

Motorcycle/Moped Campus Parking

Parking

Designated parking spaces for motorcycles and mopeds are available all around campus. These designated parking spaces are marked with signs. Motorcycles and Mopeds are not allowed to park in regular vehicle parking spaces or gate-controlled locations.

Mopeds

A “Moped” is considered to be any low-powered motorized vehicle of 50cc or under.

Mopeds are allowed to park for free in 26 designated moped spaces throughout campus. There are no secured spaces on campus.

Moped riders can Look for the “Moped Parking” signs around campus and for the “Moped Only” decals on the bike loops designated for mopeds. Riders need to walk their mopeds from the street to the bike hoops. Driving on the pedestrian walkways is not allowed.

[Information & Maps](#)

Motorcycles

Motorcycles are allowed to park for free in 132 designated motorcycle spaces throughout campus. There are no secured spaces on campus.

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Restricted Vehicles

Segways

A Segway Human Transporter (Segway) is a type of motor scooter that uses gyroscopes to maintain balance and does not include other types of motorized scooters currently available or devices designed to assist people with disabilities.

Unless exceptions are granted for health, safety and welfare, Segways are prohibited in U-M parking lots, parking structures, buildings, on any sidewalk or roadway, or other property of U-M in Ann Arbor. To inquire about Segway exceptions please contact U-M Parking Customer Services at umpark@umich.edu.



Skateboards

Skateboards are prohibited in U-M parking lots, parking structures, buildings, on any sidewalk or roadway, or other property of U-M.

Moped Safety & Operation

Rights and Responsibilities

In general, mopeds on public roadways have the same rights and responsibilities as automobile drivers and are subject to the same Michigan State laws and local ordinances.

Keep to the Right and Ride Only Two Aboard

Riders should stay to the right side of the road and exercise care when passing. No more than two mopeds should ride side by side on a public roadway.

Ride on the Road and in Designated Areas

Moped should not be operated on any sidewalk, bicycle path or bicycle lane.

Register Your Moped

All Mopeds must be registered within the state. The registration decal needs to be placed on the rear bumper. Decals should be used versus a license plate. Vehicles with license plates are considered motorcycles.

Wear a Helmet

Persons under the age of 19 shall are required to wear an approved crash helmet.

Use Lights at Night

Mopeds shall be equipped with all lights and other safety equipment required by law.

Passengers

A Moped shall not be used to carry more than one person at a time.

Keep Both Hands on the Handle Bars

Moped operators shall not carry packages or bundles which prevent them from keeping both hands on upon the handle bars.



Motorcycle Safety & Operation

Rights and Responsibilities

In general, motorcycles on public roadways have the same rights and responsibilities as automobile drivers and are subject to the same state laws and local ordinances.

Ride Only Two Aboard

Motorcycle are entitled to the full use of a lane. No more than two motorcycles should ride side by side on a public roadway.

Ride on the Road and in Designated Areas

Motorcycles should not operate on any sidewalk, bicycle path or bicycle lane.

Protect Your Eyes

When a motorcycle is operated in excess of 35 mph and is not equipped with a windshield, the operator shall wear eyeglasses, goggles, or a face shield which shall be shatter resistant and of sufficient size to protect the eyes from air-borne material.

Wear a Helmet

All riders shall wear an approved crash helmet.

Use Lights at Night

Motorcycles shall be equipped with all lights and other safety equipment required by law.

Passengers

A motorcycle shall not carry more than the number of people the motorcycle is designated and equipped for.

Keep Both Hands on the Handle Bars

A motorcycle operator shall not carry packages or bundles which prevent them from keeping both hands on upon the handle bars.

