

# VOCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME



**FOSSILFIELD  
TRAINING  
CENTRE**

The Fossilfield Vocational Development Programmes have been designed to meet the demand for recruiting a skilled workforce into the Horse Industry and to promote staff retention across the Horse-racing Industry in accordance with the ambitions of the British Horse-racing Authority. Emphasis is placed on the importance of understanding current health and safety regulations as well as adopting good practice.

The programmes offer flexible assessments to develop transferable skills and recognise prior learning. Each includes four complementary modules, which can be completed in full or as stand-alone units, resulting in a portfolio of qualifications recognised for professional competency in the industry.

The Fossilfield Professional Development Programme complements industry practices, emphasising the importance of understanding health and safety regulations, safe working procedures and industry competency.



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These programmes are suitable for school leavers, adult learners, school pupils and for industry continuous professional development (CPD) who seek employment working with horses.

Successfully completing any one of the following programmes accompanied with the Fossilfield Level 5 Horse Care will allow candidates to be awarded the National Certificate in Horse Care at SCQF Level 5.

Bespoke units can be completed to suit individual preferences.

### 1. Horse Fitness with Equitation

- Horse Fitness
- Lunging
- Equitation 1
- Work Placement

### 2. Working with Horses

- Employability Skills – Working with Horses
- Trimming, Turnout & Clipping
- Yard Maintenance
- Work Placement

### 3. Work Rider Programme

- Equitation 1
- Riding for Routine Work
- Riding to Improve the Performance of the Racehorse
- Work Placement



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#### 4. Racehorse Care

- An introduction to Racehorse Care
- Safe Handling a Racehorse
- Escorting to the Races
- Work Placement

#### 5. Specialised Racehorse Care

- An Introduction to Racehorse Care
- Horseracing Regulation and Controlled Substances
- Horse Rehabilitation (with Lunging)
- Work Placement

#### 6. Horse Rehabilitation

- Horse Rehabilitation
- Providing Non-Ridden Exercise (with Lunging)
- Horse Fitness
- Work Placement

#### Study Options & Fees:

- College Style Learning (Part/Full Time)
- CPD (Short course)



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# FURTHER INFORMATION



Fossilfield Training Centre Ltd has been training young people to industry standard for several years. Our dedication to support and advise allows us to offer a personalised package of training and coaching that ensures the ambitions of our students are at the heart of every coaching session.

Our campus consists of a bespoke range of facilities which generates a host of learning opportunities specific to the Horse Industry. Teaching is delivered through a mixture of practical activities formal tutorials and work – based placements which are designed to generate informed discussions around set topics which will involve students reviewing their own performance.

Our team of staff members will be available to assist should you have any queries or need support in finding the right course for you.

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