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The racing industry is a diverse and exciting world to work in. When millions of people watch a race such as the Grand National, it is the culmination of a huge number of people and organisations.

British horseracing is among the world's best regulated animal activities. The 14,000 horses registered in training at any one time enjoy a quality of life virtually unsurpassed by any other domesticated animal.

The industry employs over 6,500 people to provide constant care and attention for these horses and their welfare. The career paths in the industry are many. The common theme of all is a passion for horses, racing and the community around it.

There are so many different types of jobs in the racing industry, you will need to have a good think about what your skills are and where you might most enjoy working.

1st4sport Qualifications is the official awarding organisation for the racing and breeding industries.

These qualifications have been developed by the British Horseracing Authority and 1st4sport Qualifications, and are supported by employers and the horseracing industry.



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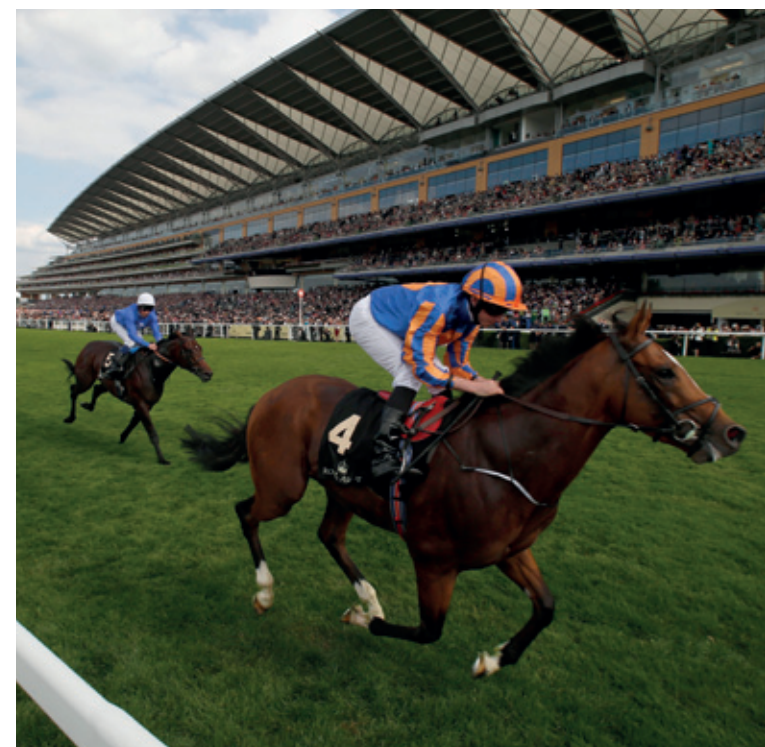
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1ST4SPORT LEVEL 1 AWARD IN AN INTRODUCTION TO THE HORSERACING INDUSTRY

This qualification will introduce you to the structure and history of the industry. It's for you if you're interested in horseracing and Thoroughbred breeding. You don't need any specific experience or previous qualifications.

You will learn:

- the basics of horseracing and the Thoroughbred
- about the major organisations within the British horseracing industry
- about the major races, race types and racecourses in British horseracing.



1ST4SPORT LEVEL 2 CERTIFICATE IN THE STRUCTURE OF THE HORSERACING INDUSTRY

This qualification will provide you with more detailed knowledge and understanding of the industry and its structure. It will suit you if you already have a good understanding of the horseracing industry and wish to learn more either for your job or your own interest.

You will learn about the:

- role of the Thoroughbred in the racing and breeding industries
- role of major organisations within the sport
- structure of the racing calendar
- major racecourses
- outline structure of the betting industry.



1ST4SPORT LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA IN THE ORGANISATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE HORSERACING INDUSTRY

This qualification will give you in-depth knowledge and understanding of these aspects of the industry. Choose this one if you already have a good understanding of the horseracing industry and are 16 years of age or over.

You will learn about:

- the organisation and governance of the modern day industry
- the history of the sport
- the major organisations within the sport
- race planning and racecourse operation
- the structure of the betting industry.

