

English Ridden Showing Guide



Rider

- Black or navy hat (bowler optional, no top hats)
- Black, navy or tweed Jacket
- Shirt and Tie/Stock to compliment jacket
- Beige, Cream or Fawn breeches (not white)
- Black or Brown long leather riding boots
- Dark gloves
- Spurs optional
- Whips no longer than 75cm
- Military formal uniform is permitted for present and serving personnel only

TACK

- Showing saddle .Dressage saddles are permitted but not preferred, side-saddles are permitted
- Discreet numnah in dark colours (no dressage squares)
- Bridle of plain leather with cavesson noseband (no bling or flash nosebands)
- Snaffle bit. Pelham or double allowed for horses over 4 years
- No martingales or breast plates but neck straps are allowed
- No boots or bandages

HORSE

- Manes to be traditionally trimmed or plaited
- Tails to be traditionally trimmed or loose
- Clear hoof polish only
- No makeup but clear highlighter/baby oil allowed
- The showing of overweight horses is discouraged

INDIVIDUAL DISPLAY

- Horses will not be ridden by the judge
- Ideally keep the duration of your individual display to within two minutes or what ever the judge indicates to you
- You should show all paces but refrain from high-school movements