

Turn Signals



LEFT TURN



STOPPING



RIGHT TURN



ALTERNATE RIGHT
TURN



1 Harassment of a bicyclist is a Class A misdemeanor. To file a complaint, call 573-874-7652 (automated phone menu) or 573-442-6131 (non-emergency police dispatcher).

2 If you're in an accident: Contact the police. Assess if you need medical attention. Collect information from the driver. Ask witnesses for their name and number if necessary. Take notice of any injuries obtained from the incident. Ensure your statement is heard, not just the motorist.

3 Register your bicycle with MUPD or the City of Columbia. This will help determine ownership of your bike if it stolen.



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Questions?

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What is the Bike Resource Center?

A weekly event (weather permitting) where we:

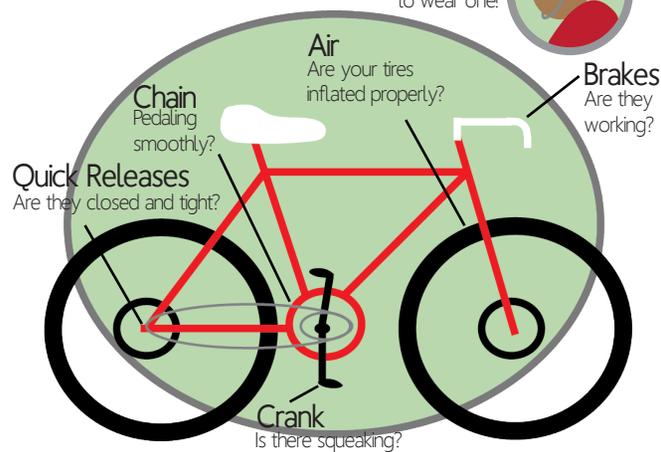
- Educate students about bike safety
- Provide information about the rules of the road and safe riding
- Repair bikes for free and refer students to local bike shops if necessary



ABC Quick Check

Be sure to regularly inspect your bike. Use the ABC Quick Check to remember what to inspect

Helmet
Don't forget to wear one!



Be predictable: use hand signals to let road users know when you are turning

Stop at stop signs and traffic lights

Yield to pedestrians and vehicles

Don't pass cars on the right side, especially when they're stopped at intersections

Biking on sidewalks in the downtown district is illegal

Avoid the door zone! Give yourself a buffer when passing parked vehicles

Bike in the same direction as traffic

Always wear a helmet

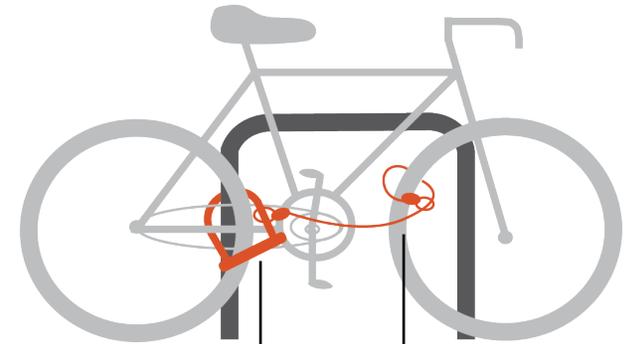
See and be seen. Use lights at night with a front facing white light and rear facing red light

Don't bike with headphones on, and don't talk on your phone while you bike

As a cyclist, you have all of the same legal rights and responsibilities as the driver of a car

Same Road. Same Rules. Same Rights.
Bike Smart.

How to Properly Lock Your Bike



U-Lock secured to bike rack, back wheel and around bike frame

Cable wrapped around front wheel and attached to U-Lock for added security

Accessorize Your Bike

Solid Brakes

Always make sure you can stop easily. Keep wheel rims free of dirt and grease.



Lights

See and be seen. Remember white in front and red in back. Wear reflective materials, such as jackets or arm bands to increase visibility.



Bell (or Horn)

Have something to alert others you're coming or kindly say, "Passing on your left"

