



NEW YORK STATE E-BIKE & E-SCOOTER LAWS



MINIMUM AGE

16+

You must be at least **16** years old to operate an electric bike or electric scooter in New York State.



WHERE CAN THEY BE RIDDEN?



Roads with speed limits of 30 MPH or less



Bike lanes where available



Not on sidewalks (unless local law specifically allows it)



E-BIKE CLASSES

CLASS 1



- Pedal assist only
- Max assisted speed: **20 MPH**

CLASS 2



- Throttle allowed
- Max speed: **20 MPH**

CLASS 3



- Pedal assist only
- Max assisted speed: **25 MPH**



Helmet required in many situations, including all riders in New York City.



HELMETS



16-17

Required for riders age 16-17 on e-scooters.



Required for certain Class 3 e-bike riders.

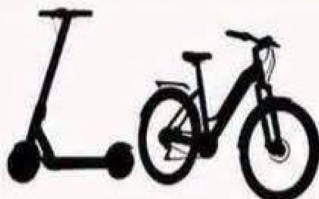


Strongly recommended for everyone.



NO LICENSE REQUIRED

- ✓ No driver's license
- ✓ No registration
- ✓ No insurance required for legal e-bikes and e-scooters.



PARENTS: If your child is under 16, they **CANNOT** legally operate an e-bike or e-scooter on public roads in New York State.



Local laws may vary. Always ride safely and follow all traffic laws.

**RIDE RESPONSIBLY.
SHARE THE ROAD.**



**Be Smart.
Be Safe.
Be Legal.**

Source: New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law § 1111-c, § 1111-d, § 1231