

## HORSEMANSHIP TEST “B” 2-Gait

The purpose of the 2 Gait Introductory level test is to introduce the horse and rider to the basic principles of Horsemanship and to demonstrate that the horse moves freely forward with steady rhythm and willingness. The horse must willingly accept the bit.

		TEST	GUIDELINES	POINTS	!	TOTAL	REMARKS
1	A X C	Enter working walk Halt & Salute Proceed at working walk Track right	Straightness on center line Transitions in & out of halt Steadiness Immobility at halt Quality of turn at C				
2	MXK K	Free walk on long rein Working walk	Relaxation and stretch Freedom of Gait Response to aids				
3	A	Halt 5 seconds Proceed working walk	Immobility Transitions				
4	FXH	Paso Llano	Transition Quality of Gait Acceptance of aids				
5	C	Circle Right 20M diameter	Roundness of circle Steadiness of Gait				
6	B E	Turn Right Turn Left	Acceptance of Aids Quality of turns				
7	A	Circle left 20M	Roundness of circle Steadiness of gait				
8	Between F & B	Develop working walk	Transition Quality of Gait				
9	B X	Turn Left Turn Right	Acceptance of Aids Quality of turns				
10	G	Down centerline Halt, salute Leave arena free walk on a long rein	Immobility Transition				

Leave arena walking out at A

### Collective Marks:

Gaits (freedom & steadiness)	2	
Impulsion (willingness to move forward, suppleness of back & steps)	2	
Submission (attention, confidence, lightness & ease of movements, acceptance of the bit)	2	
Riders position & seat, correctness & effect of aids	2	

Further remarks:

Subtotal \_\_\_\_\_  
 Errors (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total Points \_\_\_\_\_