

Instructions: Fill in the missing words to complete each sentence. Check your answers are correct on the website: go to Care A → Fitting Studs → Worksheet Answers.

1. There are two main types of studs: ..... studs and ..... studs/nails.
2. Studs help prevent the horse ..... and can also improve .....
3. A road stud is a horseshoe nail, with a ..... pin added into the head of it.
4. A road stud is ..... fitted, by the farrier, to the horse's shoes.
5. A road stud is fitted to offer some ..... whilst riding and help reduce the ..... of the shoe.
6. Temporary studs are fitted when the horse requires extra ..... and are ..... when not needed.
7. Temporary studs can not be used on ....., solid surfaces.
8. A stud ..... should be used when studs are fitted to the front shoes.
9. A stud tap is used to clean the ..... in the stud hole before putting in the stud.
10. A spanner is used to ..... the stud.
11. Stud ....., or cotton wool soaked in ..... are used to fill in the hole when the stud is removed.
12. Cone-shaped jumping studs are used for ..... or ..... surfaces.
13. Short dome-topped studs are used for soft, ..... arenas or wetter grass.
14. Slim pointed studs are used for ..... ground.
15. Pointed jumping studs are used for ..... terrains.
16. Fat with pointed lower section studs are used for ..... surface on top, but ..... underneath.
17. Thick, square studs are used for boggy or ..... going.
18. Studs enables the horse to work on different .....
19. Studs may cause ..... on the horse's limbs if used incorrectly.
20. Temporary studs can create an ..... hoof pastern axis.