

SERVICE



Horse Groom

A horse groom handles and controls horses, performs grooming, tacking-up and untacking, feeding and horse health maintenance procedures, cleans stalls and maintains stable facilities, tools, equipment and supplies.

Are you comfortable working with animals? Are you able to work indoors and outdoors? Are you comfortable working at heights? Do you have patience and a real desire to care for animals? Do you enjoy doing a variety of different tasks? Are you comfortable picking up 50 lbs or more?



MOST IMPORTANT ESSENTIAL SKILLS

- attention to detail
- communication skills
- problem solving
- teamwork



POTENTIAL EARNINGS

Hourly wage

from \$17.20 to \$30.00

Annual salary

from \$32,272 to \$58,500

Make up to 100K during your apprenticeship



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

You could work:

- for private horse owners
 - at stables
 - on ranches
 - at a race track
 - at boarding facilities
 - for humane societies
- or one day have your OWN business!

Other related trades:

- Agricultural — Dairy Herdsperson (640D)
- Horse Harness Maker (219D)
- Saddlery (219C)



To become a horse groom, you could participate in an apprenticeship.

Start your apprenticeship now with OYAP!



IMPORTANT DETAILS

- **CODE 600H**
- Non-compulsory trade
- 3,598 hours on the job + 402 hours of in-school training (level 1)
- Total of 4,000 hours (approximately two years)
- No certifying exam

Check out the specialized programs in your high school to explore the trades!

Let OYAP be your helping hand!

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