

10 Excellent
 9 Very Good
 8 Good
 7 Fairly Good
 6 Satisfactory
 5 Sufficient

4 Insufficient
 3 Fairly Bad
 2 Bad
 1 Very Bad
 0 Not Executed



Bridle No. _____

Judge Position: _____

Date: _____

MSEDC CHILDRENS TEST 1 – Led

Arena Size 30m x 20m (utilising half a 60m x 20m) **Test Time** 5:00 Minutes (from entry at X to final halt) **Suggested Draw Time** 8:00 Minutes

Purpose: To introduce the rider to the sport of dressage. To show understanding of riding the horse forward with balance and control from rider.

Instructions: To be ridden in an ordinary snaffle. Mount to be led with lead rein or from halter.

Horse _____

Rider _____

Event _____

Division: LED

TEST			DIRECTIVE IDEAS	Judge's Mark	REMARKS
1.	X G C	Enter in walk Halt, Salute, proceed at walk Track Right	Straightness on centreline; rider's aids to halt; rider's aids to walk		
2.	R	Turn Right	Control through turn; maintenance of walk		
3.	I	Turn Right	Control through turn; maintenance of walk		
4.	G C	Halt – perform "Round the World"; proceed at walk Turn Left	Leader to take full control of mount, rider to remove both feet from stirrups & complete full turn around in saddle, feet in stirrups before moving off		
5.	H S	Trot Walk	Quality of aids; rider's balance at trot		
6.	E X	Turn Left Turn Left	Control through turn; maintenance of walk		
7.	G C	Halt – perform "Standing in Stirrups" for 5seconds, proceed at walk Turn Right	Leader to take full control of mount, rider may hold pommel to stand up in stirrups while maintaining balance		
8.	M R	Trot Walk	Quality of aids; rider's balance at trot		
9.	B X	Turn Right Turn Right	Control through turn; maintenance of walk		
10.	I	Perform "Aeroplane Arms" at walk	Leader to take full control of mount, rider to let go of reins and stretch both arms outwards		
11.	G	Halt, Salute Leave arena at walk at X	Balance in halt transition, maintenance of walk		
COLLECTIVE MARKS			Mark	Co-efficient	
Riders position, seat, correctness and effectiveness of the aids				X2	
Rider's smile				X2	
Harmony between rider and mount				X2	
Course Errors (cumulative):			TOTAL MARKS (170)		
$1^{st} = -2$ $2^{nd} = -4 (= -6)$ $3^{rd} = \text{Elimination}$			MINUS ERRORS		
Judges Name:			FINAL MARKS		
Judges Signature:			PERCENTAGE		

Directions for Exercises

“Round the World”

1. Rider to place reins on mounts neck and leader to take full control of mount
2. Rider to remove feet from BOTH stirrups
3. Lift one leg over mounts neck – rider is now sitting sideways
4. Lift one leg over mounts rump – rider is now sitting backwards
5. Lift other leg over rump – rider is now sitting sideways (facing opposite way)
6. Lift leg over mounts neck – rider is now back in normal forward facing position
7. Rider to place feet back in stirrups and pick up reins

“Standing in Stirrups”

1. Rider to place reins on mounts neck and leader to take full control of mount
2. Rider may hold mane, pommel or neck strap
3. Stand forward into stirrups and maintain for 5 seconds

“Aeroplane Arms”

1. Rider places reins on mounts neck and leader to take full control of mount
2. Stretch each arm out sideways whilst maintaining walk
3. Leader to halt mount at G, rider to maintain balance
4. Rider to pick up reins before saluting