

CLASS 250: Freestyle

Level 2: Ridden Foundations

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Division 5: Freestyle

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Equine: _____

Regulations: Liberty Performance

Date Entered: _____

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Back <i>The equine backs two steps away from the handler.</i>	10		

Further Remarks

Judge Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Total Points: _____ / _____

Percent Score: _____

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOUR FREESTYLE PERFORMANCE!

Use the following instructions to guide you through creating & performing a freestyle performance.

① Plan your freestyle

- A Class 250 Freestyle can include any behaviors from Level 2 of TECS competition.
- These behaviors can be performed in any order.
- Competitors are welcome to keep it simple, or get creative and incorporate themes, costumes, etc.

② Submit your freestyle rubric

- Fill the blank “Class 250: Freestyle” template (*see the example below*)
- Submit your freestyle plan via email to tecs.contact@gmail.com


③ Record & submit your freestyle

- Record your freestyle entry, following the same video guidelines as any other TECS entry.
- Submit your freestyle entry using the same online entry form as any other TECS entry.

Freestyles are scored using the same criteria as any other TECS Entry

Freestyles earn a Division Rosette in place of a Class Ribbon.

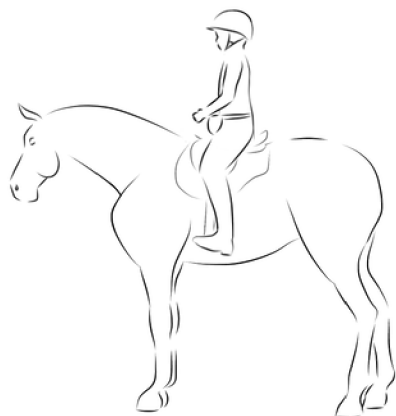
How to fill the Freestyle Template:

	<i>BEHAVIOR</i>	<i>POINTS</i>	<i>SCORE</i>	<i>REMARKS</i>
1.	Calm Default <i>The equine remains still and calm, with head forward in a calm default position, the competitor provides C&T from each side of the equine.</i>	10		
	Behavior (ie, “Nose Target to Cone”) Description (ie, “the equine touches their nose to the cone, placed directly in front of them”)			
	<i>Draw a line between each behavior</i> 			<i>TECS will fill the numbers, points, and scoring information for you.</i>

Ridden Classes: Calm Default, Backing

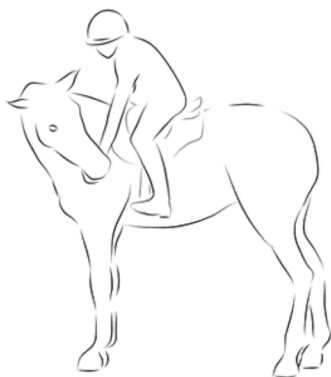
Objective: To demonstrate an effective, solid, and fluid calm default behavior during riding.

Regulations: Ridden Handling



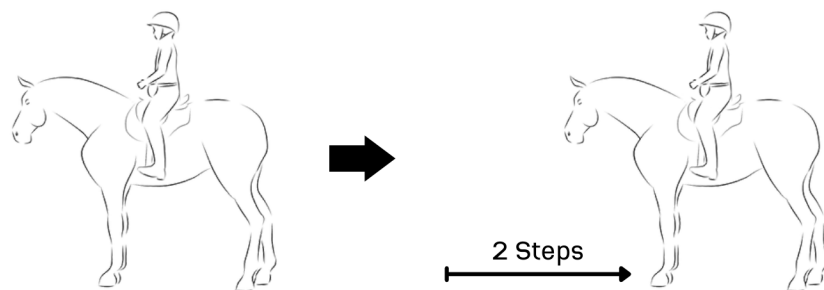
CALM DEFAULT - UNDER SADDLE

While the equine is halted, the handler should remain still and balanced in the saddle. The equine should stand calmly and patiently with their head forward.



REINFORCEMENT - UNDER SADDLE

Remaining balanced in the saddle, the handler delivers reinforcement from either side of the equine. The equine also remains balanced & reaches gently to retrieve reinforcement.



BACK 2 STEPS - UNDER SADDLE

From a balanced and stationary halt, the handler gives a distinct cue and the equine backs two steps, signaling the end of the performance.