

# FIRST STAR TEST REQUIREMENTS

<b><u>ORAL</u></b>	<b><u>Score</u></b>
1. Name any fifteen (15) parts of the horse to include: poll, withers, pastern, hock, frog. Why do we need to know this?	_____ 15
2. Identify eight (8) parts of the saddle and six (6) parts of the bridle.	_____ 15
3. Give two (2) reasons why you have to cool out your horse.	_____ 5
4. Name five (5) safety rules to be aware of when working around a horse.	_____ 10
5. Name four (4) general safe rules for feeding a horse.	_____ 5
6. Name five (5) safety rules for riding in a group and alone.	_____ 5

## **HANDS ON**

1. Be prepared to identify six (6) grooming tools. Choose from the following: Curry comb/dandy brush/body brush/hoof pick/rub rag/ mane/tail comb Give three (3) reasons why proper grooming is important and please include the feet.	_____ 15
2. Demonstrate how to approach a horse safely in a stall and in a pasture.	_____ 5
3. Demonstrate the proper leading of a horse including in and out of a stall.	_____ 5
4. Execute a basic showmanship pattern to include: walk/ jog/ back/ set-up/ and inspection.	_____ 20

Total Score: \_\_\_\_\_

