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## Terms and Conditions for Learners

1. Permission to be on the property only when accompanied by Nat, Claire, Fiona, Clare or Csilla.
2. Supervision, help and education are provided for all learners. Learners follow a three step learning progression following a written curriculum.
3. All horse care chores (attached) are the responsibility of the learner on their set days. If you are unable to attend please let us know as soon as possible. Do not nominate another person to do them.
4. We will endeavour to reappoint missed sessions where possible, subject to the availability of your horse/pony and a facilitator. Monthly payments will still need to be paid to keep your ongoing session slot available for you.
5. Horses are only for 'the learner' as agreed. If any involvement with the horse is wanted by another family member or friend then a separate agreement should be sought. For insurance and safety reasons, you are not allowed to let anyone else handle your horse.
6. Mobile phones must be kept in bags and used to contact parents/carers if necessary. This is to ensure that images are not taken of other participants who may not have given photo/video consent.
7. Please ensure any of your own equipment/tack and personal belongings are taken home after your session as HfG cannot guarantee their safe keeping if they are left on site.



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8. Please ensure you obtain your own personal insurance cover in case of any accident or injury resulting from your horse.
  
  9. A financial donation of £120 per month for one three hour session per week towards the upkeep of your horse is payable monthly in advance. A month's notice is required on termination of your agreement. Please pay via direct bank transfer and include the learner's name as a reference:

Horses for Good Ltd

Account number: 10497191

Sort code: 60-83-71

Thank you for supporting Horses for Good. Your donation helps us to provide rescue, rehabilitation and a permanent home for our horses, which in turn helps people with their wellbeing, mental health, personal development and creates an opportunity to evaluate, develop and build strong bonding relationships.



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## **Responsibilities (care) of your horse/pony**

### Stable Management

- Muck out stable, fill hay-net, clean water, sweep up.

### Paddock Management

- Poo-pick paddock, wash bucket, provide clean water, check fencing.

### Horse Management

- Fetch horse, pick out feet, groom.
- Rehab and/or exercise. Brush off (wash off if sweating) after work. Make feed (wash feed bowl afterwards).
- Rug up/fly mask/spray appropriate to the weather.
- Keep tack clean. Keep your horse's grooming kit and rugs tidy.

Please give Nat regular feedback and report any concerns/noticeables.

Thank you for being a caring, conscientious learner and for contributing to Horses for Good.

Nat follows a few groundwork training programmes such as Parelli, TRT method, Carolyn Resnick and The Trust Technique and can facilitate your learning with any groundwork programme. Nat is an EAGALA trained Equine Psychotherapist, holds BHS AI and BHS Stage 4 and completed a course on equine psychology as well as being a massage therapist, which is useful for the horses. Nat has a BSc (Hons) degree in Creative & Expressive Arts in Counselling & Psychotherapy and has a Certificate in Understanding Autism.

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