

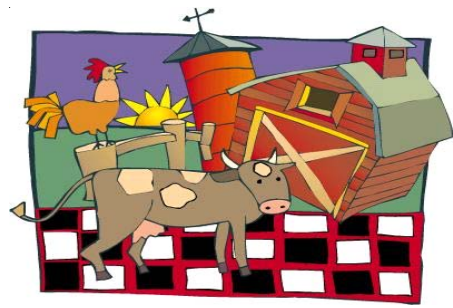
New York Farm Quiz

- What is New York's leading agricultural product?
 - Apples
 - Potatoes
 - Milk
 - Vegetables
- New York ranked _____ in the nation in apple production in 1999.
 - First
 - Tenth
 - Fifth
 - Second
- Milk produced in New York had a value of \$_____ in 1999.
 - 1.8 million
 - 18 million
 - 1.8 billion
 - 18 billion
- What percent of the state's land is farmland?
 - 10
 - 20
 - 26
 - 30
- New York ranked _____ in the nation in cabbage production in 1999.
 - First
 - Second
 - Third
 - Fourth
- Grape production was valued at nearly \$59 million in 1999. New York ranked _____ in the nation.
 - First
 - Third
 - Fifth
 - Eighth
- Maple Syrup production in New York was _____ highest in the nation in 1999.
 - 2nd
 - 3rd
 - 5th
 - 10th
- Sweet corn is an important crop grown in New York. NY ranked _____ nationwide in 1999.
 - 1st
 - 3rd
 - 5th
 - 6th

Answers:

1-1, 2-2, 3-3, 4-4, 5-5, 6-6, 7-7, 8-8

Resource: *Puzzle Fun, New York Agricultural Statistics Service*



CATTLE

There are a variety of different breeds of cattle in New York. Sometimes cattle are called "living lawn-mowers" because they graze and eat mostly grass and weeds in the pasture. Cattle munch grass & other forages, which contain cellulose that humans can't eat, and turn it into high-quality food!

They also efficiently use resources and some unusable by-products from human food processing and can convert them to MILK!

Cattle Trivia:

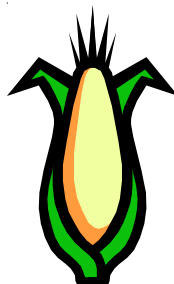
- *Beef is consumed 77.8 million times each day across America.
- *One dollar in cattle sales generates approximately \$5 in additional business activity.
- *A cow stands up and sits down about 14 times a day.
- *A cow can detect odors up to 5 miles away.
- *Cattle have almost 360-degree panoramic vision.

Resources: Beef Bytes, Cattle Fax 9/2002, USDA 1/2002

WORD SCRAMBLE

Unscramble the following list of food items that contain corn.

nroc sekalf c _ _ _ f _ a _ _ _
 cei earcm _ c _ _ _ _ m
 oads s _ _ _
 nuteap ttreub _ e _ _ u _ _ u _ _ e _
 upchket k _ _ _ h _ _
 alads ingsserd s _ l _ _ _ d _ e _ _ _ g
 ylelj _ e _ _ _
 mallmarowssh _ a _ s _ _ _ _ l _ _ s
 meanringa m _ _ g _ _ _ _ _
 tcoa hipcs _ a _ o _ _ i _ _



Answers: nroc sekalf **corn flakes** cei earcm **ice cream** oads **soda** nuteap ttreub **peanut butter** upchket **ketchup** alads ingsserd **salad dressing** ylelj **jelly** mallmarowssh **marshmallows** meanringa **margarine** tcoa **hipcs** **taco chips**