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| **Topic** | **Travel Safety** |
| D1 | Name basic rules of safe riding in a group in an enclosed area. |
| D2 | Name 2 pieces of equipment used on your mount for its safety in a trailer. |
| D3 | Name rules for riding safely on public roads in your state. Describe the procedure for a mounted group crossing a public roadway. Describe the proper steps to load/unload a mount. |
| C1 | Name basic equipment needed for mount’s safety and comfort during trailer travel. Name 2 documents you should carry if traveling long distances or out of state. Discuss 5 items from the truck/trailer safety checklist that you should check before you travel. |
| C2 | Demonstrate how to load/unload an experienced, cooperative mount (with assistance). Name which equine health certificates/documents are required to travel in your state. |
| HB | Review the vehicle/trailer checklist. Discuss how to prepare a mount for hauling both short and long distances. |
| HA | Discuss diseases associated with travel or exposure to strange mounts. |

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1. Cross out the tips that are not correct when riding in a group in an arena.

* Pass left shoulder to left shoulder when going in opposite directions like driving a car.
* Keep as far apart as possible.
* Keep at least 1-2 horse lengths apart.
* Jumping horses always have the right of way
* Longeing a horse is OK to do in the same space as someone riding.
* Allow your horse to stop at the gate whenever he needs a break.
* Dismount in the center of the arena.
* Dismount at the arena gate.
* If cooling your horse out or walking to give your horse a break, walk along the rail (perimeter).
* If cooling your horse out or walking to give your horse a break, walk to the inside of the arena.
* Its OK to pass a horse that is going slower than yours as long as you don’t pass too closely.
* Its OK to circle or cross the arena if needed to give more space between you and other riders.

1. Put these 13 steps to load a horse in a horse trailer in the proper order.

\_\_\_Secure trailer windows and vents for how you intend to travel.

\_\_\_Put up the butt-bar (if straight load) or secure the body-bar (if slant load).

\_\_\_Verify that you have your horse’s current Coggins, vaccination records, and health certificate in the vehicle.

\_\_\_Open the horse trailer doors and ramp (if your trailer has one).

\_\_\_Tie the horse in the trailer using a quick-release knot.

\_\_\_Place bedding and hay in the horse trailer to prepare the horse’s space for travel.

\_\_\_Perform a truck and trailer safety inspection.

\_\_\_Hook up trailer to the hauling vehicle.

\_\_\_Check break lights, running lights, and turn signals on the trailer.

\_\_\_Load any tack, equipment, extra feed, and extra bedding into the truck and trailer.

\_\_\_Lead the horse onto the trailer.

\_\_\_Put protective equipment on horse.

\_\_\_Shut the trailer doors.

1. Put these 7 steps to unload a horse from a horse trailer in the proper order.

\_\_\_Clean manure out of the trailer.

\_\_\_Drop the butt-bar (if straight load) or move the body-bar out of the way (if slant load).

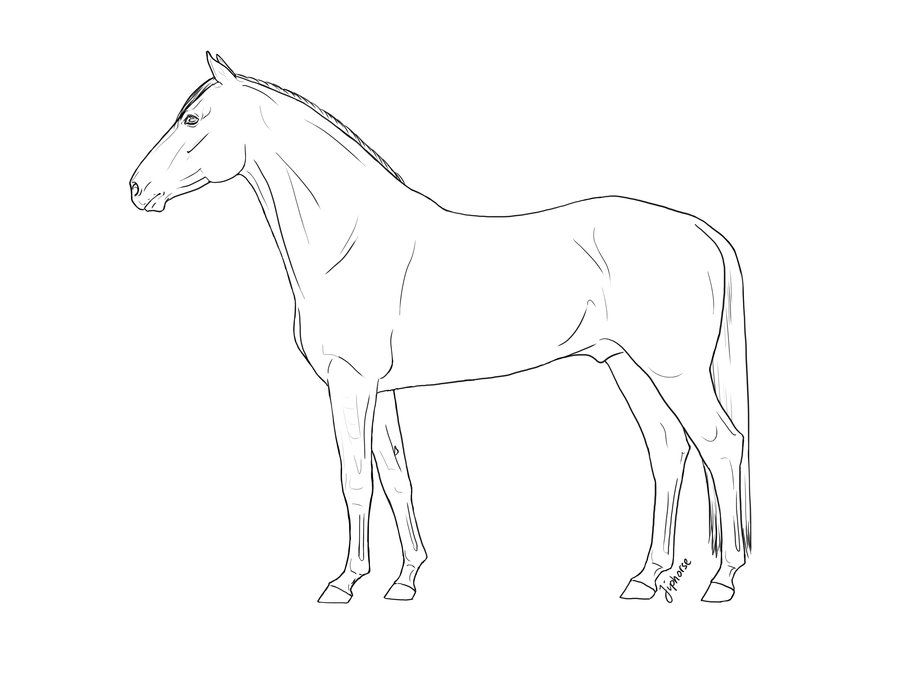
\_\_\_Remove protective equipment from horse.

\_\_\_Lead or back the horse out of the trailer.

\_\_\_Untie the horse from the trailer.

\_\_\_Open the trailer doors and ramp (if your trailer has one).

\_\_\_Shut the windows and vents.

1. What items should be checked when performing a truck & trailer pre-trip safety inspection?
2. Color the parts of the horse that the equipment below protects?
   1. Head Bumper (red)
   2. Right Hind Bell Boot (orange)
   3. Shipping Blanket (yellow)
   4. Right Front Shipping Boot (green)
   5. Left Hind Shipping Boot (blue)
   6. Tail Bandage (purple)
   7. Fleece Shipping Halter (pink)
   8. Right Hind Stable Bandage (brown)
   9. Left Front Shipping Bandage (grey)