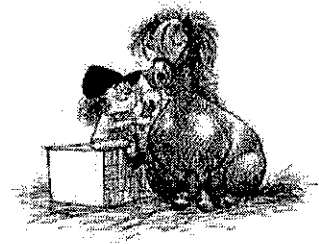


## PCQ- Activity Sheet- Number 7

These activities are designed to cater for E, D/D\*, C/C\* and above. You can do some of the activities or all of them. It's up to you!



IN SHORT - TREAT YOUR HORSE AS YOU WOULD  
TO BE TREATED YOURSELF.

Topic: stop, go forward, slow down and step back- Ground Handling

1. When leading a horse where do you apply the pressure if you want it to move forward?

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2. When you are leading a horse and you want it to slow down what could you do with your steps?

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3. When I am turning my horse in hand which way should I teach the horse to turn first? Why?

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4. If I am leading my horse and want it to stop and it takes a long time for the horse to respond what can I do to make the response quicker?

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5. Answer true or false for these statements.

- A horse should respond immediately to the aid to stop.

TRUE      FALSE

- When leading the horse the handler should be standing in front on the horses head.

TRUE      FALSE

- The pressure applied to the horses mouth through the reins should be released.

TRUE      FALSE

6. Explain the pressure and release method when teaching a horse to stop or slow down.

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7. Finish off the following sentences

- The handler should always be wearing

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- When asking the horse to stop the handler

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- Where would be a good place to practice the stop, go forward, slow down and turn aids with your horse/pony.

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Do you have a picture of you when you were young with your horse? Your club might be able to do a who am I with pictures of members when they were young with their horse?

