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## **New Student Information**

All prospective students are required to attend an orientation at a specified time. At our orientation, our staff will cover barn rules, rider responsibilities and safety, and our program's expectations. **We are expecting to begin our lesson program at full capacity with 30 students.** It is likely that we will be able to add more students periodically.

All students are required to take at least one private lesson prior to being eligible for group lessons. Private lessons are \$75/hour and allow the staff to appropriately gauge the rider's skill level. To be eligible for group lessons, a rider must be able to:

- Tack up their own horse and be ready to enter the arena at their designated lesson time. It is
  advised that all students arrive to the barn at least 15 minutes prior to their scheduled lesson
  time.
- Be able to safely maneuver a horse around obstacles, people, and other horses.
- Be able to walk, trot, stop, and back up on command.
- Be an active listener and willing participant.

Semi-Private Lessons are \$60/hour and are capped at 4 riders per lesson. Students are required to commit to one lesson per week and may request additional lessons per week if desired.

All students are required to wear a shirt provided by Lakeside Equine Estate. This is so other students, staff, and our resident horse owners can easily identify and be aware of students present. One shirt is provided at no cost during our orientation. Additional shirts and even winter gear may be ordered at the student's expense.

If a student arrives to a lesson without the proper clothing, they will forfeit their lesson. Appropriate attire includes:

- Jeans for western riders
- Breeches for English riders
- Belt
- Boots
- Uniform shirt
- Approved Helmet (personal helmet is optional for the first lesson but preferred)
- Hair tied back away from the face
- Gloves, optional but recommended
- No tank tops or shorts are permitted



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Students are required to untack their lesson horse, complete light grooming, fill water buckets, and clean up manure as needed. This may take 15-20 minutes after the completion of the lesson. If a student is returning a horse to their stall, they are required to muck as needed.

<u>Students will not be allowed to jump without the approval of an instructor.</u> Any student attempting to jump without permission and/or instruction will immediately forfeit their placement in our program. Any student not adhering to our barn and conduct rules will forfeit their placement in our program.

All minors ages 13 and under, require an adult to be present at all times on the grounds. Accompanying adults are required to wear closed toed shoes. Adults are welcome to watch lessons from our viewing area. In the event of accident or illness, please notify Lakeside Equine Estate at least 24 hours prior to scheduled lesson time to reschedule a lesson. Lessons must be rescheduled within 7 days or the lesson is forfeited.

Payments are required in advance at the time of booking by check or credit card. All credit card transactions will include an additional 3% fee.

All lesson inquiries will be handled through our website. Required forms will be sent via email. Completed forms may be emailed, mailed, or delivered in person. Students will be notified of placement beginning April 2024. Lessons are scheduled to begin May 2024. IEA Team sign up will begin in late Summer 2024. Current students will receive priority placement before new students. IEA Team inquiries will be handled through our website as well.

Students will refer to our app for communications, scheduling, and invoices.

\*Our website is scheduled to be active on or by February 23, 2024.

## The following forms must be submitted for all new students before their first lesson:

New Student Information Form
Signed/Completed Payment Agreement & Credit Card Form
Signed Liability Release
Signed Photography/Videography Release
Signed Barn Rules
Signed Student Expectation Form