E-BIKES



You can only ride an e-bike if it (and you!) meet certain requirements...

14+ Did you know you can only ride an e-bike it if meets certain requirements and **you are 14 years or over?**

Electric bikes are also known as 'electronically assisted pedal cycles (EAPC)' or e-bikes. E-bikes **must have pedals** that can be used to propel it, and it **must show either the power output, or manufacturer of the motor and either the batteries voltage, or maximum speed of the bike.**

15.5 mph The electric motor **must have a maximum power output of 250W**, and **should not be able to propel the bike when it is travelling more than 15.5mph.**

If an e-bike **does not** meet these requirements then it is classed as a motorcycle or moped, and needs to be **registered, taxed and insured,** you also need a **driving licence** and to **wear a helmet**.

If you are riding an e-bike which does not meet these requirements and it is not registered, taxed or insured, your e-bike **COULD BE SEIZED.**

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