

Activity idea for linking to Farrier's resources

Tools identification activity

Main focus of activity:

- To identify the different tools that are used by the farriers in the workshop
- To be able to explain the role of these tools in the job of the farrier

Links to curriculum:

KS 2 Design and technology –

Knowledge and understanding of:

(How a craftsperson)..... selects appropriate tools and techniques for making their product

- a. (How a craftsperson)..... measures, mark outs, cuts and shape a range of materials, and assembles, join and combine components and materials accurately

Activity outline:

Use the farrier's video clip as a starting point for this activity and ask the class to write down as they watch and quickly sketch any tools that the farrier uses in their job.

Compare each other's notes and names of the tools so that the class all are clear about each tool and the role of each tool.

Pupils can then complete the 'farrier's tools' resource where they can draw a more accurate illustration of the tool and in the other box write a brief description of how that tool is used.