Skateboarding – Guidelines

Application

This guideline applies to all students, staff, affiliates and visitors at Australian campuses of Monash University.

Use

The use of skateboards on Monash University property is permitted so long as that use is carried out in accordance with these Guidelines and in a manner that a reasonable person would consider to be safe at all times.

Riders of skateboards on Monash University property must obey:

- All signage relating to skateboard use or road/pathway use in general;
- Any instruction given by a security officer.

The use of skateboards on Monash University property shall be for the sole purpose of transporting the rider from one location to another.

The use of skateboards on Monash University property for recreational purposes is prohibited except within the external grounds of the halls of residences. Do not use University infrastructure, such as benches and walls, for performing tricks.

The use of skateboards within Monash University buildings, including car parking buildings, is not permitted.

A skateboard may only be ridden in a manner that:

- Is in accordance with any Victorian statute or regulation governing road rules;
- Is safe to the rider or others and avoids skating through any busy walkways or pathways;
- Is considerate of all other users of the walkway or pathway;
- Does not cause damage to buildings or infrastructure of Monash University;
- Does not cause a nuisance or disturbance to pedestrians and other members of the University community.

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