

Your Guide to Short Courses

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For the latest information on short training courses visit www.oatridge.ac.uk/short_courses or contact Moira Montgomery, Short Course Co-ordinator on tel: 01506 864807, e-mail mmontgomery@oatridge.ac.uk. Enquiries regarding equestrian short courses should be directed to Lucy Brindley, Scottish National Equestrian Centre on tel: 01506 865714, e-mail lbrindley@oatridge.ac.uk.

Handling Machinery and Equipment

Chainsaws - Maintenance, Crosscutting and Felling Small Trees up to 200 mm - Lantra

4 days Mon-Thu (ILA Approved)
12-15 Jan; 9-12 Feb; 2-5 Mar; 6-9 Apr; 4-7 May; 1-4 Jun; 6-9 Jul £450

Chainsaws - Maintenance, Crosscutting and Felling Small Trees up to 380 mm – NPTC

5-days Mon-Fri (ILA Approved)
19-23 Jan; 16-20 Feb; 23-27 Mar; 20-24 Apr; 11-14 May; 15-19 Jun
(+ 1 day test to be arranged) £780

Forklift Course – Rough terrain telescopic lift truck (pallet & bulk up to 9 metres) - Lantra

3 days (ILA Approved)
12-14 Jan £450

Transportation of Livestock by Road Short Journeys over 65km and under 8 hours

Friday mornings Online testing
NPTC Certificate: £60 (test only; per species)
Lantra Certificate: £45 (test only; covers all species)

Transportation of Livestock by Road Long Distance

To be arranged
NPTC Certificate: £120

Vehicle & Trailer Training – Preparation for the DVLA test

Dates to be arranged
(Maximum 2 per day) £150

Blacksmithing - Basic

10 weeks starting 6 Jan (Tuesday evenings; ILA Approved)
6.30-9.00pm £200

Welding - Basic

10 weeks starting 7 Jan (Wednesday evenings; ILA Approved)
6.30-9.00pm £120

Using Sprayers

Safe Use of Pesticides - Training for PA1 Foundation - NPTC

(ILA Approved) 1 day
6 Jan; 3 Feb; 2 Mar; 1 Apr; 17 Jun
(Test £60.00 to be arranged) £86

Safe Use of Pesticides - Training for PA6A Hand Held Applicator - NPTC

(ILA Approved) 1 day
7 Jan; 4 Feb; 3 Mar; 2 Apr; 18 Jun
(Test £130.00 to be arranged) £80

Safe Use of Pesticides - Training for PA2A Tractor Mounted Certificate – NPTC

(ILA Approved) 1 day
8 Jan; 4 Mar
(Test £250.00 to be arranged) £120

Health and Safety

First Aid at Work (HSE)

(ILA Approved) 4 days

19-22 Jan; 30 Mar-2 Apr; 1-4 Jun

£180

First Aid at Work Refresher (HSE)

(ILA Approved) 2 days

26-27 Jan; 23-24 Mar; 6-7 May; 26-27 Aug

£90

Risk Assessment/ COSSH – an introduction

(ILA Approved) 1 day to be arranged

£60

Livestock & Vermin Control

Safe Use of Veterinary Medicines

1 day to be arranged

£100

Safe Use of Sheep Dips

1 day

6 Feb

£100

Vermin Control - Rabbits, rats, mice & moles - Lantra

(ILA Approved) 2 days

2-3 Mar

£175

Vermin Control – Rabbits and moles – Lantra

(ILA Approved) 1 day

3 Apr

£90

Construction Skills

Drystone Dyking - Lantra

(ILA Approved) 5 days (Mon-Fri)

23-27 Mar; 22-26 Jun

(+ Test £85 tba)

£300

Introduction to basic brickwork

Suitable for DIY or Trade, Skills Update which includes:

- ½ & 1 brick walling, block work, reconstituted stone work
- foundations & setting out
- different types of pointing; working with coloured mortars

(ILA Approved) 3 days (Wed-Fri)

25-27 Feb; 29 Apr-1 May

£300

Timber Decking

Suitable for DIY or Trade, Skills Update which includes:

- setting out
- erecting & constructing various types of timber decking and balustrade

(ILA Approved) 3 days (Wed-Fri)

4-6 Mar; 25-27 Mar; 20-22 May

£300

Paving

Suitable for DIY or Trade, Skills Update which includes:

- slabbing
- blockpaving (various types)
- ground work, leveling, drainage
- subgrades, base course, laying courses,
- different types of finishes, sand finish,
- pointing & weather protection

(ILA Approved) 3 days (Wed-Fri)

11-13 Feb; 18-20 Mar; 6-8 May

£300

Equestrian Skills

For equestrian course bookings or further information please contact Lucy Brindley, SNEC on tel: 01506 865714, e-mail lbrindley@oatridge.ac.uk or visit the SNEC website: www.snec.co.uk

Transportation of Horses by Road Short Journeys over 65km and under 8 hours
Friday mornings Online testing
NPTC Certificate (test only; per species): £60

Transportation of Horses by Road Long Distance
To be arranged
NPTC Certificate: £120

Training for BHS Stage 1 - Horse Knowledge, Care & Riding (ILA Approved)

Full BHS Stage 1 (8 x 3hr sessions) £180
20 Feb (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)
13 Mar (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)
20 Mar (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)
27 Mar (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)

OR
Horse Knowledge & Care only (4 x 3hr sessions) £100
20 Feb (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)
13 Mar (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)
20 Mar (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)
27 Mar (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)

OR
Riding only (4 x 3hr sessions) £100
20 Feb (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)
13 Mar (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)
20 Mar (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)
27 Mar (9am - 12pm or 1pm - 4pm)

Training for BHS Stage 1 - Horse Knowledge, Care & Riding (ILA Approved)

Full BHS Stage 1 (8 x 3hr sessions) £180
16 Jan (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)
23 Jan (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)
30 Jan (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)
6 Feb (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)

OR
Horse Knowledge & Care only (4 x 3hr sessions) £100
16 Jan (1pm - 4pm)
23 Jan (1pm - 4pm)
30 Jan (1pm - 4pm)
6 Feb (1pm - 4pm)

OR
Riding only (4 x 3hr sessions) £100
16 Jan (9am - 12pm)
23 Jan (9am - 12pm)
30 Jan (9am - 12pm)
6 Feb (9am - 12pm)

BHS Horse Owners' Certificate

10 weeks (7-9pm)
Level One: dates to be confirmed £140

Riding & Road Safety

4 x 3hr sessions
24 Apr & 1 May, 9am-12pm & 1-4pm (exam date 8 May) £100

Introduction to Lungeing for Beginners

2 x 3hr sessions
15 May, 9am-12pm & 1-4pm £50

Improving your Lungeing Techniques 2 x 3hr sessions 22 May, 9am-12pm & 1-4pm	£50
Basic First Aid for Horses (Part 1) 2 x 3hr sessions 29 May, 9am-12pm & 1-4pm	£50
First Aid for Horses (Part 2) 2 x 3hr sessions 5 Jun, 9am-12pm & 1-4pm	£50

LEISURE SECTION

Pet Care

Dog Agility - Beginners
10 weeks from 31 Mar – 2 Jun (6 – 7pm) £50

Dog Agility – Advanced
10 weeks from 6 Jan – 10 Mar (8.30 – 9.30pm) £50
10 weeks from 31 Mar – 2 Jun (7.00 – 8.00pm) £50
10 weeks from 31 Mar – 2 Jun (8.30 – 9.30pm) £50

Leisure Gardening

*All leisure gardening courses are held at Suntrap Centre, 43 Gogarbank, Edinburgh.
Contact Moira Montgomery on tel: 01506 864807 to book a course or for further information.*

** Dates for Leisure Gardening courses in 2009 have still to be confirmed **