

GENERAL SAFETY FAQs

Do I have to wear a helmet when riding a Gotcha bike?

Gotcha takes safety very seriously, and we always advise you wear a helmet when riding a bike. California state law does not require a helmet for riders over the age of 18, but we still advocate for their use any time you ride one of our products.

Where should I ride a Gotcha bike?

We always recommend riding in bike lanes when possible. Pay attention to local traffic laws when bike lanes aren't available. Regardless, always look out for pedestrians and vehicles while riding. Be visible and predictable to drivers.

What traffic signs and signals do I need to obey?

All of them. Always pay attention to signals like stop lights and follow them as if you're driving a car. Pay attention to any traditional signs (like stop or yield signs), as well as any signs that tell you what part of the road or sidewalk to ride on.