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My success

From student to freelance equine instructor and rider

Laura Walkden

I left school knowing that I wanted to work in the equestrian industry and enrolled on the Level 3 Diploma at Myerscough, before progressing to the BSc (Hons) in Equine Science.

My Level 3 Diploma gave me the opportunity to improve my riding and knowledge, as well as gain my BHS stages 1 to 3. Moving on to the degree allowed me to gain much more in-depth, theoretical knowledge of the industry.

After leaving Myerscough I secured employment on a livery yard and started by mucking out and sweeping. From this I started riding for various people on the yard and soon enough I was asked to teach and found myself returning to Myerscough to complete the BHSAI.

Since then I have continued working freelance as an instructor, rider and groom for various clients and have been lucky enough to compete on some lovely horses.

As a freelancer it is vital that I am approachable, organised, flexible and punctual to increase my opportunities for work and Myerscough really helped me develop these qualities.

My degree My future My ambition My career



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