

## 2019 Six Feet on the Ground - Foundation Level Test 3

<p><i>Foundation Level:</i> An introduction to the foundational body control maneuvers on the ground</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶Rhythm, relaxation, and freedom of movement are key</li> <li>▶An elementary attempt at bend and balance is shown</li> <li>▶Basic acceptance of the aids, obedience</li> </ul>
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**NEW MANEUVERS: lunge circle at trot**

**Arena and Set up: Flat open area**

	TEST	DIRECTIVES	Coeff
1	Leading from the left side, walk 8-10 steps in a straight line	Moderate straightness, quality of the walk	1
2	Halt, salute	Willing, balanced, straight halt. Immobility	1
3	Back horse 5-8 steps, halt	Willingness, moderate straightness. Willing, balanced, straight halt. Immobility	1
4	Change sides of the horse. Leading from the right side, walk 8-10 steps in a straight line	Immobility during change. Moderate straightness; quality of the walk	2
5	Halt	Willing, balanced, straight halt. Immobility	1
6	Back horse 5-8 steps, halt	Willingness, moderate straightness. Willing, balanced, straight halt. Immobility	1
7	Have your horse walk clockwise in 1 complete circle 10ft or further away from the handler	Size and shape of circle, quality of gait	1
8	Have your horse trot clockwise in 2 complete circles 10ft or further away from the handler. Change directions	Willing transition. Size and shape of circle, quality of gait. Smooth and willing change	1
9	Have your horse trot counter clockwise in 2 complete circles 10ft or further away from the handler	Size and shape of circle, quality of gait	2
10	Have horse walk counter clockwise in 1 complete circle 10ft or further away from the handler	Willing transition. Size and shape of circle, quality of gait	2
11	Ask horse to halt at the end of the lead line, stand for 5 seconds	Willing, balanced, straight halt. Immobility	2
12	Handler walk to horse and salute	Immobility	1

COLLECTIVE MARKS	Coeff
GAITS (purity, quality, elasticity, & regularity of tempo & rhythm)	1
SUPPLENESS & RELAXATION (looseness, flexibility, softness, & balance)	2
Overall RESPONSIVENESS, ATTENTIVENESS, & HARMONY with the handler (the horse willing to receive the handler's aids)	2
HANDLER (quality of connection & lightness)	2
HANDLER (timing of aids, handling of equipment & position of body)	2
ACCURACY OF TEST (geometry, timing & execution of transitions)	2