

1 **Provo City School District**
2 **Policy Series 7000: Community**
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Policy No. 7270

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9 **Use of Micromobility Vehicles and Pedestrian Conveyances on School Campuses**
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11 **Purpose:**

12 The purpose of this policy is to regulate the use of non-motorized modes of transportation and
13 micromobility vehicles on school campuses in Provo City School District to ensure the safety and well-
14 being of students, staff, and visitors.
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16 **Scope:**

17 This policy applies to all students, staff, and visitors who operate micromobility vehicles and
18 pedestrian conveyances, including golf carts, on school campuses.
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20 **Definitions:**

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- 22 • **Micromobility vehicles:** The U.S. Department of Transportation and Federal Highway
23 Administration defines a micromobility vehicle as any small, low-speed, human- or electric-
24 powered transportation device, including bicycles, scooters, electric-assist bicycles, electric
25 scooters (e-scooters), and other small, lightweight, wheeled conveyances.
 - 26 • **Pedestrian Conveyances:** any human-powered device by which a pedestrian may move other
27 than by walking (i.e. roller skates, roller blades, skateboard, non-motorized wheelchairs)
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29 **Policy Statement:**

30 1) Authorized Use:

- 31 a) Micromobility vehicles and pedestrian conveyances may be used on a school campus by
32 individuals who are:
33 i) students or staff members of the school.
34 ii) visitors who have obtained prior authorization from the school administration.
35 b) Use of these devices is restricted to designated areas only.

36 2) Safety Regulations:

- 37 a) All users must adhere to traffic laws and regulations while operating micromobility vehicles
38 and pedestrian conveyances on a school campus.
39 b) School campus sidewalks experience high traffic volumes during class change times, lunch
40 breaks, and before and after school. Pedestrians have the right of way on sidewalks at all times.
41 Anyone riding a device on campus must yield to pedestrians.
42 c) Protective gear, including helmets, must be worn at all times while riding.
43 d) The speed limit for all micromobility vehicles and pedestrian conveyances on a school campus
44 is 10 mph.
45 e) Micromobility vehicles and pedestrian conveyances must be operated in a responsible manner,
46 avoiding reckless or dangerous behavior and demonstrating awareness of surroundings.
47 f) Bicyclists have the same rights as motor vehicles but also must yield to pedestrians.

- 48 g) All users should remove headphones, airpods, and earbuds and avoid cell phone distractions
49 while riding on campus.
- 50 3) Parking and Storage:
- 51 a) Designated parking areas for micromobility vehicles and pedestrian conveyances may be
52 provided on the school campus.
- 53 b) Users must park and store their vehicles in the designated areas only. Parking in non-
54 designated areas is strictly prohibited.
- 55 4) Prohibited Activities:
- 56 a) Riding micromobility vehicles and pedestrian conveyances indoors or in areas not designated
57 for their use.
- 58 b) Operating micromobility vehicles and pedestrian conveyances under the influence of alcohol or
59 drugs.
- 60 c) Allowing unauthorized individuals to use micromobility vehicles. Students may not drive golf
61 carts on a school campus unless under the supervision of a campus employee.
- 62 5) Enforcement:
- 63 a) Report unsafe behavior on sidewalks and school campuses to the school administration.
- 64 b) Violations of this policy may result in disciplinary action, which may include warnings, fines,
65 confiscation of vehicles, or other appropriate measures deemed necessary by the school
66 administration.
- 67 c) Repeat violations may lead to more severe disciplinary action, including suspension or
68 revocation of privileges to operate micromobility vehicles and pedestrian conveyances on the
69 school campus.
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71 **Implementation:**

- 72 1) The school administration shall be responsible for implementing and enforcing this policy.
- 73 2) Education and awareness programs may be conducted to inform the school community about the
74 regulations and safety guidelines related to the use of micromobility vehicles and pedestrian
75 conveyances on the school campus.
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77 **Review:**

78 This policy shall be reviewed periodically to ensure its effectiveness and compliance with applicable
79 laws and regulations. Amendments may be made as deemed necessary by the Board of Education. This
80 policy shall be communicated to all students, staff, and visitors.

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References:

[Utah Code 41-6a-1115](#)

Bicycles and Other Vehicles, Regulation of
Operation

[Utah Code 41-6a-1115.5](#)

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Approved by Board of Education:

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