Rules & Best Practices

For Delivery Riders

Riding On Paths

Key Rules

PENALTIES APPLY

Keep within the speed limit

25km/h
on cycling paths

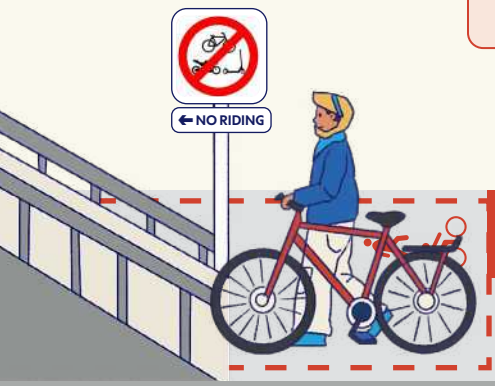
10km/h
on footpaths

Stop and look out for traffic before riding across road crossings and junctions

Dismount and walk your device when you see a 'No Riding' sign

NEW — FROM 1 JULY 2025

Footpaths adjacent to dedicated cycling paths will be converted into Pedestrian-Only Paths. Active mobility devices are not allowed on Pedestrian-Only Paths, except for Personal Mobility Aids (PMAs).



Best Practices

Keep left

Ride on bicycle crossings if available

Always watch out and give way to pedestrians

Dismount and push where the space is crowded or narrow

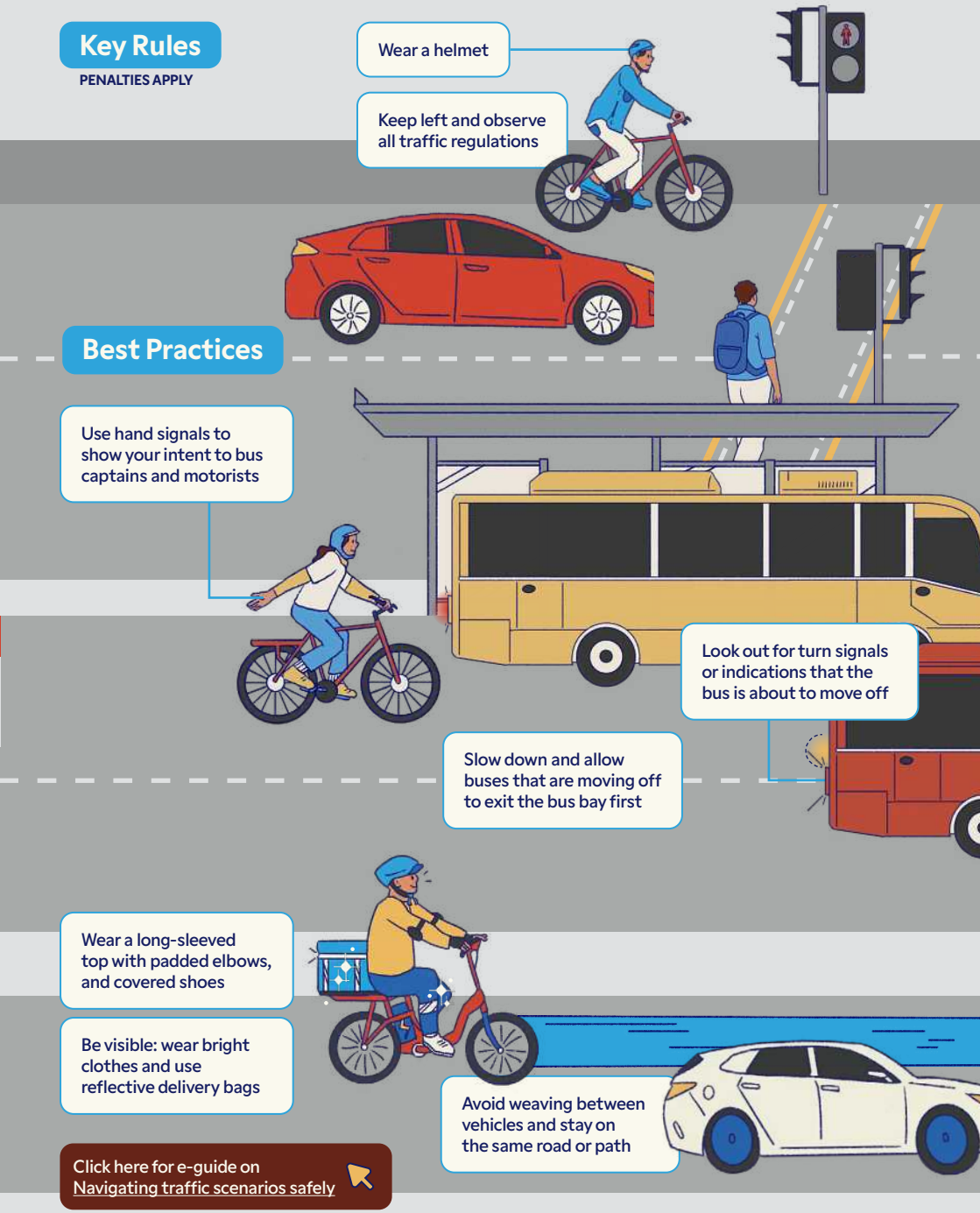
Riding On Roads

Key Rules

PENALTIES APPLY

Wear a helmet

Keep left and observe all traffic regulations



Best Practices

Use hand signals to show your intent to bus captains and motorists

Look out for turn signals or indications that the bus is about to move off

Slow down and allow buses that are moving off to exit the bus bay first

Wear a long-sleeved top with padded elbows, and covered shoes

Be visible: wear bright clothes and use reflective delivery bags

Avoid weaving between vehicles and stay on the same road or path

Click here for e-guide on Navigating traffic scenarios safely

IF YOU USE A...

Personal Mobility Aid (PMA)

NEW — FROM Q1 2026

Riding speed limit*

≤6km/h

*Devices with speed limits up to 10km/h can be used until end-2028.

NEW — FROM 2029

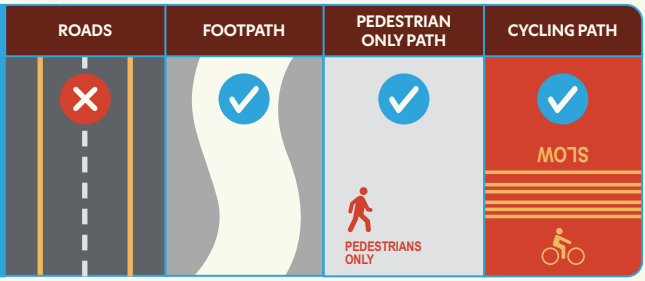
Maximum device speed

≤6km/h

Single seat only

Wide footboard at the front of the seat to rest both feet

Where can I ride?



NEW — FROM Q1 2026

Ensure your PMA meets these dimensions:

≤120cm length

≤150cm height**

≤70cm width

≤300kg unladen weight^

NEW — FROM Q1 2026

To ride a mobility scooter, you must obtain a certification of medical need from a doctor

**Height is measured from the floor to the top of the device or the device user's head when seated on the device, whichever is higher.

^Laden weight means the weight of the device, including the body and all equipment and accessories attached, as well as the person and carry-on baggage.

IF YOU USE A...

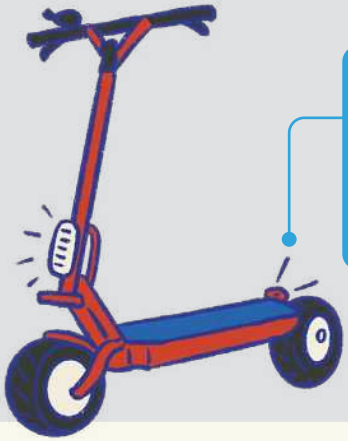
Motorised Personal Mobility Device (PMD)

Maximum device speed

25km/h

UL2272 certified

Click here for more information



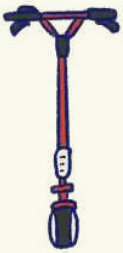
Use front white light and rear red light or reflector during hours of darkness

7PM - 7AM

Where can I ride?

ROADS	FOOTPATH	PEDESTRIAN ONLY PATH	CYCLING PATH
✗	✗	✗ PEDESTRIANS ONLY	✓ SLOW

Ensure your PMD meets these dimensions:



≤70cm width

≤20kg unladen weight

Additional Rules For E-Scooter Riders

E-scooters must be registered with LTA and undergo inspection every 2 years to ensure compliance with LTA's device criteria

You must register and pass the Mandatory Theory Test before using your PMD

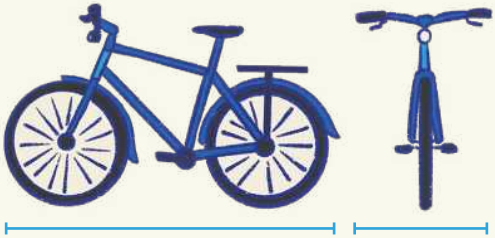
IF YOU USE A...

Bicycle

Where can I ride?

Ensure your bicycle meets these dimensions:

ON ROADS



≤260cm length ≤130cm width

ON FOOTPATHS AND CYCLING PATHS

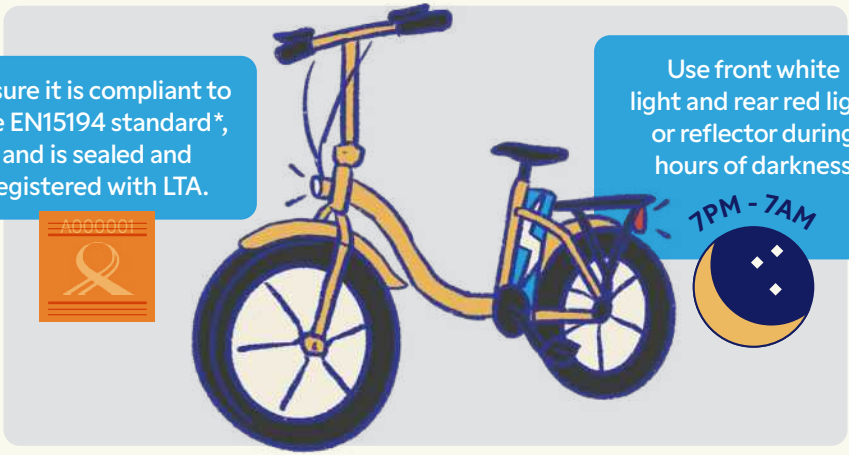
≤70cm width

≤20kg unladen weight

IF YOU USE A...

Power-Assisted Bicycle (PAB)

Ensure it is compliant to the EN15194 standard*, and is sealed and registered with LTA.



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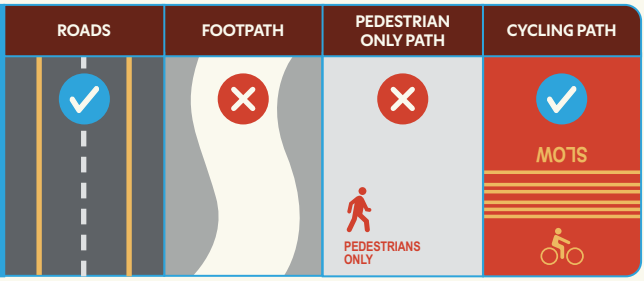


Ensure your PAB meets these dimensions:

ON ROADS

≤260cm length

≤130cm width

ON CYCLING PATHS

≤70cm width

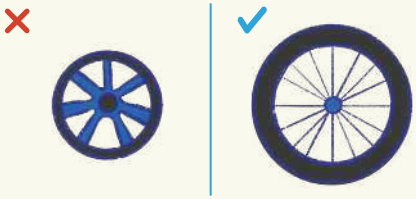
≤20kg unladen weight

You must register and pass the Mandatory Theory Test before using your PAB

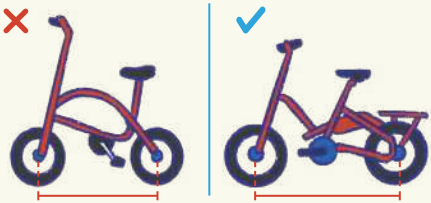
*Only PABs with a blue seal (registered with LTA before 2018) are not subject to the weight requirement and EN15194 standard.

Improving Your Rides

For a safer and steadier ride, pick a device that has:

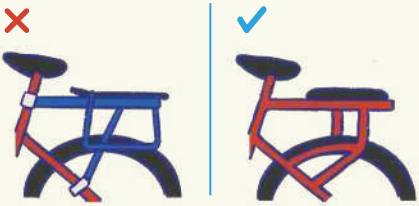


Big wheels (at least 20" or larger) for stability



A long wheelbase (similar to a full-sized bicycle) for better weight distribution

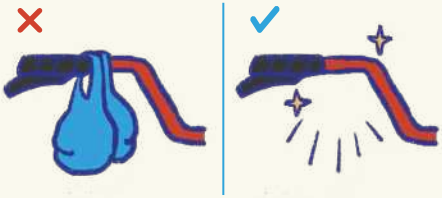
Adjustable saddle to fit your height



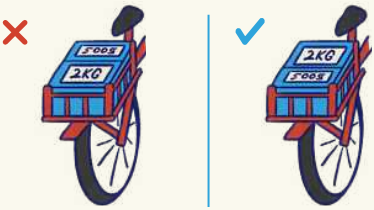
A built-in rack at the back

To ride better and stay balanced:

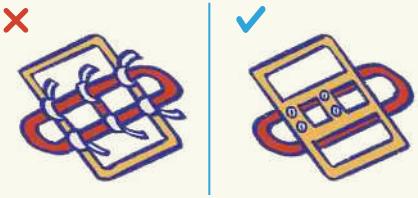
Place heavy cargo in bags or boxes fixed to the bicycle instead of carrying them



Do not hang heavy items on handlebars



Arrange heavier cargo towards the centre of the bicycle



Attach delivery rack to rear rack with mechanical fasteners instead of cable ties

Check your bicycle regularly for:

- Damage to the frame
- Worn-out brakes
- Problems with wheels
- Battery issues (for PABs)
- Motor problems (for PABs)

If you spot any damage or worn parts, get your bicycle fixed right away.

Recommended for PABs	
Regular maintenance	Monthly
Servicing (at authorised provider)	Every 3-6 months

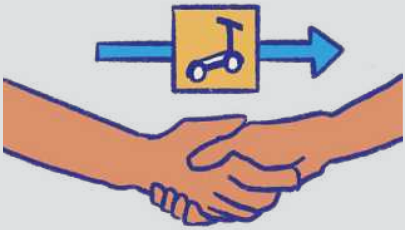
Choosing Your Motorised Devices
(Including Second-Hand Devices)

Buy from reputable retailers. Only buy batteries, parts and original chargers with a Safety Mark that are intended for your device model

Verify with seller that the devices are compliant and not modified

Check devices before purchase.

- For PABs: Look for orange/blue seal
- For PMDs: Look for UL marks



Ensure the seller has transferred ownership of the device to you

Click here for more tips on buying compliant devices

Preventing Device Fires

Ensure your device meets these safety standards:

- PAB: EN15194
- PMD: UL2272

Do not tamper, modify, install additional batteries, or repair a device on your own. Device modification is against the law

Call 995 if there are any fire outbreaks or abnormalities observed

Contact a NEA-registered e-waste collector for the disposal of devices and batteries

Charging Your Device Safely

Best practices for charging your device

Use power chargers and adaptors that are recommended by the device manufacturer and have a SAFETY MARK

Always place devices on hard, flat surfaces to allow heat release. Do not cover them.

What to avoid when charging your device

Do not leave charging devices or batteries unattended or overnight

Do not charge the device if batteries are damaged or deformed. Look out for bloating, powdery surfaces or rust

Do not charge the battery when wet

Do not charge the device immediately after use

Best practices for storing devices and batteries

Keep devices and batteries at room temperature and away from direct sunlight

Keep devices and batteries away from flammable items (e.g. cloth, oil, wood), heat sources, water and escape paths

Making Smoother Deliveries

Before pick up and drop off

- ☑ Read delivery instructions carefully
- ☑ Ask the shop or customer if unsure

During pick up and drop off

- ☑ Park your device at delivery waiting bays. If unavailable, use designated bicycle parking or motorcycle lots.

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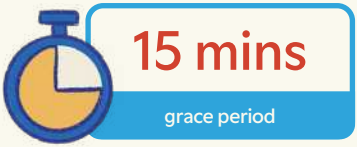
Learn more about safety tips

Motorcycle parking at HDB/URA car parks with Electronic Parking System (EPS)

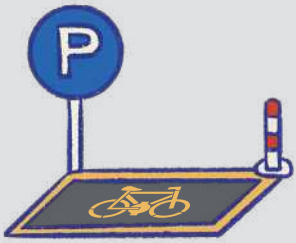


Motorcycle parking lots at HDB/URA car parks with EPS have a 15-minute grace period

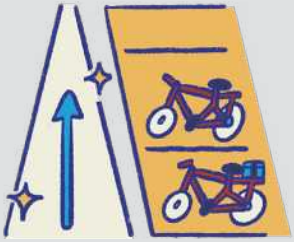
Delivery riders with valid HDB season parking can top up $3 to $5 each month to enjoy season parking at all HDB and selected URA car parks

Click here to find out more and apply

Parking Your Device



Always park at designated parking areas



Do not block walking paths, loading bays or roads

Lock your device before you leave

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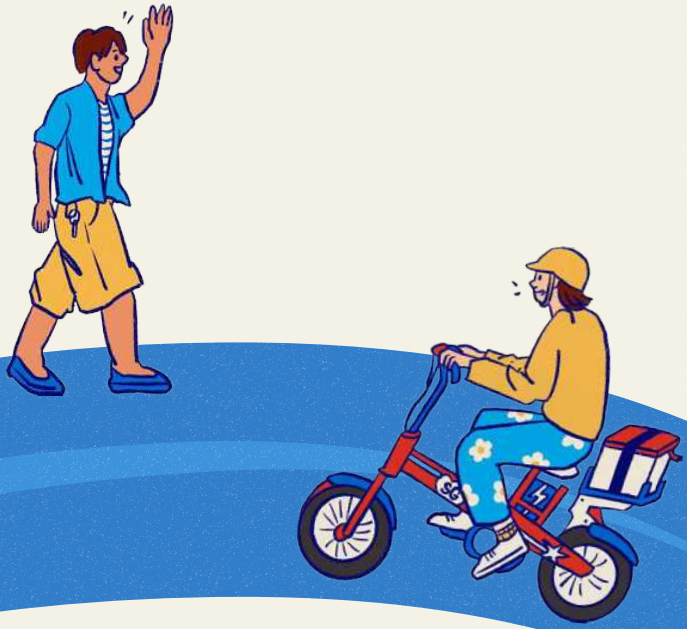

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