

SPECIALIST TRAINING COURSE **CALL FOR ENTRIES 2022-2023**

HORSEMANSHIP

This training provides the participants with the knowledge they need to achieve a broader education as a dressage rider, enabling them to develop their careers professionally. This training is extended to four years.

The course is structured in two cycles, each of them of two school years. Although the overarching element is the practice of Dressage, the first course constitutes an approach to the basic aspects, and with the second course, pupils obtain a specialization in educational, recreational and sports sectors.

During the training, the pupils take part in many of the Royal School's activities: galas, exhibition performances, events or reportages, and going outs to the competitions.

VACANCIES AND ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

For the course 2022-2023 are offered FOURTEEN (14) vacancies. They will be assigned to the applicants who success all requirements and get the best marks in the entrance exams.

- **FOUR (4) FOR THE COURSE AT THE ROYAL SCHOOL IN JEREZ DE LA FRONTERA**
for applicants with Bachelor Education or equivalent, and it has a duration of four years.
- **TEN (10) FOR THE COURSE IN THE CAMPUS REAL ESCUELA TORRELUNA IN CARMONA.**
 - o FIVE (5) vacancies are reserved for the applicants with ESO education, and it has a duration of two years.
 - o FIVE (5) vacancies are for the applicants with Bachelor Education or equivalent, and it has a duration of four years.

The requirements to apply for a vacancy are the following:

- Have completed ESO education (Compulsory Secondary Education), Bachelor (Baccalaureate) or [equivalent](#).
- Be aged between 16 and 24 years old.
- Declaring that the applicant does not suffer from any illness that may impede working with horses and teams.

REGISTRATION AND DOCUMENTATION

The duly completed application and the required documents must preferably be sent by mail to:

Fundación Real Escuela Andaluza del Arte Ecuestre

Departamento de Formación

Avda. Duque de Abrantes s/n. 11407. Jerez de la Frontera, Cádiz. España

Or by email to: formacion@realescuela.org

The following documents must be delivered together with the application form:

- Certified photocopy of the qualification required.
- Medical certificate.
- Proof(s) of payment of the admission fees.
- Authorization from parents or tutors in case of underage.
- Photocopy of identity document or passport.
- 2 Photos (passport size).

EXAM FEES

The amount of sixty (60) Euros is required as application and exam fee for Horsemanship Specialty.

A person can apply for all the specialties at the same time, except for Saddlery, paying the amount established for each Specialty in the following bank account:

FUNDACIÓN REAL ESCUELA ANDALUZA DEL ARTE ECUESTRE
CAIXABANK
OFICINA MAMELÓN
CALLE SEVILLA 6
11402 JEREZ DE LA FRONTERA, CADIZ
CUENTA: 2100 2626 31 0210071433
IBAN: ES69 2100 2626 3102 1007 1433

DATES FOR SUBMISSIONS OF THE APPLICATIONS AND ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

The application submission period is from Wednesday, June 22 to Wednesday, September 7, 2022.

The tests will be held with horses of this Foundation at the Royal School Foundation, Avda. Duque de Abrantes on Tuesday, September 13 and Wednesday, September 14.

GENERAL BASIS, COMMUNICATION OF RESULTS AND BEGINNING OF THE COURSE

The applicant must come the day of the entrance examinations with the ID card/Passport and the current federated card.

Those applicants of foreign nationality must demonstrate their Spanish ability level to be able to get the maximum benefit from the course.

The applicants may request in person a review of their exams, being for the theoretical test on the same day of the exam and for the practical test by previous appointment during the following work days after the exam day.

The results will be communicated to the applicants by telephone and by email.

The course begins on Monday, October 3, 2022.

ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

The entry fee for the Specialist Training Course in Horsemanship is:

- Jerez: 2,500 € per year
- Campus Real Escuela-Torreluna in Carmona: 4,000 € per year

The applicant(s) must clearly state in the application form the order of preference of the course they wish to do after the entrance exam, between Jerez and Campus Real Escuela-Torreluna in Carmona.

This amount must be fully paid at the beginning of the course. Possibility of applying for bank financing of the course fee.

ENTRANCE EXAM

The applicants must complete two exams: a theoretical part and a practical part.

- **Theoretical exam:** This consists of thirty (30) questions dealing with topics referenced in the bibliography, one point (1) each question of a test-exam. To have the option of carrying out the following exam, the applicant must have obtained a mark of more of the 66% in the test-exam.

Bibliography:

1. Podhajsky, Alois: La equitación clásica. Sevilla: Lettera, 2006. ISBN: 84-96060-35-7.
 2. Álvarez Díez, Víctor: Doma clásica para todos. Sevilla: Lettera, 2006. ISBN: 978-84-96060-88-3.
 3. [Reglamento de Doma Clásica de la RFHE](#).
 4. [Reglamento General de la RFHE](#).
- **Practical exam:** It consists of executing a Classical Dressage test (attached to this document) on a 60 X 20 m. track. This exercise will be done from memory and each applicant will be assigned a horse by public drawing.

This test is judged by five teachers from this Foundation. The highest and the lowest scores obtained will be excluded, being calculated the average with the other three remaining scores.
 - **FINAL MARK AND EXAM RESULTS:** This will be the average of the marks obtained in the theoretical and practical exercises, considering that the former counts for 30% of the mark and the latter for 70%. The assignation of places will be strictly by order of marks. If two applicants obtain the same final mark, the best mark achieved in the practical test shall be decisive, and in case of a tie, it will be determined by the best average of the total marks obtained in the practical test.