







OREGON MOPED, MOTORIZED SCOOTER, POCKET BIKE GUIDE

Description	Min. Age	License	Registration	Insurance	Helmet	Passenger	Lights	Max Capable Speed	Max Allowed Speed	Ride on Sidewalk	Ride on Bike Path/Lane	Ride in crosswalk	Possible DUII	Oregon Vehicle Code	
Electric Scooter Gas Scooter 	16	No	No	No	Yes Bicycle	No	Yes	24 Mph	15 Mph	No	Yes	No	Yes	801.348 814.510 814.512	814.518 814.524 814.520
<p>Gas – Maximum cc=35 Electric – Maximum output=1000 watts Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility. Not capable of going faster than 24 mph on level ground. Use may be restricted by local jurisdictions.</p>															
Pocket Bike Mini Motorcycle 	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	Yes	801.360 814.200 814.260	814.269 814.310 814.320
<p>Can operate only on private property with owner's permission. No regulations are listed as these are not legal to operate on highways or premises open to the public. Since they are considered a motor vehicle you will be subject to any number of violations if you operate on public roadways or premises open to the public. These are not motor assisted scooters because the engine is more than 35 cc and can go faster than 24 mph on level ground. They do not meet federal safety standards so they can not be a motorcycle or moped.</p>															
Moped 	16	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes DOT	No	Yes	30 Mph	30 Mph	No	Only under human power	No	Yes	801.345 814.200 814.260	814.269 814.310 814.320
<p>If it has a combustion engine, the engine must be 35.01 to 50 cc. Must be unable to travel more than 30 mph on a level road surface. Must not require clutching or shifting by the operator after the power drive system is engaged. Requires a driver license to operate (<i>but not a motorcycle endorsement</i>). Requires registration and insurance to operate on public roadways and premises open to the public. If a moped exceeds either maximum capable speed or engine size it is a motorcycle.</p>															
Segway 	16	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	15 Mph	--	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	801.259 814.550	814.552 814.554
<p>Is an electric personal assistive mobility device. Can operate in bicycle lanes and paths, sidewalks and highways with speed limits of 35 mph or less, unless local laws limit uses. (Subject to any applicable provisions.) Maximum speed is 15 mph. Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility.</p>															
Electric Assisted Bicycle 	16	No	No	No	Yes Bicycle	Restricted	Yes	20 Mph	--	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	801.258 814.400	814.405 814.410
<p>Is considered a bicycle, rather than a motor vehicle, for purposes of the Oregon Vehicle Code, except when otherwise specifically provided by statute. Has fully operative pedals for human propulsion <u>and</u> an electric motor with power output not more than 1,000 watts. Not capable of going faster than 20mph on level ground. Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility.</p>															
Bicycle 	--	No	No	No	Under 16 Bicycle	Restricted	Yes	--	--	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	801.150 814.400 814.405	814.600 814.410
<p>Every person riding a bicycle upon a public way is subject to the provisions applicable to and has the same rights and duties as the driver of any other vehicle concerning operating on highways, vehicle equipment and abandoned vehicles-with limited exceptions. Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility.</p>															

For questions regarding traffic violations and operating one of these types of vehicles with a suspended driving privilege, contact law enforcement.