

# **Green Pony FAQ**

### 1. How long can a pony compete as a green?

a. Beginning 12/1/2024, a pony will be eligible to compete as a Green Pony for a maximum of two (2) years, regardless of age or change to measurement status. A pony that has changed height sections in its green years may complete the green years at its new height.

## 2. What does it mean if my pony is eligible for green reinstatement?

a. A pony which fits the criteria of HU140.7 is eligible for green reinstatement. If a pony is granted green reinstatement, it will be eligible for two additional greens years. Green reinstatements will not be processed after the 2024 competition year.

#### 3. Do I need to reinstate my pony if it competed as a green this year?

a. This is at the discretion of the Pony's owner(s). If the pony has competed as a green for one year and has not shown at regulation height during a separate year, it will automatically be eligible for one more green year WITHOUT a green reinstatement.

#### 4. How can I find the green reinstatement portal?

a. The reinstatement portal can be found on the member dashboard, under horse options, and through the green status tile.

#### 5. Does my pony need to compete as a green for two years consecutively?

- a. No, the two green years do not have to be consecutive. However, a pony may only compete at regulation height for two years. If a pony competes as a green for one year and continues to compete at regulation height in a future year, it would no longer be green eligible.
- 6. My green pony competed at 2024 USEF Pony Finals as a green. Can my pony still compete in the greens for one future year?
  - a. Yes, the pony may still compete in the greens, but may not compete in the greens at USEF Pony Finals again.
- 7. Can a pony compete as a green at USEF Pony Finals twice?
  - a. No, a pony can only compete as a green one time at USEF Pony Finals. If the pony competes in the Green Hunter Pony section at this competition it must be the pony's first time competing at the USEF Hunter Pony Championship, meaning it could not have competed in the regular section at a prior USEF Pony Finals.
- 8. Can a green pony still compete in the regular pony section during its green years?



a. Yes.



- 9. How can I find out if my pony is green eligible or eligible for a green reinstatement?
  - a. Submit a green inquiry via your member dashboard, under horse options, and through the green status tile.

