

# Turkey Farming in New Zealand

## Turkey Farming in New Zealand: Student multi-choice question answers

Place a tick in the box or boxes that you think is/are the correct or best answer(s) for each question.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_



Poultry Industry  
Association of  
New Zealand (Inc)

<https://pianz.org.nz>

<https://pianz.org.nz/video/about-the-industry>

- Which 3 of these birds are farmed by New Zealand's poultry industry?  
Turkeys  Chickens  Ostriches  Ducks
- The retail value of our poultry is worth how much per year?  
\$86.2 million  \$1.4 billion  \$1.8 billion
- NZ is known as the best place in the world to raise poultry because...?  
it's very cheap  it's disease free  of the quality of our farmers
- The Code of Welfare looks after our poultry by providing the correct...?  
Heating  Ventilation  Lighting  Food & water

<https://pianz.org.nz/nz-turkey/#nz-turkey-section-2>

- The breed of the 200,000 turkeys farmed and home-grown in New Zealand is mainly ...?  
White fowl  British United Turkey  American Turkey
- Which part of New Zealand is the main centre of turkey farming?  
Auckland  Hawke's Bay  Canterbury

<https://pianz.org.nz/video/turkeys-a-farmers-story-with-pete>

- Pete enjoys turkey farming much more than his old office job because...?  
he can work his own hours  he can spend time with family
- Pete added a free-range shed because free-range sheds are ...?  
easy to clean  a growing market  better for his family
- The doors in Pete's free-range shed are ... ?  
shut at night  shut when it rains  always open
- The turkeys on Pete's farm are housed ... ?  
in cages  in a free-range shed  in large barns
- Pete enjoys the challenge of turkey farming because ... ?  
he has so many birds  all turkeys behave differently
- The sheds are cleaned and equipment checked at the end of a cycle to...?  
keep the birds healthy  brighten the barns up for photos

- Pete enforces strict biosecurity rules with farm visitors to...?  
prevent theft of the turkeys  protect the health of the turkeys   
keep machinery and people off the farm

<https://pianz.org.nz/video/turkey-life-health-welfare>

- British United Turkeys were chosen for New Zealand because they...?  
are a larger bird  don't need growth hormones or steroids
- Livestock Advisors and vets help turkey and chicken farmers by ...?  
helping farmers do the best they can   
advising them on the best breeds of turkeys to farm   
making sure the birds are happy and well looked after   
check on the health of the birds about once a month
- What features must the outside area of a free-range shed have?  
areas for the birds to feed  barns for sleeping   
areas for shade  be 1.5 times bigger than the inside area

<https://pianz.org.nz/video/turkey-cooking-and-prep-with-annabelle/>

- Turkey is often called a super food because it contains ... ?  
protein  sugar  vitamin B  selenium & zinc
- Before cooking, a frozen turkey must thaw out in the fridge for at least...?  
1 day  2 days  2-3 days
- When cooking all poultry, including turkey, select the 'being food safe' rules that must be followed.  
Make sure no drips from the tray contaminate other fridge food   
Wash/dry hands before and after preparing using the 20/20 rule   
Shake your hands to dry them   
Wash, clean and dry your board and work bench before preparing   
Absorb moisture on inside and outside of the bird with paper towels   
Wash, clean and dry your board/bench again after preparing the bird   
Have a separate board you always use for preparing poultry



Free-Range Turkey Farming – the doors are always open



Cleaned, checked sheds and new wood shavings for the next intake