EXtension Horses has developed a new youth-focused, interactive online learning opportunity to educate youth about equine related topics, promote development of life skills and discover the world of horses regardless of where they live or if they own a horse. HorseXploration is a self-directed set of learning lessons designed for youth ages 12 and over, however it may be appropriate for youth of all ages. The learning lessons are coupled with activities off line that can be experienced locally. Participants must register to get access to the program but it is simple and quick. Lessons are supplemented with video clips and suggested activities.

http://www.extension.org/pages/63164/horsequest-learning-lesson:-horsexploration

We'll also take a brief look at the Horse Adult Leader Training and Educational Resource (HALTER) Program. This progressive series of lessons is designed to offer equine science information, student activities, and techniques for youth leaders in horse programs. You have to register to be admitted to the “course” which is a fast and simple process.


My Horse University (MHU) is a partner of the Horse Quest Community of Practice at eXtension.org and was established in 2005 at Michigan State University. MHU brings research and knowledge from world-renowned experts to online courses and products. MHU’s courses provide a comprehensive and convenient learning experience for horse enthusiasts throughout the world. MHU launched its first online course in 2006. Since then, it has provided nearly 1,000 courses to learners from high school and college students to adult horse enthusiasts. They do charge a fee for some of the courses but most webcasts are free and are available archived on their website.

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