Possible Answers – Student should explain.
 - 1) **Small continuous or intermittent hand sprayer**
 - 2) **Compressed-air sprayers**
 - 3) **Aerosol bombs**
 - 4) **Garden hose attachments**
 - 5) **Dusters**
4. What are 2 of the more common pesticides that may be used by the homeowner?
Diazinon, Malathion, Dursban and Sevin
5. What should a person do before purchasing and using a pesticide to avoid mistakes or misuse?
Read the label
6. How are wettable powders (WP or W) applied?
Powder must be mixed with water before use.
7. How many ounces are in 1 cup?
8 ounces
8. What do cockroaches feed on and where do they live inside your house?
Cockroaches feed on foodstuffs as well as starchy materials such as book bindings. They often hide during the day beneath buildings or in dark, damp areas.

9. Name one pest that attacks fabrics and structures?
Carpenter Ants, Carpenter Bees, Carpet Beetles, Clothes Moth, Powder Post, Silverfish, Termites
10. How can house flies be controlled?
Practice good sanitation around the home and remove all rotting material. For adults, aerosol bombs labeled for fly control are effective.
11. Do both male and female mosquitoes bite?
No, just female.
12. Which two spider species are most dangerous to man?
Black Widow and Brown Recluse