Western Learn to Ride Program Equivalencies/Exemptions/Challenging & Instructor/Coaching Prerequisites

Challenging Exam:

Riders have the opportunity to challenge a Rider Level. They are required to write and pass all prior written levels up to and including the level they are challenging as well as the stable management components. Riders are responsible for reviewing the requirements at each of the prior levels. If a candidate is unsuccessful at the Rider Level they are challenging the evaluator has the option to award the rider with the appropriate level.

Evaluator forms will only be released by the Alberta Equestrian Federation to active Instructors and Coaches who are eligible to evaluate at a particular level.

Medical Exemption:

Instructor/Coach candidates using the Western Learn to Ride Program as a prerequisite, but for physical reasons are no longer capable of riding may apply for exemption from the riding portion of Rider Level 4 by contacting the AEF and by filling out the Physical Exemption Request Form

Granting Equivalence:

Currently there are no equivalencies for the Western Learn to Ride program.

Instructor/Coaching Certification Prerequisites:

Candidate intending to pursue their instructor or coach levels should carefully consider the following:

- Those candidates who wish to attain their instructor certification must successfully pass Western Rider Level 4
- Those candidates who wish to attain their competition coach certification must successfully pass the Western Learn to Ride Level 4 test as well as the Basic Training (BT) component of the Western Intermediate Rider Program

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