E-scooters

E-Scooters are a convenient mode of transport, but you have a duty of care to yourself & other road users. You also need to be sure that your e-scooter is road legal.

E-scooters are restricted to

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A maximum weight unladen of 25 kilograms

E-scooters must have



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Front and rear lights



A maximum design speed of 20 kilometres per hour



A bell or horn



A maximum power of 400 W

E-scooters are not allowed



On footpaths or motorways



To carry passengers or goods



Front and rear brakes

E-scooter users



Must be over 16 years old

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Cannot use the scooter while intoxicated



To have a seat



Failure to adhere to Road Traffic legislation may incur a fine or a court summons.

Although personal protection equipment is not compulsory it is strongly recommended.

Together we can reduce serious and fatal road traffic collisions. For more information, please **visit www.garda.ie**