



## PASO DOBLE TEST 2026

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Venue:</b>	<b>Judge:</b>	<b>Position:</b>
<b>Bridle No:</b>	<b>Rider:</b>	<b>Horse:</b>	

Preliminary Level (National Test only). The test is to be performed in an arena of 60m x 20m.

For horses of 7 years old and over. Test may be performed in rising or sitting trot.

Snaffle or double bridle, spurs optional, whips and callers allowed. Time allowed 6 minutes.

Fig		Movements	Remarks	Marks	Judge's Mark
1	A	Enter in working trot and proceed to S on the right rein		10	
	S	Halt, immobility, salute and proceed in medium walk.			
2	P V	Half 20m circle in working trot		10	
3	V R	Change the rein in working trot		10	
4	R S	Half 20m circle in working trot		10	
5	FXH	Change the rein in medium trot		10	
6	Between C & M	Transition to medium walk		10 x 2	
7	Between M & R	Gradually transition to extended walk		10	
8	R S	Half 20m circle in extended walk		10	
9	Between S & H	Gradually transition to medium walk		10	
10	Between H & C	Proceed in working trot		10	
11	R	Sitting trot		10	
12	R S	Half 20m circle, process in working canter to the right crossing the middle line		10	
13	C	Circle 20m in working canter		10	
14	M P	Medium canter		10	
15	Between P & F	Gradually transition to working canter		10	

16	K B	Transition to working trot for a few strides then process in working canter to the left		10	
17	C	Circle 20 metres in working canter		10	
18	E F	Transition to working trot crossing the middle line		10	
19	V P	Half 20 metre circle, allowing the horse stretch on a long rein whilst maintaining contact		10	
20	Between P & F	Retake the reins		10	
21	A	Down the centre line		10	
	X	Halt, immobility, salute			

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>220</b>
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Leave the arena at A in a free walk on a long rein

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**PRELIMINARY TEST**

	<b>COLLECTIVE MARKS</b>	<b>COEF</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>OBSERVATIONS</b>
22	<b>Rhythm</b> (Correct footfalls, regularity, suitable and consistent tempo)	10 x 2		
23	<b>Suppleness</b> (Relaxed mentally and physically. Works over the back and through neck. Follows line of curves equally in both directions)	10 x 2		
24	<b>Contact</b> (Works from behind into a consistent elastic contact)	10 x 2		
25	<b>Rider's position</b> (Balance, straightness and correctness)	10 x 2		
26	<b>Rider's results</b> (Effectiveness and correctness of aids)	10 x 2		
	<b>TOTAL COLLECTIVES</b>	<b>100</b>		<b>JUDGES COMMENTS:</b>
	Penalty points (to be deducted): 1 <sup>st</sup> error: -0.5% 2 <sup>nd</sup> error: -1% 3 <sup>rd</sup> error: Elimination			
	<b>TOTAL MARKS 320</b>			<b>Judges signature:</b>

Total errors of course to deduct	
Total penalty marks to deduct	
Total marks to count	
Final Percentage:	%