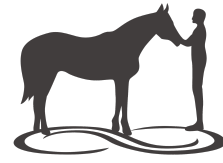


Student Level 2 - Orange



Marking Rubric

HARMONY
HORSEMANSHIP

Name: Charmaine

Student or Pro: Student

Score Totals - Ground Work: 86.25

Building Confidence: 91.67

Riding: 78.75

Combined GW and BC: 88.96

Overall total score: 85.56

Horse Knowledge Quiz Pass or Fail:

Scores to be in percentages.

Task	1 - not what we are looking for	2 - needs work	3 - okay	4 - good	5 - wow
On Rope or at Liberty: Haunch Turn With your horse on your right, make a haunch turn to the right 360 degrees (full turn).	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	The horse is not focused/ shaped most of the time.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Sideways Then go sideways to the right 5 steps (your horse is still on your right).	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Boomerang Send your horse around an object and as you draw them towards you have the horse trot (it is okay if your horse is also trotting on the send around).	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe. 3.5 (did not trot on the draw)	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
S Pattern Do an S Pattern of 2 changes	The horse struggles to	Struggles to	Correct and	Correct, confident,	Smoothly, softly,

of direction with your horse showing some trot during S pattern. After 2 changes of direction you will be facing the same way as you started.	complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	complete the task or incorrect technique.	safe.	safe, and soft. 4	correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Transition on a Circle (left) Send your horse out on a circle to the left with half circle at the walk, one full circle at the trot, then half circle at walk.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Transition on a Circle (right) Change directions and send your horse to the right with half circle walk, one full circle trot, and half circle walk. End the circle and have your horse come to you.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Lower Head & Pick Up Hoof Ask your horse to lower their head and pick up each front hoof one at a time with their head down.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Square Turn Stand with your horse on your left side and then walk with your horse at a slow walk about 10ft. Then make a square turn left and walk fast about 10ft.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Transition Make a turn left and then trot together forward 10 strides.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Haunch Turn	The horse	Struggles	Correct	Correct,	Smoothly,

Do a haunch turn to the left, 180 degrees. (Your horse will still be on your left side)	struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	to complete the task or incorrect technique.	and safe.	confident, safe, and soft.	softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue. 5
Sideways Go sideways to the left 5 steps (your horse will still be on your left).	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Liberty Transition Take off your horse's halter at the Halt then back up 5 steps. And then walk forward 5 steps.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue. 5
Ground Tie Halt and have your horse stay as you walk around your horse (aim to be at least 5ft away from your horse as you walk around)	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Liberty Transitions Walk about 5-10ft and then halt for a couple seconds. Then walk another 5-10ft and halt again for a couple seconds	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe. 3.5	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Liberty Boomerang Send your horse around an object and have them come back to you (walking is all	The horse struggles to complete most of the	Struggles to complete the task or	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently

we're looking for, but if your horse trots to you that is also okay).	task and/ or is unsafe.	incorrect technique.		4.5	, safely, from ideal cue.
Ground Work Subtotal					64
Impression Score					5
Judge's Comments	Very well done. You and your horse have a very calm and quiet connection. Really nice soft cues with quiet and timely responses throughout. To get the "wow marks" try not to let your horse walk forward as much during your sideways to the left.				Score Total: 69/80 = 86.25 %
Confidence tasks on ground or riding: Halt Walk forward about 10ft and then halt over a pole. Pause for 3-5 seconds and then walk forward.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue. 5
Right Circle Walk on a circle to the right with 3 different objects (can be stuffed toys, buckets, flags, etc). At the first object stop with the object on your right side, at the second object have your horse touch it, at the third object have your horse stop with the object on your left side.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe. 3.5 (stopped with the 3rd object on the right side)	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Left Circle Change direction and walk a new circle to the left with 3 different objects this time have your horse touch the first object, stop at the second object on your left side, and touch the third object. (note that touching an object could be having them touch with	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.

their nose, or with their hoof including walking over something like a bridge).					
Rub Halt (dismount if you were riding) and then rub your horse's face including over their ears and eyes gently.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue. 5
Lift Safely go to the back of your horse and lift their tail while your horse stands.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Building Confidence Subtotal					22.5
Impression Score					5
Judge's Comments	Very nicely done. Very quiet throughout with no looky moments at any of the obstacles. Your horse clearly trusts you. To get the "wow marks" just be sure to read the instructions carefully (your first circle was very well done but the task is to stop with the 3rd object on the left side, not the right)				Score Total: 27.5/30 = 91.67 %
Horse Knowledge Piece to be assessed separately in the Levels quiz.					
Topics:					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Normal Horse Vital Signs • Know how to take your horse's temperature. • Know your basic colours and markings. 					
Optional Riding Assessment					
Bridleless or with reins: Square Trot a straight line for about 20 ft, turn a 90 degree square	The horse struggles to complete most of the	Struggles to complete the task or	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently

turn left and trot another approx 20ft 0 (forgot?)	task and/ or is unsafe.	incorrect technique.			, safely, from ideal cue.
Stead Hands Halt and pick up a spoon and ball, or a clear cup of water. Ride a small circle at the walk. Put down the spoon and ball (or cup).	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Square Turn Leave at the trot and go about 20ft (east) and then make a 90 degree square turn right	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
S Pattern Transition to walk and then perform 2 changes of direction (S Pattern)	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Circles Ride a small circle to the right (approx 15m) at the trot, transition to walk, change direction and ride a small trot circle to the left (approx 15m)	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.
Back Up Transition to walk and reposition yourself your horse so you are lined up to back up between two cones placed 5ft. Halt and then back up between the cones.	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft 4.5	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.

<p>Emergency Stop Left Turn and walk approx 10 ft and then do a one rein stop with your left rein (360 with a twist/emergency stop).</p>	<p>The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.</p>	<p>Struggles to complete the task or incorrect technique.</p>	<p>Correct and safe.</p>	<p>Correct, confident, safe, and soft. 4.5</p>	<p>Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently , safely, from ideal cue.</p>
<p>Riding Subtotal</p>					<p>26.5</p>
<p>Impression Score</p>					<p>5</p>
<p>Judge's Comments</p>	<p>Well done. Very calm and soft. Nice bend through your circles and S pattern. To get the "wow marks" try to maintain a more consistent pace during your trot segments</p>				<p>Score Total: 31.5/40 = 78.75 %</p>