



# EA PD Grade I Preparatory Test ©

(Level 1)  
Effective 01/07/23

Arena size 40m x 20m – Average Test Time 4:30 minutes  
Suggested Draw time – 8mins

BRIDLE  
NO:

<b>Horse:</b>	<b>Rider:</b>
<b>Event:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
<b>Judge Name:</b>	<b>JUDGE POSITION:</b>

**Purpose:** To confirm that the horse demonstrates correct basics, is supple and moves freely forward in a clear rhythm with a steady tempo, accepting contact with the bit.

**Introduces:** Basic Lines and Turns, Large Curved Lines

	Test	Directive Ideas	Judges Mark (10)	Coefficient	Total	REMARKS
1	A A C	Enter in medium walk Medium walk				
2	C C H E	Track left Medium walk				
3	E B	Half 20m circle left				
4	B H	Medium walk on diagonal				
5	H C M B	Medium walk				
6	B E	Half 20m circle right				
7	E M	Medium walk on diagonal				
8	M C H	Medium walk				
9	H E K	Allow the horse to stretch and walk on a longer rein.				
10	K K A	Transition to medium walk Medium walk				
11	A A X	Turn down center line Medium walk				
12	X	Halt, Immobility, Salute				

Leave arena in walk on a long rein at A

**COLLECTIVE MARKS**

Paces (freedom and regularity)						1		
Activity (desire to move forward, elasticity of the steps, relaxation of the back and engagement of the quarters)						1		
Submission (attention and confidence; harmony, lightness and ease of the movements, straightness, acceptance of the bridle and lightness of the forehead)						2		
Equestrian feel and skill of the athlete. Accuracy.						2		
<b>TOTAL MARKS</b>					<b>180</b>			
<b>Technical Penalties - Minus 0.5%</b>		<b>Reason:</b>			<b>Minus Total Technical Penalties</b>			
<b>Course Errors (Cumulative)</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> - 0.5%	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 1%	3 <sup>rd</sup> Elimination		<b>Minus Total Course Errors</b>			
<b>FINAL MARK</b>								
<b>PERCENTAGE</b>								

Judge Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

If two competitors have the same final score, the one with the highest marks for the collectives at the end of the test is the higher placed rider.