



Horsemanship Camps 2026

Application and Riding Information Sheet

We are pleased that you will be joining us this summer! Please fill out both sides of this form so we can better prepare for your experience at Stephens Stables. Campers must have their own riding helmet. Please see riding attire handout for details. **Please note that payment in full reserves your spot, and classes are non-refundable.** If you have any additional questions, please call (573) 876-7144 or email slinde@stephens.edu Thank you and welcome!

Name: _____ Age: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home: _____ Work: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please mark which session you would like to attend:

June 15 - 19 Monday – Friday 8 a.m.– 12 p.m.
 Horsemanship: Summer Riding Program Fee: \$550.00
 Ages: 7-14 years old

June 22-26 Monday – Friday 8 a.m.–12 p.m.
 Horsemanship: Summer Riding Program Fee: \$550.00
 Ages: 7-14 years old

June 1-5 Monday – Friday 8 a.m.–12 p.m.
 Equine Science Camp Fee: \$550.00
 Ages: 8-15 years old

Riding Attire

All riders must wear long pants and hard sole shoes with at least a ½ inch heel (no sandals, tennis shoes, boots with lug or rough soles) Short sleeve or long sleeve shirts must be worn. All riders are to provide and wear an approved ASTM/SEI safety helmet with a neck harness and chinstrap (**Stephens cannot provide helmets due to our liability policy**). These dress requirements are for safety. Sources for the purchase of your helmet are attached.

Riding Fitness (ages 14-adult)

As Stephens College instructors, our horses are very valuable to us and it is our responsibility to protect them. We cannot permit our horses to carry more weight than their body mass will allow. The required ratio of horse weight (plus tack) to rider is 6:1 or more, or the 20% Rule: a 1000 lb horse can carry 200 pounds. Please contact the program director if you have concerns or questions about your fitness for riding before enrolling.

Riding Experience (both Hunt Seat and Western classes require previous riding instruction)

1. Have you ridden before: ___ Yes ___ No

If yes; where and in what capacity?

2. Have you ridden in the Stephens Summer Riding Program: ___ Yes ___ No

Emergency Information

In case of emergency contact: _____ Phone: _____

Physician: _____ Phone: _____

In case of an emergency, you or your child will be taken to Boone County Hospital Center, unless otherwise indicated: _____

Please check if any of the following problems exists:

___ Epilepsy ___ Heart ___ Joint ___ Back ___ Vision ___ Hearing ___ Asthma

___ Neurological ___ Speech ___ LDL ___ any allergies (drug or other)

Any other information that we should be aware of in case of emergency _____

I agree to hold Stephens College, the Equestrian instructors and staff harmless for lost, stolen, or damaged property, injury to rider or persons who accompany riding students while on the premises of Stephens College Stables.

Rider's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

If rider is under 18 years of age, parent or guardian's signature and a copy of their birth certificate is required.

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Please return completed application form to: slinde@stephens.edu	Please call the Office of Accounting to submit payment: 573-876-7105 Please tell them which summer riding camp you wish to book.
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Riding Gear Sources

Helmets: My research has shown that the most inexpensive ASTM/SEI approved helmet is the Troxel brand, but there are many other brands and styles available. You may find helmets/boots online and take advantage of Spring and Summer Sales at the following:

www.DoverSaddlery.com

www.StateLineTack.com

Helmets and boots can also be purchased locally in Columbia at the following:

Larry's Boots

6401 Hwy 40 W (573) 446-2668 www.larrysboots.com

Take I-70 West towards Kansas City.

Take the Midway Exit 121 and exit right onto Hwy 40

Turn left and Larry's Boots is located behind the truck stop and gas station

Orscheln Farm and Home #9

2800 Paris Road Columbia, MO 65202 (573) 814-2299

Tractor Supply Company

4151 Paris Rd Columbia, MO (573) 814-2929