

E-Bike Safety Conduct Contract



Introduction



This contract, dated [DATE], between

_____ [Teen's Name] and _____ [Adult's name] ensures the safe operation of an e-bike by said Teen.

By adhering to the agreements herein, [TEEN] is permitted to operate the specified e-bike. All parties agree this privilege is revocable, not a right, and non-compliance will lead to disciplinary actions, including potential suspension of e-bike privileges.

Safety Pledges

I, [TEEN], agree to the following pledges:

1. Accident Prevention and Safety Gear

- I will always wear my helmet with the chin-strap buckled securely when riding.
- I will use bike lights in low-light conditions and wear bright clothing to enhance visibility.
- I will not ride after dark without permission and proper lighting.
- I understand my parents may be financially and legally liable for any incidents, activities, or accidents involving my e-bike, which may not be covered by insurance.

2. Legal e-Bike Brand and Model

- I will collaborate with [PARENT] to choose a legal and safe e-bike brand, appropriate for my age and riding ability. I will avoid bikes with motors exceeding 750 watts.
- My e-bike's powered speed will not exceed 20 mph for Class 1 or 2, and 28 mph for Class 3 (if I am 16 or older). I will not alter the speed governor to increase speed.
- I will ride solo unless my e-bike is specifically designed for additional passengers. Long "banana" seats are illegal for multiple riders.
- I will not allow others to use my e-bike or ride another's without [PARENT]'s permission and adult supervision.

3. Obey Traffic Laws

- I will obey all traffic signals, signs, and road markings.
- I will ride on the correct side of the road or path and follow all cycling regulations.
- I will only ride in locations detailed and approved by [PARENT], including specifically designated streets, roads, paths, sidewalks, sites, garages, or parking lots. I will not trespass on private property.



4. No Stunts or Reckless Riding

- I will refrain from dangerous activities, such as speeding or stunts, on streets, sidewalks, paths, and other public or private areas. Such activities are allowed only with adult supervision at designated e-bike sports facilities.
- I will exercise caution near blind curves.
- I will adhere to legal speed limits and generally ride at lower speeds.



Consequences of Non-Compliance

I, [TEEN], understand that failure to adhere to safety pledges will result in:

- **Temporary Privilege Revocation:** My e-bike will be confiscated for two weeks, or [specified period], for minor breaches, as decided by [Parent's Name]. Continued infractions may prolong this period.
- **Permanent Removal:** A serious contract breach, as judged by Parent/Guardian will lead to the permanent confiscation and disposal of the e-bike after the first infraction.



Acknowledgment

I, [TEEN], commit to these guidelines for my safety and others while riding my e-bike, acknowledging the consequences of non-compliance.

Signed:

_____	_____
Teen	Date
_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Witness	Date