

Eurasian Warhorse Horse



Education System Grading

H1 Assessment

The HEC grading system has separate categories to test the abilities of the archer, rider and the horse; the following requirements need to be successfully completed in order for the Horse to achieve H1 level.

Assessment done by:

Date:

Rider name & surname:

Horse name:

Horse age/DOB

Horse breed:

Horse country of residence:

Aids, Biomechanics and Horsemanship

Requirements:

1. Stands still without someone holding them in an arena, so that a person can walk around them, to and from them
2. Ability to have basic balance on both sides, to obtain and maintain sustained canter on both leads, and be able to work well on circles in canter

Yes / No

1. Discretionary

Yes / No

2. Ability to perform correct canter lead first time asked and maintain canter without breaking to trot throughout, performing one of the following:

a. 4 runs of any Furūsiya track (2 in each direction) or any other Furūsiya track

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Run 1

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Run 2

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Run 3

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Run 4

b. OR: 4 runs of Basic Hunt track (cantering continuously except for simple lead changes), 2 in left-handed direction, 2 in right-handed direction

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Run 1

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Run 2

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Run 3

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Run 4

Yes / No

Yes / No	c. OR: 4 runs of any Serpentine track or Chogān Arena Training track (cantering continuously except for simple lead changes), 2 in left-handed direction, 2 in right-handed direction ☐ Run 1 ☐ Run 2 ☐ Run 3 ☐ Run 4
Yes / No	d. OR: 2 runs of any of the above tracks and 2 runs of any other of the above tracks, in each set doing 1 in left-handed direction, 1 in right-handed direction (specify in Other) ☐ Run 1 ☐ Run 2 ☐ Run 3 ☐ Run 4
Additional Comments:	
Intermittent Reinless Riding	
Requirements - Maintains consistent pace throughout a track at canter - Starts in canter and returns to walk with minimal pressure	
Yes / No	1. Maintains consistent pace (does not suddenly speed up/slow down within canter) throughout each run of 4 runs total of any size Furūsiya track, Basic Hunt track, Serpentine, or Chogān track (this can include a mix of runs from any of the two tracks). ☐ Run 1 ☐ Run 2 ☐ Run 3 ☐ Run 4
Yes / No	2. Discretionary
Additional Comments:	
Desensitisation	

Horse is comfortable (e.g. no spooking, head-tossing, frozen state, etc.) with use of the following on foot and while mounted, and maintains consistent pace and direction at all gaits **while mounted**:

Yes / No Yes / No Yes / No Yes / No Yes / No Yes / No	1. Archery equipment a. Bow i.) Shooting in all directions (front, side, back, offside, downward), and on both sides, at all gaits ii.) Desensitise to potential emergency situation: bow looped over bow arm, both hands on reins b. Arrows i.) Full process of nocking in different styles ii.) Rattling in quiver iii.) Accidentally touching neck, flank, dropping to both sides of horse c. Quiver i.) Desensitised to at least one type of quiver
Yes / No Yes / No	2. Targets of various size and shape a. Sight, sounds, motions of targets accidentally falling b. Sounds of arrows hitting targets
Additional Comments:	