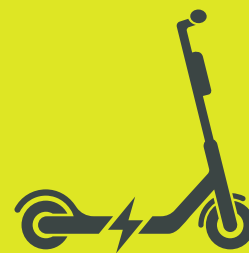


# E-scooters



**Personal Mobility Devices (PMDs) include e-scooters, e-skateboards, solowheels and similar devices.**

## Who can ride

Age  
**16+**

**Riders must be 16 years old or older**  
12 – 15's may ride, but must be supervised by an adult.



### No Doubling

Passengers are not allowed, regardless of age or size. This includes children doubling with parents.



**Always wear a helmet**  
Must be properly fastened.

## Speed Limits

**12**

12km/h on footpaths/ shared paths (unless otherwise signed).

**25**

### Max speed

E-scooters can never travel faster than 25km/h.

**\$**

### Fines

Fines of more than \$660 can apply to speeding.

## Where to ride e-scooters



### Paths

Footpaths, shared paths and separated bike paths.



On-road bike lanes with speed limit of 50km/h or less, or where the bike lane is physically separated from the road.

**50**

### Local Streets

Speed limit of 50km/h or less, no dividing line.

## Riding rules



**Leave your phone alone**



**Don't drink and ride**



**Obey give way & stop signs**



**Be visible at night (light and reflector)**



**Give way to pedestrians on paths**



**Ring your bell to warn pedestrians**



**Keep pedestrians in mind – park safely**



**Stay at the scene of a crash and exchange details**



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# E-bikes



Electric bikes, also known as e-bikes, are vehicles which are assisted by a small motor when riding. E-bike rules are different to e-scooters.

## Who can ride



All  
Ages

No age  
limits apply



Only carry  
passengers if bike  
is designed for it



Always wear  
a helmet  
Must be properly  
fastened.

## Where to ride & speeds



Permitted wherever  
bicycles can ride.



No riding on motorways  
or where no bicycle signs  
are installed.



Follow the signed speed  
limits on paths, bridges,  
roads and bikeways.

## E-bike device requirements



Motor assistance up to  
25km/h only.



Pedals are the primary  
source of power.



250 watt maximum  
continuous power output.

## Illegal devices

Some e-bikes are too high-powered to be legally ridden on Queensland's roads and paths. Illegal devices are considered non-compliant motorcycles. Total fines can be more than \$1640. Devices can be impounded or confiscated by police.



**Internal combustion  
engine**  
E-bikes must have an  
electric motor.

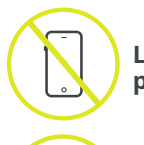


**Throttle powered only**  
Throttle power is permitted  
at speeds up to 6km/h to  
get started. After this you  
must pedal to activate the  
motor assistance.



**High powered motors**  
High-powered devices  
with a motor more  
than 250 watts are not  
permitted. This includes  
high-powered devices that  
are locked to lower limits.

## Riding rules



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