



Performance Programme Dressage Criteria 2019

All riders must be eligible to compete for Great Britain and hold a current British passport. To be eligible for the programme they must become full competing members of British Dressage on selection and **reside in Scotland**. Riders will not be eligible for this programme if they are currently supported by the BEF World Class Programme. Riders that are currently serving a ban from competition as a result of a doping offence (equine or human) or equine medication offence will not be eligible.

Performance Level

16 – 18 years

- Minimum of two final scores at 67% at Advanced Medium Silver/Gold and above (including FEI Junior Team and Individual Tests) at Premier Leagues, Championships or BD National Championships
- Min. of two final scores of 67%+ in FEI Junior Team or Individual Test at CDI3* / CDIO3* / CDIYR or above (one score must come from Jnr Team test).
- Top 30 individual placing with a score over 65% at Junior European Championships in 2018

A minimum of 2 recent score sheets at the above level/s should accompany the application

19 – 21 years

- Combinations will be competing consistently and achieving a minimum of two final scores of 67% or above at PSG/Inter 1 (incl. YR Team and Individual tests) achieved at Premier Leagues, Regional Championships or BD National Championships
- Minimum of two final scores at 66% at PSG level and above (including FEI Young Rider Team and Individual Tests) in CDI/CDIJ
- Top 30 individual placing with a score over 65% at Young Rider European Championships in 2018

A minimum of 2 recent score sheets at the above level should accompany the application.

22 years and above

- Combinations will be competing consistently and achieved a minimum of two final scores of 68% or above at Inter. 1 level or above achieved at Premier Leagues, Regional Championships or BD National Championships
- Minimum of two final scores at 67% at Inter. 1 level and above at a CDI ***
- A minimum of 2 final scores of 64% or above at either Premier League U25 Grand Prix, Premier League Inter II level or U25 CDI

A minimum of 2 recent score sheets at the above level should accompany the application.

Young Horses:

Riders will also be considered on younger horses at the below stages:

- Horses 5-6 years with 70%+ at Young Horse Premier League Classes or Regional Championships/National Championships at Elementary/Medium
- Horses 7 years with 70%+ at Regional Championships/National Championships at Advanced Medium level
- Horses 8 years with 70% at Regional Championships/National Championships at Advanced Medium/PSG
- Horse 9 years with 67%+ at Regional Championships/National Championships at PSG/Inter1
- Horses 10 years with 66%+ at Regional Championships/National Championships at Inter II
- Horses between 10-12 years at with 65% at Regional Championships/National Championships at Grand Prix

A minimum of 2 recent score sheets at the above level must accompany the application.

Exceptional Applicants

Exceptional applicants aged 12 and above competing on ponies/horses may be considered that meet the following minimum criteria:

- Achieving at Med (or above) on horses, final scores of 68% or above at a minimum of 3 competitions and one score at Medium Silver/Gold (or above) of 66% at Premier Leagues, Regional Championships or BD National Championships. Horse/Rider combination must show potential to progress to Advanced Medium level

A minimum of 3 recent score sheets at the above level should accompany the application

Development Level

16 – 18 years

- Minimum of two final scores at 66% at Advanced Medium Silver/Gold and above

19 – 21 years

- Combinations will be competing consistently and achieving a minimum of two final scores of 66% or above at PSG/Inter 1

22 years and above

- Combinations will be competing consistently and achieved a minimum of two final scores of 68% or above at PSG or above achieved at Premier Leagues, Regional Championships or BD National Championships
- Combinations will be competing consistently and achieved a minimum of two final scores of 66% or above at Inter I
- A minimum of 2 final scores of 64% or above at Inter II level