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<p>B Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>APPALOOSA</b></p> <p>Originally came from the northwestern part of the United States. Appaloosas are a spotted breed with some Thoroughbred and Quarter Horse blood. Once bred as Indian ponies, they are now used for all kinds of riding, including western, English, jumping, trail and pleasure riding.</p>	<p>C Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>THOROUGHBRED</b></p> <p>First bred hundreds of years ago in England just for racing, but now also used as hunters and jumpers and for eventing and dressage. Many have been on Olympic teams. They are tall, lean and rangy, with long legs, necks and bodies. Thoroughbreds are fast, sensitive and powerful, with good endurance, and move with long, low strides.</p>	<p>F Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>CONNEMARA PONY</b></p> <p>Originally came from Ireland. Some are medium to large ponies and some are small horses. They are tough, strong and hardy, with pretty heads, strong bones and good sense. Most are used for pleasure riding, hunting, jumping, eventing and driving.</p>

<p>#4 Horse and Pony Colors</p> <p>[paste photo here]</p>	<p>#5 Horse Colors</p> <p>[paste photo here]</p>	<p>#6 Horse Colors</p> <p>[paste photo here]</p>
<p>A Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>AMERICAN PAINT HORSE</b></p> <p>An American breed distinguished by its pinto coloring, making up two distinct color patterns. The Paint stands between 15 and 16 hands, and all Paints contain Quarter Horse or Thoroughbred blood. Paints are stocky and well proportioned with strong hindquarters, and used in a variety of activities from cutting and working cow horse events to hunter, jumper and pleasure riding.</p>	<p>E Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>MORGAN</b></p> <p>Originated in the United States and descended from one small stallion, Justin Morgan. Morgans are compact, powerful and intelligent. They are used for driving as well as for all kinds of riding. Morgans are known for their endurance.</p>	<p>D Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>SHIRE</b></p> <p>Descending from England's medieval war horse, the Great Horse, Shires are massive, strong draft horses (over 16.2 hands) and can weigh over 2500 pounds. Shires are still used for plowing fields, pulling carriages, hauling heavy loads and pleasure ridings.</p>

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<p>G Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>ARABIAN</b></p> <p>The oldest pure breed of horse, used today for endurance riding, showing, dressage and all kinds of pleasure riding. Arabians are usually small, high spirited and intelligent, with a “dished” (slightly curved) face, fine skin and coat, short back and a high tail carriage.</p>	<p>L Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>SHETLAND PONY</b></p> <p>Originally came from the Shetland Islands off the coast of Scotland. Very small (under 12.2 hands) but sturdy, strong and smart, they are used as children’s ponies for riding and also for driving.</p>	<p>I Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>FRIESIAN</b></p> <p>Originating in the Netherlands, the Friesian is a heavy cold-blooded horse, standing over 15 hands and commonly black with feathering on the legs. Known for its strength, docility and endurance, the Friesian makes a good riding horses but is more often used as a harness horse.</p>

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<p>H Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>WELSH PONY</b></p> <p>Originally came from the mountains of Wales in Great Britain. Welsh ponies have some Arabian blood. They are medium-sized, with beautiful heads, compact bodies and a “floating” trot. They are used for pleasure riding, jumping and driving.</p>	<p>K Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>PONY of the AMERICAS</b></p> <p>A new breed of pony that is the size of a Welsh Pony and has the color of an Appaloosa. POA's are used for children's ponies and are ridden English and western. They also jump and drive.</p>	<p>J Horse and Pony Breeds</p> <p><b>QUARTER HORSE</b></p> <p>Originated in colonial America and bred for short-distance racing and cow ponies. Most Quarter Horses have some Thoroughbred blood. Today they are used for every kind of riding from ranch work to showing, jumping, pleasure riding, and racing. They have strong, muscular hindquarters and sturdy conformation, and are usually calm and intelligent.</p>

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# Horse and Pony Breeds CARDS

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## Matching Answers for Horse and Pony Breeds Cards

- 1 = C
- 2 = F
- 3 = J
- 4 = A
- 5 = H
- 6 = E
- 7 = I
- 8 = B
- 9 = L
- 10 = D
- 11 = G
- 12 = M
- 13 = K

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## WARMBLOODS

Not a single breed, but rather a group of breeds that cross "hot-blooded" Thoroughbreds and Arabians with "cold-blooded" draft horses. Many are imported from Europe. Warmbloods are usually tall, strong and athletic. They are bred for jumping and dressage, and some are used for driving. Many Olympic team horses are Warmbloods.

### Directions for making cards:

1. Print cards on white card stock.
2. Cut cards apart.
3. Find pictures of horses\* to glue on cards, making sure you match up the card number with the corresponding answer card.

\* look in magazines, catalogs, calendars, etc.  
Be sure to put a photo of your own horse on his breed card!

### Note:

There are more than 200 horse and pony breeds! We've included only the most common breeds in this card set, but you can use the page of blank cards to add more horse and pony breeds.
