

# Stephens College

# Horsemanship Camps



## Summer Camp sessions

**June 5-9** (session 1, Ten Campers)

**June 12-16** (session 2, Ten Campers)

**9 a.m. - 2 p.m. \$325.00 (Non-refundable) Ages 6-12**

**July 17-21** (session 3, Eight Campers)

**8 a.m. - 12 p.m. \$300.00 (Non-refundable) Ages 12-15**

Our program offers campers an opportunity to bond with the horses through face-to-face and hands-on interaction. Students can benefit physically and emotionally by interacting with horses through various ground exercise activities and mounted riding opportunities. Students will learn about leadership and find their inner leader. Through working with the horses, students will learn to trust their intuition and believe in themselves as they develop alongside the horse. It is our goal for students to have a unique and powerful life experience and learn skills that they can utilize throughout life.



Register at [stephens.edu/horsemanship-camps](https://stephens.edu/horsemanship-camps)

## Students will have the opportunity to learn the following and more:

- The horse's senses — sight, hearing, smell, touch, taste, sense danger and people's moods
- The horse's instincts — herd animals, pecking order, follow the leader, routine, naturally excitable, courage and laziness, etc.
- How a horse communicates — body language of ears, legs, tail, head, hindquarters, vocalizing, moving, etc.
- Types of grooming tools
- Types of bridles, bits and saddles
- Types of riding styles
- Parts of the horse
- Horse colors and markings
- Horse feed (show the different kinds, have them help feed the horses)
- Horse stabling — stalls, pastures, bedding, cleaning, safety, etc.
- A horse's vital signs
- How to tell a horse is not feeling well
- Horse first aid
- How to tell a horse's age
- How to measure a horse's height and weight

If you have questions, call (573) 876-7144 or email [slinde@stephens.edu](mailto:slinde@stephens.edu)

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