

HIPPOLOGY

The primary objective of the Hippology Contest is to provide, in a friendly but competitive setting, an opportunity for youth currently enrolled in the 4-H Horse and Pony or Horseless Horse Project to demonstrate the depth of their knowledge and understanding of equine science and husbandry.

GRADE DIVISIONS:

Beginner 3-5
Junior 6-8
Senior 9-13

WISCONSIN CONTEST RULES:

This is an educational activity of five or more subject areas. Each area is called a Station. Each station is numbered and represents a particular subject. Such as: #1 - Parts of the Horse; #2 - Breeds of Horses; #3 - Leg and Face Markings; #4 - Styles of Riding; #5 - Nutrition, etc. Each station has an equal number of items to identify of an equal number of questions to answer. Any number of stations may be used.

TO START THE CONTEST

1. Each contestant is given a score sheet and an explanation of directions at the door before starting the stations.
2. Each contestant will be given a designated amount of time (two minutes) at a station, with a "30 second left" announcement.
3. When the timer signals, the first contestant enters Station #1. Contestant must stand with his/her back to the station until the timer signals the time to start. The contestant may then turn around and begin to identify the terms. At the end of the designated time the contestant must stop and turn around. He/She must not leave the station until the timer signals.
4. Each time a contestant leaves Station #1 and moves to the next station a new contestant enters. Contestants must stand with their backs to each new station until the timer signals. This process is repeated until all of the contestants have completed all stations.
5. As contestants leave the last station, they will turn in their answer sheet to be scored by the tabulator. Seniors are required to take a written test. Intermediates will be offered a volunteer exam.
6. Stations are numbered chronologically throughout the contest.
7. There may be stations that have actual horse related items.
8. One point will be assigned to each correct answer at a station, with total for the stations to determine the final score for the stations phase of Hippology.
9. Tie Breaking at the State Expo will be done using the written test score, and then the station scores. If further tie breakers are needed, they will be determined by previously selected individual station scores.

10. A grand, reserve and 8 top ten ribbons in each division will be awarded. Disqualified entries are NOT eligible for awards but will be critiqued by judge with reason for disqualification listed on judges form.

11. In order for a youth to be eligible for Regionals or Nationals they MUST have competed at that specific contest in the current year and be reenrolled in 4-H next year.

NOTE: Senior contestants **MUST** also participate in the Judging Contest at State Expo to be eligible for Regional or National Teams.

12. Grand and Reserve Champion Teams will have the option of participating at either the Regional or National contest. (One additional team may be eligible to participate at the Regional Contest.) Some funding from the Wisconsin 4-H Horse Association will be provided for only one contest per year. After competing in this contest at QH Congress or Eastern Nationals 4-H Horse Round Up, they are ineligible to compete in the same contest at the same location in future years.

13. Regional & Nationals contest eligibility: See WI Regional & National Selection Process.

TOPICS AND RESOURCES:

There will be a series of six topics to be focused on over a period of six years for the Senior and Junior divisions. Topics will be used in the following order:

2020 Nutrition & feeds

2021 Health - disease & prevention, parasites, first aid, housing (management)

2022 History, evolution, breeds & color

2023 Reproduction & Genetics

2024 Anatomy

2025 Showing - Equestrian guidelines, gaits, tack, equipment

Questions will be used from all topics but will focus on that year's area.

ALL GRADE DIVISION SOURCES

Wisconsin 4-H Equestrian Guidelines (posted)

Equine Science by Jean T Griffiths

CCS - Horse Project Handbooks (5) Revised 2005

Horse 1 – Giddy Up & Go

Horse 2 – Head, Heart & Hooves

Horse 3 – Stable Relationships

Horse 4 – Riding the Range

Horse 5 – Horse Pattern Jumping to New Heights

Draft Horse - Ohio Circular 181

National 4-H Council 4-H Program Series:

Horses & Horsemanship

Horse Science

COLOR - Color Atlas of Horse Anatomy, McCracken

**Horse Smarts (American Youth Horse Council)

ADDITIONAL JUNIOR LEARNING RESOURCES:

HIH - Horse Industry Handbook

ADDITIONAL SENIOR DIVISION SOURCES

Horse Industry Handbook

Illustrated Dictionary of Equine Terms

New Horizons Education Center Inc.

Alpine Publications, PO Box 7027, Loveland, CO 80537

Phone: 1-800-777-7257

Fax: 1-970-667-9157

Feeding and Care of the Horse (2nd Edition) by Lon D Lewis

Williams and Wilkens, PO Box 1496, Baltimore, MD 21298-9724

Phone: 1-800-638-0672

*Supplemental References for the National Contests

See National Lists for specific resources. These can change yearly.

*E Nationals: <http://4hroundup.com/rules/>

*QH Congress: <http://4hansci.osu.edu/rules/>

HIPPOLOGY SCORE SHEET

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Hippology Stations Example – side 1

Hippology Stations

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SIDE 1

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NAME (Print Last, First, M.I.)

GENERAL PURPOSE - NCS PEARSON - ANSWER SHEET

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Hippology Stations Example – side 2

USE NO. 2 PENCIL ONLY

Handwritten: Hippology Stations

Stamp: SIDE 2

Warning: DO NOT MAKE ANY MARKS IN THIS SHADED AREA

Instructions:

- USE A NO. 2 PENCIL ONLY
- DARKEN THE CIRCLE COMPLETELY
- ERASE CLEANLY ANY MARKS YOU WISH TO CHANGE
- DO NOT MAKE ANY STRAY MARKS ON THIS FORM

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Improper Marks: ○ ○ ○ ○

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Horse & Livestock Scantron Example

CDE Scorer Livestock Form (2010)
Form # CUS001

Incorrect Marks: ☒ X ☒ ☒ ☒ ☒
Correct Mark: ☒

Event Name/Team Name/Additional Info

Team/School ID

Full Name (First, Space, Last)

Placing Classes

Questions on Placing Classes

Feeder Cattle Grading

Slaughter Cattle Grading

Female Selections

Raw Scores or Identification - A

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