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BHS Stage 4 / BHSQ Level 4

What to do if you have previously achieved or started older versions of BHS qualifications

BHS qualifications are regularly reviewed and updated, as a result the content of our qualifications will change slightly over time. It is vital that we do this to ensure the qualifications remain current and relevant.

BHS qualifications are awarded by [British Horse Society Qualifications](#) (BHSQ). BHSQ Stage 4 Qualifications are listed on page 2.

If you have achieved part or all of a previous version of the Stage 4 Care, Lunge, Ride or Coach and would like to return to the BHS to take further assessments at Stage 4, you may be required to 'top up' your skills and knowledge and evidence your currency in the industry to be awarded a BHSQ qualification. This may include an additional assessment and/or a BHS Assessor reference.

The process to 'top up' and evidence your currency is only required if you want to achieve a BHSQ qualification. The process is not required if you want to progress to the next level/Stage.

If you have taken a Stage 4 assessment 10 or more years ago but did not achieve Stage 4 Care, Lunge, Ride or Coach, you will be required to take the new Stage 4 unit in its entirety.

COSTS

If you are required to submit a reference from a BHS assessor, you will need to agree the fee for this with the assessor and this will vary depending on the amount of evidence required.

Please contact the Education Team if the qualification or unit you have achieved is not listed or if you have any queries: education@bhs.org.uk, 02476 840508.

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Qualifications Available at Stage 4

- BHSQ Level 4 Senior Yard Manager (Stage 4)
- BHSQ Level 4 Senior Yard Manager with Riding (Stage 4)
- BHSQ Level 4 Senior Eventing Coach (Stage 4)
- BHSQ Level 4 Senior Dressage Coach (Stage 4)
- BHSQ Level 4 Senior Show Jumping Coach (Stage 4)
- BHSQ Level 4 Senior Coaching Riders (Stage 4)

BHSQ Level 4 (Stage 4) qualification structure

This table shows an overview of the qualifications at level 4 and the units required for the achievement of each qualification.

	SENIOR YARD MANAGER	SENIOR YARD MANAGER WITH RIDING*	SENIOR COACHING RIDERS**	SENIOR EVENTING COACH***	SENIOR DRESSAGE COACH***	SENIOR SHOW JUMPING COACH***
Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care	C	C		C	C	C
Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Management	C	C		C	C	C
Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge		C		C	C	C
Unit 4: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing		O		O	O	O
Unit 5: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Dressage		O		O	O	
Unit 6: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Show Jumping		O		O		O
Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing			O	C		
Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage			O		C	
Unit 9: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Show Jumping			O			C

* Achievement of the BHSQ Level 4 Senior Yard Manager with Riding (Stage 4) requires completion of the three compulsory units and one optional unit.

** Achievement of the BHSQ Level 4 Senior Coaching Riders (Stage 4) qualification requires completion of one of three optional units.

*** Achievement of the BHSQ Level 4 Senior Coach (Stage 4) qualifications require completion of the four compulsory units and one optional unit.

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Stage 4 Care and Riding

If you have previously achieved Stage 4 Care and/or Riding and would like to take further assessments to achieve a BHSQ qualification, please refer to Table 1.

Table 1, Additional requirements if you have previously achieved Stage 4 Care or riding and wish to achieve a BHSQ Level 4 Yard Manager qualification or a BHSQ Level 4 Coach qualification..

Title of your qualification (achieved on previous syllabus)	How many years ago did you achieve your qualification?		BHSQ qualification you want to achieve?			
	Achieved within 5 years	Achieved over 5 years ago	BHSQ Level 4 Senior Yard Manager (Stage 4)	BHSQ Level 4 Senior Yard Manager with Riding (Stage 4)	BHSQ Level 4 Senior Eventing Coach (Stage 4)	BHSQ Level 4 Senior Dressage Coach (Stage 4)
	Additional evidence to submit		Additional BHSQ assessment units required			
BHS Horse Knowledge and Care Stage 4 (syllabus active prior to 2012)	N/A	Assessor reference to cover Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4, 5 or 6)	Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage
EQL Level 4 Diploma in BHS Horse Knowledge, Care and Management	Skills Record completion Unit 1 Ready for Assessment (p13. LO1 and LO4)	Assessor reference to cover Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge &	Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge &	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge

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(syllabus active from 2012)	CV detailing currency in industry in line with Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care			Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4, 5 or 6)	Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing	& Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage
BHSQ Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care (syllabus active from Sept 2019)	No additional top up	Assessor reference to cover Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4, 5 or 6)	Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing	Plus Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage
BHSQ Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management (syllabus active from Sept 2019)	No additional top up	Assessor reference to cover Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management	Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care	Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4, 5 or 6)	Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing	Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage

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<p>BHS Stage 4 Riding (includes lunge)</p> <p>(syllabus active prior to 2012)</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>Assessor reference to cover Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Unit 4: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage</p>
<p>EQL Level 4 Diploma in BHS Riding and Training Horses (includes lunge)</p> <p>(syllabus active from 2012)</p>	<p>Skills Record completion Unit 3 Ready for assessment (p31.LO2) Unit 4 Ready for assessment (p35.LO2-LO8)</p>	<p>Assessor reference to cover Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Unit 4: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage</p>
<p>BHSQ Unit 4: Senior Ride for Training Eventing Or Unit 5: Senior Ride for Training Dressage Or Unit 6: Senior Ride for Training Show Jumping</p>	<p>No additional top up</p>	<p>Assessor reference to cover Unit 4, 5 or 6 (dependent on unit achieved)</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Unit7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage</p>

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Stage 4 Coaching

If you have previously achieved Stage 4 Coaching/ITT and would like to take further assessments to achieve a BHSQ qualification, please refer to Table 2.

Table 2, Additional requirements if you have previously achieved Stage 4 Coaching and wish to achieve BHSQ Level 4 Coach qualification.

Title of your qualification (achieved on previous syllabus)	How many years ago did you achieve your qualification?		BHSQ qualification you want to achieve?		
	Achieved within 5 years	Achieved over 5 years ago	BHSQ Level 4 Senior Eventing Coach (Stage 4)	BHSQ Level 4 Senior Dressage Coach (Stage 4)	BHSQ Level 4 Senior Show Jumping Coach (Stage 4)
	Additional evidence to submit		Additional BHSQ assessment units required		
BHS Intermediate Teaching Test (syllabus active prior to 2013)	N/A	Assessor reference to cover Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing (If you wish to achieve the Dressage Coach or Show Jumping Coach qualifications, please contact the Education Team for details of the assessor reference required. You will need an assessor reference to confirm your skills and knowledge are current for the learning outcomes or units already achieved which are relevant to your new qualification)	Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5)	Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit 8: LO2: Be able to coach safely LO3: Be able to communicate effectively whilst coaching LO11: Be able to coach a semi private dressage lesson at Novice level	Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 6) & Unit 9: LO2: Be able to coach safely LO3: Be able to communicate effectively whilst coaching LO8: Be able to coach a semi private lesson using grid work or related fences up to 1m

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<p>EQL Level 5 Diploma in BHS Intermediate Teaching of Horse Riding (Intermediate Teaching Test (ITT)) (syllabus active from 2013)</p>	<p>BHS Assessor Reference Appendix 5 Group show jumping lesson. Required if you taught a flatwork lesson for Unit 1 (Coach a group of riders for improvement and development) OR complete LO6 within BHSQ Unit 7 BHS Assessor Reference Appendix 6 Semi private arena eventing lesson. Required if you taught a show jumping lesson for Unit 3 (Coach a rider over fences for competition) OR complete LO10 within BHSQ Unit 7 Skills Record completion Unit 7 Ready for assessment (p51.LO2-LO4, LO6, LO9, LO10) Required if you taught a show jumping lesson for Unit 1 (Coach a group of riders for improvement and development) and taught a cross country lesson for Unit 3 (Coach a rider over fences for competition) and have evidence to this effect.</p>	<p>Assessor reference to cover Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing (If you wish to achieve the Dressage Coach or Show Jumping Coach qualifications, please contact the Education Team for details of the assessor reference required. You will need an assessor reference to confirm your skills and knowledge are current for the learning outcomes or units already achieved which are relevant to your new qualification)</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5)</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5) & Unit 8: LO2: Be able to coach safely LO3: Be able to communicate effectively whilst coaching LO11: Be able to coach a semi private dressage lesson at Novice level</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge & Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 6) & Unit 9: LO2: Be able to coach safely LO3: Be able to communicate effectively whilst coaching LO8: Be able to coach a semi private lesson using grid work or related fences up to 1m</p>
<p>Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing</p>	<p>No additional top up</p>	<p>Assessor reference to cover Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing</p>	<p>Plus Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care & Unit 2: Stage 4 Senior Business Management & Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge &</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>

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			Chosen Ride for Training unit (Unit 4 or 5)		
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Partially completed Stage 4 Care, Ride or Coaching

If you have taken a Stage 4 assessment between 5 and 10 years ago but did not achieve Stage 4 Care, Ride or Coaching please contact the Education Team (education@bhs.org.uk, 02476 840508) to discuss how you can complete this. The team will be able to discuss the options available to you. A process is available for you to complete your Stage 4 Care, Ride or Coach and retake the units or learning outcomes you did not previously achieve. If you choose to do this, you will need to provide a reference from a BHS Assessor to confirm your skills and knowledge covered in the units or learning outcomes you have already achieved are still current. Alternatively, you have the option to take the current unit in its entirety at the same cost of your retake, which may be a more cost-effective option.

If you have taken a Stage 4 assessment 10 or more years ago but did not achieve Stage 4 Care, Ride or Coach you will be required to take the new Stage 4 unit in its entirety.

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Assessor Reference Guidance

Assessor references must be provided by a BHS Assessor. The BHS Education Team (education@bhs.org.uk, 02476 840508) will be able to provide contact details for assessors in your area. You will need to agree the fee for the reference with the assessor and pay them directly for their time.

Assessor references must be completed on the templates provided:

- Appendix 1: Stage 4 Senior Care Template
- Appendix 2: Stage 4 Senior Lunge Template
- Appendix 3: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing Template
- Appendix 4: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing Template
- Appendix 5: Assessor Reference: Group show jumping lesson
- Appendix 6: Assessor Reference: Semi private arena eventing lesson
- Appendix 7: Assessor Reference: Group lesson using poles.

This assessor reference must confirm currency of skills and knowledge against the current BHSQ Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care, Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge, Unit 4: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing or Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing syllabi. The reference will also be required to confirm skills and knowledge of any gaps identified (content of the current syllabus that were not covered in the previous syllabus). Evidence must be provided for every learning outcome listed unless specified by the Education Team.

References can be completed via one of, or via a combination of, the following:

- Face to face with a BHS assessor
- Via live streaming with a BHS assessor
- Via a combination of pre-recorded practical tasks and a professional discussion with a BHS assessor via video call. The assessor must be able to identify you in any pre-recorded videos.
- Professional discussion
- Reference where the learner is known to the assessor

You will be required to verify your identity to the assessor by showing photo ID and you must be identifiable in any recordings provided.

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Appendix 1 Stage 4 Senior Care

Procedure the assessor must add sufficient commentary to explain how and why the learner is at the required level for achievement. Please note this commentary should be specific to the individual and the unit; it should describe the performance of the learner in relation to the specification. It should also highlight any aspects that required further clarification.

Learner name		BHS Membership number	
Assessor name		APC number	
How do you (the assessor) know the learner? (Provide detail on how long you have known them for and in what capacity)			
BHSQ level 4 units	Commentary on learner performance and currency. This must include what you have seen and discussed against each Learning Outcome		
If providing a reference for the full syllabi, please evidence each learning outcome. If covering part of the syllabi, please circle the learning outcomes you are evidencing.			
Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care Learning outcomes: 1. Be able to use specialist tack in a safe and efficient manner 2. Understand nutritional requirements of horses 3. Understand the management of competition horses 4. Be able to maintain a horse's physical wellbeing 5. Understand the care of horses 6. Understand the care of mares and youngstock 7. Understand the care of older horses			
<i>Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Learner name, your name and signature must be included</i>			
Confirmation of learner performance and currency of Unit 1: Stage 4 Senior Care		Delete as appropriate - Yes / No	
Assessor signature		Date	

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Appendix 2 Stage 4 Senior Lunge

Procedure the assessor must add sufficient commentary to explain how and why the learner is at the required level for achievement. Please note this commentary should be specific to the individual and the unit; it should describe the performance of the learner in relation to the specification. It should also highlight any aspects that required further clarification.

Learner name		BHS Membership number	
Assessor name		APC number	
How do you (the assessor) know the learner? (Provide detail on how long you have known them for and in what capacity)			
BHSQ level 4 units	Commentary on learner performance and currency. This must include what you have seen and discussed against each Learning Outcome		
If providing a reference for the full syllabi, please evidence each learning outcome. If covering part of the syllabi, please circle the learning outcomes you are evidencing.			
Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge Learning outcomes: 1. Understand how to lunge competition horses 2. Be able to lunge a competition horse to develop its way of going			
<i>Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Learner name, your name and signature must be included</i>			
Confirmation of learner performance and currency for Unit 3: Stage 4 Senior Lunge		Delete as appropriate - Yes / No	
Assessor signature		Date	

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Appendix 3 Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing

Procedure the assessor must add sufficient commentary to explain how and why the learner is at the required level for achievement. Please note this commentary should be specific to the individual and the unit; it should describe the performance of the learner in relation to the specification. It should also highlight any aspects that required further clarification.

Learner name		BHS Membership number	
Assessor name		APC number	
How do you (the assessor) know the learner? (Provide detail on how long you have known them for and in what capacity)			
BHSQ level 4 units	Commentary on learner performance and currency. This must include what you have seen and discussed against each Learning Outcome		
If providing a reference for the full syllabi, please evidence each learning outcome. If covering part of the syllabi, please circle the learning outcomes you are evidencing.			
Unit 4: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing Learning outcomes: 1. Understand the training of young horses 2. Be able to ride safely 3. Understand how to progress the training of a dressage horse 4. Understand how to progress the training of a show jumping horse 5. Be able to ride a trained horse in a double bridle to develop its way of going 6. Be able to ride an inexperienced dressage horse with a view to developing its way of going 7. Be able to ride an experienced horse over show jumps up to 1.10m (3ft 7ins) with a view to developing its way of going 8. Be able to ride a horse cross country over fences up to 1m (3ft 3ins) with a view to developing its way of going	Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Learner name, your name and signature must be included		
Confirmation of learner performance and currency for Unit 4: Stage 4 Senior Ride for Training Eventing		Delete as appropriate - Yes / No	
Assessor signature		Date	

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Appendix 4 Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing

Procedure the assessor must add sufficient commentary to explain how and why the learner is at the required level for achievement. Please note this commentary should be specific to the individual and the unit; it should describe the performance of the learner in relation to the specification. It should also highlight any aspects that required further clarification.

Learner name		BHS Membership number	
Assessor name		APC number	
How do you (the assessor) know the learner? (Provide detail on how long you have known them for and in what capacity)			
BHSQ level 4 units	Commentary on learner performance and currency. This must include what you have seen and discussed against each Learning Outcome		
If providing a reference for the full syllabi, please evidence each learning outcome. If covering part of the syllabi, please circle the learning outcomes you are evidencing.			
Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing Learning outcomes: 1. Understand how to coach 2. Be able to coach safely 3. Be able to communicate effectively whilst coaching 4. Be able to coach a rider on the lunge 6. Be able to coach a group of riders over fences up to 1m (3ft 3ins) 9. Be able to coach a private dressage lesson at Elementary level 10. Be able to coach a semiprivate arena eventing lesson over fences up to 1.10m (3ft 7ins)			
<i>Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Learner name, your name and signature must be included</i>			
Confirmation of learner performance and currency		Delete as appropriate	- Yes / No
Assessor signature		Date	

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Appendix 5

BHS Assessor Reference: Group show jumping lesson.

If you completed your EQL Level 5 Diploma BHS Intermediate Teaching of Horse Riding, or were part way through, and you wish to use this to achieve a BHSQ Level 4 qualification you must provide a completed assessor reference for a group showjumping lesson.

This is only required if you taught a flatwork lesson for Unit 1 (Coach a group of riders for improvement and development) within the EQL qualification, or you cannot provide evidence that you taught the group show jumping lesson on your assessment day. This assessor reference must confirm currency of skills and knowledge against the current BHSQ Level 4 specification; Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing. Learning Outcome 6.

Learner name		BHS Membership number	
Assessor name		APC number	
How do you (the assessor) know the learner? (Provide detail on how long you have known them for and in what capacity)			
BHSQ level 4 unit	Commentary on learner performance and currency. This must include what you have seen and discussed against each Learning Outcome		
Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing LO6. Be able to coach a group of riders over fences up to 1m (3ft 3ins) 6.1 Assess horse and rider strengths and areas for development 6.2 Coach to improve horse and rider ability and confidence 6.3 Use exercises to improve horse and rider performances 6.4 Evaluate the effectiveness of the session 6.5 Provide a plan for future development			
<i>Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Learner name, your name and signature must be included</i>			
Confirmation of learner performance and currency		Delete as appropriate	Yes / No
Assessor signature		Date	

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Appendix 6

BHS Assessor Reference: Semi private arena eventing lesson.

If you completed your EQL Level 5 Diploma BHS Intermediate Teaching of Horse Riding or were part way through and you wish to use this to achieve a BHSQ Level 4 qualification you must provide a completed assessor reference for a Semi private arena eventing lesson.

This is only required if you taught a show jumping lesson for Unit 3 (Coach a rider over fences for competition) within the EQL qualification, or you cannot provide evidence that you taught the arena eventing lesson on your assessment day. This assessor reference must confirm currency of skills and knowledge against the current BHSQ Level 4 specification; Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing. Learning Outcome 10.

Learner name		BHS Membership number	
Assessor name		APC number	
How do you (the assessor) know the learner? (Provide detail on how long you have known them for and in what capacity)			
BHSQ level 4 unit	Commentary on learner performance and currency. This must include what you have seen and discussed against each Learning Outcome		
Unit 7: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Eventing LO10. Be able to coach a semi private arena eventing lesson over fences up to 1.10m (3ft 7ins) 10.1 Assess horse and rider strengths and areas for development 10.2 Coach to improve the horse and rider ability and confidence 10.3 Use exercises to improve horse and rider performances 10.4 Evaluate the effectiveness of the session 10.5 Provide a plan for future development			
<i>Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Learner name, your name and signature must be included</i>			
Confirmation of learner performance and currency		Delete as appropriate	Yes / No
Assessor signature		Date	

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BHS Assessor Reference: Group lesson using poles.

If you completed your EQL Level 5 Diploma BHS Intermediate Teaching of Horse Riding or were part way through and you wish to use this to achieve a BHSQ Level 4 qualification you must provide a completed assessor reference for a group lesson using poles. This assessor reference must confirm currency of skills and knowledge against the current BHSQ Level 4 specification; Unit 8: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage. Learning Outcome 5 / Unit 9: Stage 4 Senior Coaching Show Jumping Learning Outcome 5.

Learner name		BHS Membership number	
Assessor name		APC number	
How do you (the assessor) know the learner? (Provide detail on how long you have known them for and in what capacity)			
BHSQ level 4 unit	Commentary on learner performance and currency. This must include what you have seen and discussed against each Learning Outcome		
Unit 8 Stage 4 Senior Coaching Dressage or Unit 9 Stage 4 Senior Coaching Show Jumping LO5. Be able to coach a group of riders using poles 5.1 Assess horse and rider strengths and areas for development 5.2 Coach to improve horse and rider ability and confidence horse and rider performances 5.3 Evaluate the effectiveness of the lesson 5.4 Provide a plan for future development			
<i>Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Learner name, your name and signature must be included</i>			
Confirmation of learner performance and currency		Delete as appropriate	Yes / No
Assessor signature		Date	