

What do I need to ride English?

Boots: Must have a ½ inch heel and have a minimal amount of tread and be fairly narrow. This will keep your foot from getting caught in the stirrup. You can choose between paddock boots or tall boots

Paddock boots: short leather boot to be worn with half chaps or full chaps. Can be worn over jeans or breeches



Inexpensive: Milestone Paddock boots \$36

*Recommended: Ariat paddock boots \$120

Tall boots: tall boots that can be worn with just breeches



Inexpensive: tough rider start field boots \$81

High Quality: Ariat field boots \$290

Chaps: (pronounced Shaps) are used to protect your leg from getting rubbed by the saddle. You wear them with paddock boots and either breeches or jeans

Half chaps: cover from your foot to your knee and act like a tall boot but easier to get on



Inexpensive: Dublin easy care half chaps \$40

*Recommended: Ariat breeze half chaps \$130

Full chaps: cover you entire leg and can be worn over jeans or breeches.



Inexpensive: English show chaps suede (chick's) \$55

High Quality: prochaps athletic full chaps \$250

Breeches: (pronounced britches) are stretch pant like pants with knee pads or a full seat of thick material like leather. This helps you have a nice fit against the saddle without the pants riding up or extra material in the way. The padding adds a little extra protection from rubbing against the stirrups.



Breeches: have the knee pad

Inexpensive: Tough rider starter breech \$30

*Recommended: Kerrits microcord kneepatch breech (not bootcut) \$90

Recommended: Ovation stretch denim breeches \$80

Full seat Breeches: extra fabric goes from the inside knee all the way up the back side



Inexpensive: Tough rider full seat breeches \$60

Recommended: Kerrits microcord full seat breech (not bootcut) \$119

Tan

Helmet: Approved helmets are required (ASTM and SEI certified). You may borrow one of ours until you are ready to purchase your own. As long as it is approved, it is okay. You may need to try on many brands until you find one that fits your head perfectly. It should be snug but not tight with minimal padding added to make it fit.



Troxel schooling helmet \$50

Ovation deluxe schooler helmet \$55

International advanced tech helmet \$100

Where to buy?

Online:

www.statelinetack.com

www.sstack.com

www.chicksaddlery.com

www.amazon.com

In Person:

Gallops Saddlery

17937 SW McEwan Rd

Tigard, OR 97224

(503) 639-6347

State Line Tack in Petsmart

12375 SW Walker Road

Beaverton, OR 97005

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