

2019 Dressage - Progression Level Test 6

<i>Progression Level:</i> <i>Tests incorporate movements that further develop suppleness and balance</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▸Rhythm, relaxation and freedom of movement are key ▸Balance, Straightness, and Suppleness are developing ▸Horse shows greater acceptance of the aids and less resistance to the bridle 	
NEW MANEUVERS: 3 loop serpentine, free trot on diagonal			
Arena and Set up: Dressage court 20m x 40m or 20m x 60m			
TEST		DIRECTIVES	Coeff
1	A X Enter working trot Halt, salute. Proceed working trot	Straightness on centerline. Willing and smooth transitions. Balanced, straight, immobile halt. Quality of gaits	1
2	C Track right working trot	Bend and balance in turns. Quality of gait	1
3	B E Track right working trot Track left working trot	Bend and balance in turns. Quality of gait	1
4	A-C 3 loop serpentine quarterline to quarterline working trot	Accuracy and shape of loops, bend and balance, quality of gait	2
5	Btwn C&H Develop working canter left lead	Willingness, balance, accuracy, smoothness of transition. Quality of gait	1
6	E Circle left 20m working canter, continue to K	Size and shape of circle, bend and balance, quality of gait, straightness	2
7	K A Working trot Working walk	Willingness, balance, accuracy, smoothness of transitions. Quality of gait	1
8	FXM M Free walk Working walk	Willingness to stretch the neck forward and down. Straightness on diagonal, lengthening of stride, smooth transitions	2
9	Btwn M&C Working trot	Willingness, balance, accuracy, smoothness of transition. Quality of gait	1
10	C-A 3 loop serpentine quarterline to quarterline working trot	Accuracy and shape of loops, bend and balance, quality of gait	2
11	FXH Free trot, before H gather reins	Quality of stretch, straightness on diagonal, consistent tempo, smooth transitions	2
12	Btwn C&M Develop working canter right lead	Willingness, balance, accuracy, smoothness of transition. Quality of gait	1
13	B Circle right 20m working canter, continue to F	Size and shape of circle, bend and balance, quality of gait, straightness	2
14	F Working trot	Willingness, balance, accuracy, smoothness of transition. Quality of gait	1
15	A X Down centerline Halt, lengthen reins and stand for 4 seconds	Bend and balance in turns. Straightness on centerline. Willing, balanced, straight halt. Immobility	2
16	X Proceed at the walk on a loose rein for 4-6 strides	Relaxation, Straightness on centerline. Quality of the gait	2
17	G Halt, salute	Straightness on centerline. Willing, balanced, immobile halt, straightness	1
COLLECTIVE MARKS			Coeff
GAITS (purity, quality, elasticity, and regularity of tempo and rhythm)			1
SUPPLENESS & RELAXATION (looseness, flexibility, softness and balance)			2
RESPONSIVENESS, ATTENTIVENESS & HARMONY (the horse's willingness to receive the rider's aids)			2
RIDER - position (balance, position and independence of seat and legs)			2
RIDER - use and position of HANDS (quality of connection, lightness)			2
ACCURACY (geometry, timing, execution of transitions)			2