

# Progression Ladder for Show Jumping Judges

## The levels of show jumping judges;

- Learner
- National Level 1
- National Level 2

*All graded shows require two National judges, of which at least one must be a National Level 2 judge*

## Learner to National Level 1

1	Write to ZANEF Committee to become a learner judge in show jumping	
2	Have your own current set of the FEI show jumping rules	
3	Have your own digital stopwatch	
4	Assist in the judges box for 10 complete shows, during the course of 2 years	
5	Attend Two show jumping judges seminars	
6	Attend One show jumping stewarding course	
7	Attend One Course building seminar	
8	Keep a logbook with comments of all shows and seminars attended	
9	Pass the written, open book test for level 1 judges. Pass mark 75%	
10	Send logbook and test pass mark to ZANEF Committee for evaluation and promotion to National level 1 show jumping judge	

- As a Learner judge it is up to you to contact a show convener and ask to sit in at the show
- A Learner needs to be there for the whole judging period, as the judges are. Including course walks
- The shows you sit in at must be run under FEI-based rules.
- The shows you sit in at must have an International judge or a National Level 2 as President of the GJ
- Make an effort to judge with as many different judges as possible
- When you feel you are ready to write the test, you will need to contact the ZANEF committee for a test date.

## National Level 1 to National Level 2

	Work on The Ground Jury for 6 shows, during the course of 1 year	
	Assist as a show jumping steward for One complete show	
	Attend One show jumping judges seminar	
	Keep a logbook with comments of all shows and seminars attended	
	Pass the written, open book test for level 2 judges. Pass mark 75%	
	Send logbook and test pass mark to ZANNEF Committee for evaluation and promotion to National level 2 show jumping judge	

- National Level 1 & Level 2 judges will be invited by a show convener to judge at their show
- At least Two of the 6 shows, must be outside your province of residence
- The shows you work at must be run under FEI-based rules.
- Over the 6 shows, you must judge with at least Two different President of the GJ
- The shows you work at must have an International judge or a National level 2 as presidents of the GJ
- When you feel you are ready to write the test, you will need to contact the ZANEF committee for a test date.

- ❖ All judges must work at a minimum of two shows per year to stay on the list as a qualified judge.
- ❖ After at least two years of working as a National level 2 judge, The ZANEF Committee may consider you to attend the FEI level 1 Course.
- ❖ From FEI level 1 and onwards, see the FEI guidelines