

Skatepark Guidelines for Skaters



The first thing you want to do is check out the scene. How many people are there? Are there bikes there? You really want to watch out for bikes, they're fast and quiet. The first rule is:

Respect other users at all times.

That way you won't get run over or run over anyone yourself. Look at what features different groups are using and what lines people are riding. That way you can get into the flow of things and get a turn to try your line or trick without standing in the way of other people or cutting them off.

Read posted rules

No food, drinks, chewing gum, mud, gravel, gnarly biker pegs, scooters, or jackhammers allowed on the skating surface. No vandalism of any kind (except stickers).

Check for hazards

Walk around and check out the construction of the park before you take a run. Again to get a closer look at the scene and look for large cracks, water puddles, gravel, dented coping, broken glass, gnarly bikers, and congested spots.

Always have proper equipment

Make sure your board is in good working order. The mounting hardware tight and the kingpin adjusted for your weight and ability. Helmet worn with chinstrap buckled and pads worn correctly. Good court shoes with a flat sole or skateboard shoes only please. Sandals are not appropriate.

Clean feet

Don't track mud or dirt onto the skate surface. If your board flies out and knocks dirt or rocks in the skateboard park. Clean it up best you can. Also with other hazards try to clean or remove as much as you can. It is up to you. Take care of your skateboard park. Try to watch out for each other as best you can. That is the Code. Most of all, Have fun!