

Task	1 - not what we are looking for	2 - needs work	3 - okay	4 - good	5 - wow
On Rope or at Liberty: S Pattern at canter with simple changes of lead.	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.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently, safely, from ideal cue.
Spiral with canter/walk transitions on circle. Show both directions.	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.
Back up small figure 8 (can use barrels/ 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.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently, safely, from ideal cue.
Haunches in on a circle. Show both directions.	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.
Trotting shoulders in. Show both directions.	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.
Sideways away and towards over	The horse struggles to	Struggles to complete the	Correct and	Correct, confident,	Smoothly, softly, correctly,

an object with a turn.	complete most of the task and/ or is unsafe.	task or incorrect technique.	safe.	safe, and soft.	confidently, safely, from ideal cue.
Stand with front or hind hooves on bridge and go sideways. Show both directions.	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.
Liberty: Square with canter/walk transitions beside you. Show both sides.	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.
Boomerang with canter draw to you. Show both directions.	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.
Spiral with trot/ halt transitions on circles without using a rail. Show both directions.	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.
Shoulders in at walk. Show both directions.	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.
Spanish 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.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently, safely, from ideal cue.
Jump multiple jumps in a row. For example a grid/line, or a	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently, safely, from ideal

short course (looking for 3-4 jumps).	or is unsafe.	technique.			cue.
One hoof at a time on a pedestal (front right, then front left, then back left, then back 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.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently, safely, from ideal cue.
Confidence task on ground: Blindfold and walk your horse on rope.	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.
Confidence tasks on ground or riding: Drag a noisy object..	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.
Drag object towards horse.	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.
Step on moving object (waving tarp, through bubbles or smoke, etc).	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.
Walk through splash box, or water area with sprinkler or fountains.	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.
Confidence task while riding: Canter circle and change	The horse struggles to complete most of the task and/	Struggles to complete the task or incorrect	Correct and safe.	Correct, confident, safe, and soft.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently, safely, from ideal

direction with garrocha pole.	or is unsafe.	technique.			cue.
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Horse Knowledge Piece to be assessed separately in the Levels quiz.

Topics:

- Know how to poultice an abscess.
- Ability to give syringe, eye drops injections.

Below is the riding assessment for the full Level assessment. If you are only completing the ground tasks and Horse Knowledge for Level 1G (Ground Work) check here:

Bridleless or with reins: Canter/halt/canter transitions. Show both directions.	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.
Canter weave. Min of 4 markers to weave and max 10 ft apart.	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.
Trot shoulder in. Show both directions.	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.
Haunches in at walk. Show both directions.	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.
Sidepass/ Leg yield/ or half pass at trot. Show both directions.	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.
Canter daisy pattern with correct bend. Show both directions.	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.

Steady hands - ride with an egg and spoon or cup of water at canter for a circle.	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.
No stirrups canter. Show both directions.	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.
Spanish 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.	Smoothly, softly, correctly, confidently, safely, from ideal cue.
Bridless: Walk/ trot/ canter transitions. Show both directions.	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.
Backwards weave. Min of 4 markers to weave a max of 6ft apart.	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.

Student Name:

Date:

Address:

Email:

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Assessing Instructor:

Overall Score: _____ / **95 for 5G**, or _____ / **155 for full Level 5**.

Need min 76/95 to achieve Level 5G and pass the Horse Knowledge Quiz.

Need min 124/155 to achieve Level 5 and pass the Horse Knowledge Quiz.