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1 State **two** common problems that can occur when riding horses for the first time over cross-country fences. (2 marks)

2 Explain the importance of **two** nutrients required in the diet of an elite horse rider. (4 marks)

3 Explain **three** ways a rider can overcome nerves when competing in a show jumping competition. (6 marks)

4 Identify **four** common issues which may be seen when assessing a horse's way of going. (4 marks)

5 State **four** signs that may indicate that a horse has sustained an injury when in training on a fitness programme. (4 marks)

6 Explain **two** benefits of using interval training in a horse's fitness programme. (4 marks)

7 For a horse exercising as part of a fitness programme,

a) describe **two** signs of dehydration (2 marks)

b) describe **two** signs of fatigue. (2 marks)

8 State **four** steps required when changing a horse's management system from field kept to stable kept at the start of a fitness programme. (4 marks)

9 For the following **two** types of work, explain the benefits of their use in a horse's fittening programme.

a) Hacking. (2 marks)

b) Lungeing. (2 marks)

10 State **two** benefits of monitoring business performance against targets. (2 marks)

11 Explain why the Data Protection Act 2018 is important to a riding school business. (4 marks)

12 Explain **two** reasons why creating a cash flow forecast is important to a business. (4 marks)

13 State **two** types of insurance for the physical resources that would be required in a business. (2 marks)

14 You are the manager of a small but successful riding school which has six ponies and three horses all working at a basic novice level. The owner has now decided to invest more capital and expand the business, which will include purchasing additional horses.

Discuss areas of possible expansion for the business, the additional horse requirements and how these changes could be implemented to ensure the future success of the business. (12 marks)

End of examination