

# SPECIALIST TRAINING COURSE

## OPEN CALL FOR ENTRIES 2024-2025

### SADDLERY

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This training speciality provides pupils with the knowledge they need to make and repair different saddlery items for horse riding and maintaining carriages. It also enables them to learn about the tools and materials, as well as to apply specific techniques and procedures.

The duration of the course is of three years. Pupils will receive practical and theoretical lessons in the Royal School's harness workshop in a progressive form coherent to their learning process. They will also learn the techniques and history of the horse, and the main carriage and hippology concepts.

### VANCIES AND REQUIREMENTS

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For the **course 2024-2025** are offered **FIVE (5) places**. They will be assigned to the applicants who get the best marks in the entrance exams.

The requirements to apply for a vacancy are the following:

- Have completed ESO education (Compulsory Secondary Education).
- Be aged between 16 and 30 years old.
- Declaring that the applicant does not suffer from any illness that may impede working with horses and their equipment.
- Have adequate knowledge of Spanish in order to get the maximum benefit from lessons.

### REGISTRATION AND DOCUMENTATION

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The duly completed application and the required documents must be sent to:

- [formacion@realescuela.org](mailto:formacion@realescuela.org) or
- **Fundación Real Escuela Andaluza del Arte Ecuestre**

**Departamento de Formación**

**Avda. Duque de Abrantes s/n. 11407. Jerez de la Frontera, Cádiz. España**

The following documents must be delivered together with the application form:

- Photocopy of the qualification required.
- Medical certificate.
- Proof(s) of payment of the admission fees.
- Authorization from parents or tutors in case of underage.
- Photocopy of identity document or passport.
- 2 Photos (passport size).

## EXAM FEES

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The amount of thirty (30) Euros is required as application and exam fee for Saddlery Specialty. A person can exclusively apply for Saddlery Specialty.

The payment shall be made to the following bank account:

FUNDACIÓN REAL ESCUELA ANDALUZA DEL ARTE ECUESTRE  
CAIXABANK  
OFICINA MAMELÓN  
CALLE SEVILLA 6  
11402 JEREZ DE LA FRONTERA, CADIZ  
CUENTA: 2100 2626 31 0210071433  
IBAN: ES69 2100 2626 3102 1007 1433

## DATES FOR SUBMISSIONS OF THE APPLICATIONS AND ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

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The application submission date is from **Monday 8 July** until **Friday 30 August 2024**.

The tests will be held on **Monday 2, September** at the Royal School site.

## GENERAL BASIS, COMMUNICATION OF RESULTS AND BEGINNING OF THE COURSE

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The results will be communicated by telephone and e-mail. Once the selection process is completed, the list of the qualifications of all participants will be communicated by telephone and to the e-mail account provided by each

participant, together with the order of punctuation and the number of the pseudonymised identity document.

Applicants will have the right to know the results achieved by the other applicants and the documentation that has served as a basis for awarding the scores, especially regarding to those applicants who have achieved higher marks.

**The course begins on Tuesday, October 1, 2024.**

## **ECONOMIC CONDITIONS**

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The entry fee for the Specialist Training Course in Saddlery is 800 € per year. This amount must be fully paid at the beginning of the course.

## **ENTRANCE EXAM**

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The students will have to go the day of the examination session with the DNI or NIE.

The applicants must complete a theoretical-practical part exam:

- Knowledge of the tools and materials.
- Knowledge of the different horse equipment made in a saddler workshop.
- Hand-sewing practice.

This test will be judged by one teacher from this Foundation.