

Doyle, Hollie: Born Oct. 11, 1996. From: Ireland

Doyle comes from a racing background. Her father Mark Doyle, from Clonmel, Ireland is a former jockey and her mother Caroline rode in Arab horse races. The family lived in Herefordshire and had point-to-pointers and ponies at home. Doyle was a member of the Herefordshire Pony Club and rode her first pony race at the age of nine. She had her first ride as an amateur rider in May 2013, winning by half a length. After taking her GCSEs in 2013, she joined the training yard of David Evans in Wales. That winter she spent six weeks riding trackwork at Santa Anita in California.

In 2019 Doyle set a new record for winners ridden in a British season by a female jockey with 116 victories and then in 2020 she broke her own record. In October 2020, Doyle became the first female jockey to ride a winner on Champions Day at Ascot. This was followed by her first Group 1, winning the Champions Sprint.

In 2020 Doyle competed in her first Breeders' Cup, finishing 11th in the JTS.

Doyle's partner is jockey Tom Marquand. The couple met in their Pony Club days, and they were for a time apprentices together at Richard Hannon's yard. She is no relation to Sophie Doyle who is from England.