

THE TEN BEHAVIOURAL CHARACTERISTICS UNIQUE TO THE HORSE¹

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In describing the behavioural characteristics of the equine species, and in comparing it to other species, I use the term 'other animals'. When I do, I am referring to the other common domestic species with which the American veterinarians are trained (cattle, swine, sheep, goats, dogs and cats). There are, of course, other domestic species which are less common, such as water buffalo, the llama, and the dromedary.