Safety Guidelines for Cyclists

Five safety rules for cyclists in Japan





Use roadways in principle.

Riding on sidewalks is allowed only in exceptional cases. Keep to the left on roadways.



Don't drink and ride.

Cyclists are prohibited from riding under the influeence of alcohol.



Stop at STOP signs.

Cyclists must obey traffic lights at intersections and check for safety after coming to a full stop.



Wear a helmet.

*Obligation in Japanese law to Make Effort.



Use bicycle lights at night.

*Charichari have front light that turn on automatically at night.