

Today you will be taking a tour of a horse farm from the comfort of your home! With a growing portion of the population staying home due to the COVID-19 pandemic, a number of Thoroughbred farms in Kentucky are helping folks pass the time by offering virtual tours. Carefully read this document and follow the directions to complete the assignment.

Why am I doing this? We are half-way through the Equine Unit! This tour should be an entertaining way to combine aspects of equine management we have already learned and introduce us to new topics we will cover in the next two weeks.

Standards:

- 14.05 Identify equine breeds and their characteristics and husbandry practices.
- 04.03 Categorize gender and species-related terminology.

Objectives:

1. Tour a large-scale horse farm by watching a virtual tour on the internet.
2. Recall the definitions of equine-related vocabulary.
3. Summarize features of the tour including horse breeds, facilities, and careers.

You will need:

1. Access to the internet.
2. Word processing document (Google Docs or Microsoft Word).

Directions:

1. Make a copy of this document to complete the following assignment.
 - a. Select "File"
 - b. "Make a Copy"
2. Add your name and class period to the top of the next page.
3. Visit: [Horses On Demand: The Thoroughbred Industry's Virtual Farm Tour Directory - Horse Racing News](#)
 - a. Select one of the virtual tours. (Some are as long as 50 minutes, so choose one that works for your time frame)
4. While watching the tour, write down/type out at least 10 equine-related vocabulary words and their definitions (ex. Foal, halter, paddock, stable). You may have to research the definitions of words you don't know.
5. Once you have finished the tour, write a 3-5 sentence summary, including what type of horses are raised, what facilities were shown, and something you learned that you didn't know before.
6. In summary, you should watch a tour, note at least 10 vocabulary terms and definitions, and then write a short summary of the tour.
7. **Complete the assignment on the following page.**

*Turn in when complete! **Due Monday, April 6th.***

Name:**Period:****About Your Virtual Tour****Farm Name:****Date Recorded:****Tour Title:**

Equine Vocabulary

Word	Definition
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Virtual Tour Summary

Write a 3-5 sentence summary, including what type of horses are raised, what facilities were shown, and something you learned that you didn't know before.

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