

eRideable and eBike policy

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1. Policy statement

Under Western Australian laws, only people aged 16 years or older may operate eRideables or eBikes with the motor engaged.

At Mindarie Senior College, students aged under 16 are not permitted to use or store eRideables or eBikes on school premises.

2. Scope

This policy applies to all students at Mindarie Senior College.

3. Rules

Mindarie Senior College will apply the following conditions to eRideables and eBikes on College premises:

- Only students aged 16 and over are permitted to bring eRideables or eBikes onto College premises.
- All Western Australian eRideable or eBike laws must be followed.
- All eRideables and eBikes must be stored in the racks adjoining the basketball court.
- Students are not permitted to ride eRideables or eBikes on College grounds. Upon entering the premises, students must dismount and walk the device to the designated storage area.
- Students over 16 must display identification provided by the College to indicate their eRideable or eBike is permitted.

4. Procedures

Any behaviour of concern will be addressed in accordance with the College's student behaviour policy and procedures and Loss of Good Standing process.

If a student under the age of 16 brings an eRideable or eBike onto College grounds, the College will contact the parents seeking its removal.

If students are riding an eRideable or eBike in a dangerous manner, WA Police will be notified and the incident reported to the Department of Education through the Online Incident Notification System (OINS).

If the behaviour of concern results in damage to property or adversely affects or threatens the safety of anyone on the school premises, further sanctions such as suspension will be considered.

5. Definitions

Under Western Australian law, an eRideable is an electric rideable device that:

- has at least one wheel
- is designed to be used by only one person
- has a speed limit of 25 km/h on level ground
- weighs 25 kg or less
- is no more than 125 cm long, 70 cm wide and 135 cm high.

Using an eRideable that doesn't meet these rules on WA roads and paths is prohibited.

Examples of eRideables include:

- eScooters
- eSkateboards
- hoverboards
- eSkates
- eUnicycles.

An eBike is a power-assisted pedal cycle that:

- has a motor with a maximum power output up to 250 watts.
- needs human power to make it move - it is not meant to be ridden using the motor alone (like a motorcycle).

Using an eBike that doesn't meet these rules on WA roads and paths is prohibited.

Related documents

Related documents include:

- [Access information on the use of eRideables in schools](#)
- [Electric Rideable Device Storage and Charging: A Guide for Government Tenancies](#)
- Road Safety Commission – [eRideables](#)
- Road Safety Commission - [eBikes](#)