



Ms Tania Richardson  
Executive Officer  
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303 Cathedral Avenue  
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Dear Ms Richardson

I am pleased to advise that the Curriculum Council has endorsed:

Pony Club Association of Western Australia: PCA Efficiency Standards C, K,  
C\*, B, H and A.

From 2009, students completing these programs can count this learning  
towards their senior secondary graduation certificate – the Western Australian  
Certificate of Education (WACE).

Please find enclosed the details of the endorsement with regard to the code,  
program summaries, unit equivalence, length of endorsement, scope of  
delivery and contact details. This information will be listed on the Curriculum  
Council website in the near future.

If there are any changes you wish to make to this information please contact  
[leanne.meldrum@curriculum.wa.edu.au](mailto:leanne.meldrum@curriculum.wa.edu.au) or telephone 9273 6746 immediately to  
ensure the correct information is made available on the website.

The Council acknowledges the work you have put into the application, and  
wishes the students every success in completing these programs.

Yours sincerely

**JEANETTE DALLA-COSTA**  
**MANAGER, VET AND ENDORSED PROGRAMS**

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Program Category	Program Provider	Program Code	Program Title	Program Summary	Year Offered From	Year Offered To	Achievement Descriptors	Points Per Program	Max Programs Per Year	Max Programs Total	Open/Limited to Schools	Contact Details
Community organisation	Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCESC	PCA Efficiency C Standard	PCA Efficiency C Standard includes written examination, presentation, riding, jumping, horse handling, horse care and general knowledge. Before engaging in this level, students must have attained Efficiency D* Standard.	2009	2013	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	2	1	1	Open to all schools	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com
Community organisation	Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCESK	PCA Efficiency K Standard	PCA Efficiency K Standard is an alternative certificate to C*. It is designed for the active rider and covers many equestrian aspects not included in other certificates. The K comprises of a compulsory section and a wide variety of optional subjects. Before engaging in this level, students must have attained Efficiency C Standard.	2009	2013	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	3	1	1	Open to all schools	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com
Community organisation	Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCESC*	PCA Efficiency C* Standard	PCA Efficiency C* Standard includes a written examination, worksheets, presentation, riding on the flat, jumping and lunging, horse handling, horse care and general knowledge. Before engaging in this level, students must have attained Efficiency K Standard.	2009	2013	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	3	1	1	Open to all schools	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com

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Community organisation	Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCESH	PCA Efficiency H Standard	PCA Efficiency H Standard comprises horse care including showing and veterinary experience, pony club service, lunging, breaking and schooling a young horse, breeds and registration requirements, designs for yards and stables, major written project of candidate's course. There are no prerequisites for the H Standard.	2009	2013	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	5	1	1	Open to all schools	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com
Community organisation	Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCESA	PCA Efficiency A Standard	PCA Efficiency A Standard requires knowledge both in the stables and on the horse. Students must have a genuine quest for knowledge and an understanding of the reason behind what they do, have a well established balanced riding position, apply correct aids in a precise way, therefore developing the ability to put actions into words and the skills for self assessment. Before engaging in this level, students must have attained Efficiency B Standard	2009	2013	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	5	1	1	Open to all schools	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com



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Pony Club Association of Western Australia: Preliminary Coaching  
Pony Club Association of Western Australia: Level 1 General Coaching  
Pony Club Association of Western Australia: Level 1 Games Specific Coaching  
Pony Club Association of Western Australia: Level 1 General plus Mounted  
Games Coaching.

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Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCP	Preliminary Coaching	This program is based on the Pony Club Association syllabus of instruction and is divided into three sections: Coaching - includes safety, role of the coach, planning and inclusive coaching; Horse care - covers all the topics in the D/D* Efficiency Certificate Syllabus; Riding - contains the criteria for coaching the ridden requirements of the D/D* Certificate.	1/04/2009	2009	2010	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	2	1	1	Open to all schools	1 3 4 5 6 7 11 12	1 2 3 4	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com
Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCG	Level 1 General Coaching	This program assesses the teaching of flatwork and jumping. It involves completion of a syllabus log book which will include an assessment of the candidate's ability during demonstrations, signed by a mentor coach or a recognised supervisor. In the practical component, applicants will be assessed while coaching C level pony club members on the flat and over jumps. The theory component is based on an understanding of the pony club manuals 1, 2 and 3. A short written examination at C level will be conducted. A mark of 80% in this examination will be required for the candidate to be rated competent.	1/04/2009	2009	2010	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	4	1	1	Open to all schools	1 3 4 5 6 7 11 12	1 2 3 4	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com
Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCGS	Level 1 Games Specific Coaching	This program assesses the teaching of mounted games only. It covers topic 12, units 1 - 5 of the Level 1 syllabus. It involves completion of a syllabus log book which will include an assessment of the candidate's ability during demonstrations, signed by a mentor coach or a recognised supervisor. In the practical component applicants will be assessed while coaching C level pony club members. The theory component is based on an understanding of the pony club manuals 1, 2 and 3. A short, written examination at C level will be conducted. A mark of 80% in this examination will be required for the candidate to be rated competent.	1/04/2009	2009	2010	Competent (CM); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	1	1	1	Open to all schools	1 3 4 5 6 7 11 12	1 2 3 4	Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com

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Pony Club Association of Western Australia	CPCGGS	Level 1 General plus Mounted Games Coaching	This program assesses the teaching of flatwork, jumping and mounted games. It involves completion of a syllabus log book which will include an assessment of the candidate's ability during demonstrations, signed by a mentor coach or a recognised supervisor. In the practical component applicants will be assessed while coaching C level pony club members on the flat and over jumps. The theory component is based on an understanding of the pony club manuals 1, 2 and 3. A short, written examination at C level will be conducted. A mark of 80% in this examination will be required for the candidate to be rated competent. Please note, this qualification is the sum of Level 1 General Coaching certificate and Level 1 Games Specific coaching certificate. Credit will be awarded for the highest level of certificate only.	1/04/2009	2009	2010	Competent (C/M); Not competent (N); Withdrawn (W)	5	1	1	Open to all schools	1 3 4 5 6 7 11 12 1 1 2 3 4		Ms Tania Richardson Executive Officer Pony Club Association of Western Australia 303 Cathedral Ave BRIGADOON WA 6069 Phone: 9296 1500 Fax: 9296 1545 Email: office@pcawa.com Web: www.pcawa.com