

## Questions for "A look at Virginia Agriculture"

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Directions: Answer the following questions after you read the website, "A look at Virginia Agriculture." The sections follow the website. 5 points each.*

### Climate

1. What is the average temperature in Virginia? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Annual rainfall totals can vary from \_\_\_\_\_ inches to more than \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

### Crops

3. What was Virginia's number one cash crop in 2008? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Most of the \_\_\_\_\_ grown in Virginia is used to feed cattle, horses, poultry, and dairy cows.
5. Tobacco is Virginia's \_\_\_\_\_ ranked cash crop and tenth ranked commodity.
6. Cotton grows so well in Virginia because it is \_\_\_\_\_ resistant.

### Soil

7. Pamunkey soil comes from the \_\_\_\_\_ River.

### General

8. \_\_\_\_\_ and Forestry are Virginia's number one industry. Combined, they add \_\_\_\_\_ billion to the state's income.
9. There are \_\_\_\_\_ farms in the state of Virginia.

### Animals

10. There are 102,000 \_\_\_\_\_ in Virginia. Milk is Virginia's third largest commodity.
11. Virginia has \_\_\_\_\_ million cattle, making it the second biggest commodity of the state.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ are Virginia's most valuable agricultural product.

### BONUS: (10 points)

Name the crop that used to be Virginia's number one cash crop. \_\_\_\_\_