

# London Road - Gallowgate Routes



A network of cycle routes has been developed as part of the "Smarter Choices, Smarter Places" project to serve the east end of Glasgow.

The routes link the city centre with popular commercial and leisure destinations and provide quality cycle ways to The Forge Shopping Centre, Celtic Park Football Stadium, the Emirates Arena and Sir Chris Hoy Velodrome, Glasgow Green and the greater Glasgow and NCN network.

The routes are composed of segregated cycle paths on busier roads, minor roads where traffic levels are low, and purpose built sections with footways that are widener for shared walking and cycling use.

They connect with the Clyde Gateway cycle route which in turn links to the Clyde Walk Way (NCN 75), the route to East Kilbride (NCN 756) and the new route to Cathkin Braes via Hampden.

Where cyclists and walkers use the same path, mutual consideration should be shown. Neither user should dominate the path by staying in the middle or pass slower moving users too closely or too quickly.



## Cycling Tips

### Visibility

- Wear bright or reflective clothing or accessories
- Use lights after dark; LED lights are affordable and effective
- Use appropriate arm signals when making a left or right turn

### Position On The Road

- Riding away from the gutter can prevent dangerous overtaking  
Try to allow a full door's width between you and parked cars

### Shared Surfaces

- Alert others of your presence, slow down when passing and say thank you
- Remember that many people are hard of hearing or visually impaired – don't assume they can see or hear you
- Leave others plenty of room when passing and be especially aware of small children
- Don't expect to cycle at high speeds, shared tracks are for everyone, not just cyclists
- Be prepared to slow down or stop if necessary
- Be especially careful at junctions, bends and entrances

### Behaviour

- Please exercise access rights in a responsible manner  
Follow the advice given in the Scottish Outdoor Access Code (online at [www.outdooraccess-scotland.com](http://www.outdooraccess-scotland.com) or order from SNH on 01738 444 177)
- For further advice regarding polite cycling, please visit [www.politecycling.info/glasgow.html](http://www.politecycling.info/glasgow.html)

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