



The hair on a sheep is called wool. All the wool on a sheep is called the fleece. Some sheep have fine wool and some have coarse wool. Wool is sheared once a year, in the spring. After the wool is sheared it is sent to a mill and washed.





that these sheep can eat.



Sheep provide wool for clothes, blankets, carpets, and felt. A special kind of oil called lanolin is produced by the sheep's skin and is used in hand lotion and soap. Sheep are also produced for their meat.