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Card Game: Year 5 – 6 Paddock to Plate

- 1. c) Farm (paddock)
- 2. b) Sells livestock through auctions
- 3. a) They buy and eat meat products
- **4.** Animal welfare is important during transportation because it ensures that livestock are not stressed or injured while being moved, allowing them to arrive safely at their destination, such as a feedlot or saleyard.
- **5.** At a feedlot, livestock are fed special rations and water to gain weight (muscle and fat) before they are processed into meat. Livestock, such as cattle, are sent to feedlots to ensure they reach the desired size for meat production.
- **6.** Feeding and watering: Ensures that the animals stay healthy and strong, which is essential for their growth.

Herding livestock: Moving animals efficiently while ensuring they are not stressed is key to maintaining calm and productive livestock.

Disease management (vaccinations and drenching): Prevents the spread of diseases, keeping the animals healthy and reducing the risk of illness or loss of livestock.

7. Maintaining ground cover is crucial because it protects the soil from erosion, supports water retention, and ensures a healthy environment for raising livestock. In the red meat supply chain, sustainable land management helps maintain the long-term productivity of farms, providing a stable source of high-quality meat while protecting the environment.