

## *Study Guide for Silver Poultry Test*

You should be able to recognize:

1. List 3-4 ways you can help protect your birds against disease.
2. What are predators and how do you protect fowl from predators?
3. Name each Duck class and at least one breed in each class.
4. How many toes does the average chicken have?
5. What temperature and humidity do you want to have in an incubator on days 1-18? Days 19-21?
6. How many chicken combs are there and name five?
7. If you are designing a pen for standard chickens, how many square feet per bird do you need to plan for?
8. What are leg mites, what are the symptoms of them, and how do you get rid of them?
9. Describe a split tail, a squirrel tail, and a wry tail and what is wrong with having them.
10. What do you look for when buying a breeding hen?
11. Describe what a “meat pen” is.
12. What do you look for when buying a breeding cock?
13. What is fowl pox, the symptoms of it, and how you would treat it?
14. What does a hen need in her nesting area?
15. List all the breeds you personally own, their classes, and their standard weights (C,H,K,P)
16. Name 10 breeds of Standard chickens.

17. What are the differences between a purebred, cross bred, and commercial chicken?

18. Name 10 breeds of Bantam chickens.

19. What is a disqualification in a showbird? What is a default or defect?

20. Name five examples of disqualifications.

21. Name five examples of a default or defect.

22. Identify all the chicken parts. (Use chart)

