SACRAMENTO STATE has put out the welcome mat for bike commuters with a network of bicycle pathways marked in bright green paint. The project, completed in August 2014, includes additional pathways behind the University Union; two staffed bike/board compounds; stamped-asphalt signage that reminds cyclists to “share the path” with pedestrians; and two stop signs on Sinclair Road designed to reduce the speed of bicycles and other vehicles on either side of pedestrian pathways. Most of the central campus is a pedestrian-only zone.

Sacramento State is committed to smart sustainability practices and encourages students, faculty and staff to ride, rather than drive, to campus. The American River Bike Trail and the Guy West Bridge offer a scenic route for cyclists heading to and from the campus.

We want the University to be a safe place for everyone. If you do ride, please obey posted signage, slow down and consider wearing a helmet. Lock up your bike in a designated spot – and walk to class as if you‘d arrived in a car.

Ride to Campus, Park and Lock

For added security, bike/board compounds are strategically located around the campus. Community service officers (CSOs) normally are on duty at each compound from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday throughout the academic year.

You’ll find three bike/board compounds on campus: adjacent to the Guy West Bridge; at Moraga Way/Sinclair Road; and between Benicia Hall and the Academic Information Resource Center (AIRC). All compounds are lighted after dark and are free.

Free bike registration is available at all bicycle compounds. CSOs will register and photograph your bike to make identification easier, should it ever be stolen anywhere. A hardened metal U-type lock is recommended for securing bikes.

Campus Policy

Sacramento State’s policy ADM-0157 provides guidelines for the use of bicycles, roller skates, skateboards, in-line skates, wheeled devices, motorized skateboards/scooters and equivalent products on the Sacramento State campus.

In the interest of public safety, unsafe operation (including excessive speed, reckless operation and exhibitionism) is prohibited and will be enforced under California Vehicle Code, Section 21113. Bicycles and other wheeled devices secured to poles, trees, rails or other objects not intended for that purpose will be removed and stored at the owner’s expense.

(See complete policy: csus.edu/umanual/admin/ADM-0157.htm)

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Most of Sac State’s central campus is a designated pedestrian-only zone (indicated in blue on the map). Bikes, skateboards, scooters and other wheeled devices cannot be ridden in that area.