This course is designed to be taken as a **revision course** for candidates wishing to take the BHS Stage 2 assessment. The candidates should be regular, confident riders, able to jump to a height of 2ft 6ins and be able to lunge a quiet horse for exercise.

Candidates must hold the BHS Stage 1 Riding and Horse Care & Knowledge certificate, NVQ L2 with schooling unit or the Pony Club B test.

The BHS Ride Safe qualification is required before taking the Stage 2 Riding Assessment.

Each evening session will include 2 hours of care and 1 hour riding/lungeing.

6hr day sessions will be equivalent to 2 evening sessions while the 4hr session will concentrate on riding, lungeing and the applicable tack/care knowledge. *Tasks requiring coach endorsement will mainly be on the day sessions, so attendance is essential at these sessions in particular.*

Dates : Sun 28th January (12.30-4.30pm) Mon 19th March

Mon 12th February Mon 26th March

 Sun 18th February (10am-4pm) Mon 9th April

 Mon 5th March Mon 23rd April Sun 11th March (10am-4pm)

All Monday evening sessions will be starting at 6.30pm and day sessions as indicated.

*Participants will have the option, for an additional charge, to have a mock*

*Horse Knowledge & Care session on Sunday 29th April, 2 – 4pm.*

**Course Content**

Grooming Horse Clothing Saddlery Shoeing Horse Anatomy

Travelling Horse Behaviour Horse Health Lungeing Grassland Management

Fitness Stable Design Clipping & Trimming Watering & Feeding

Correct balanced position on the flat School Figures Work without stirrups

Correct balanced position for Jumping a course of 2’6

The cost of the **course** is **£390** which is payable at least a week before the start of the course.

*If you wish to pay by credit card please make a note on the form & we will ring to take payment.*

**Spaces are reserved only when completed & fully paid applications are received.**

This course needs a minimum of 6 candidates and a maximum of 8 candidates.

All participants in the course are reserved an internal place in the

Stage 2 Assessment on the 9th May.

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 **Horse Knowledge, Care & Riding Course**



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