



KKSS-TEK Enhanced Rider Scheme

Overview

The Cyprus Drivers Standard Education Institution enhanced rider scheme checks your motorcycle riding skills and provides training to help you improve.

You can get discounts on motorcycle insurance once you've successfully completed the scheme.

You can take the enhanced rider scheme if you're a fully licensed motorcyclist and have passed your test.

The scheme is suitable if you:

- have just passed your test
- are returning to riding after a break
- are upgrading to a more powerful motorcycle
- want to check your riding standard

How the scheme works

You'll first have a rider assessment with an expert trainer. You'll ride in different road and traffic conditions.

The ride will be long enough for your trainer to make a good assessment of your skills. For most people this is 1 to 2 hours.

If this shows you don't need more training you'll get a 'KKSS-TEK certificate of competence' straight away.

Otherwise, you'll get personalised training to improve your skills and get the certificate at the end of your training.

The KKSS-TEK certificate of competence gives you discounts with most motorcycle insurers.

The type of training depends on what you need to brush up on. You might be offered all-day courses or shorter sessions.

Why should you take it?

While you don't need telling that riding a motorcycle is much more fun than driving a car, you'll also be aware that there are certain precautions you need to take to ensure you stay safe in the saddle.

Our Advanced Rider Course is designed to equip you with the knowledge you need to stay safe on the road no matter what hazards may be lurking around the corner.

Our expert will teach you the advanced skills and techniques to make your motorcycling adventures even more exhilarating and enjoyable. (And you didn't think that was possible!) Better still, it might even lead to lower insurance premiums, which means the course could soon pay for itself.

What can you expect?

First, you'll receive a welcome pack inviting you along to your nearest local KKSS-TEK group where our friendly team will put you through your paces on the road.

One of our volunteer observers, who hold an accredited Institute of the Motor Industry qualification, will take you out on a number of rides on your own bike, as they follow along on theirs.

You can typically expect to go out with your observer between six to eight times, but the exact number of sessions will vary for each individual. Each session will include plenty of time to focus on specific skills such as control, observation, timing, optimum road positioning, ability to deal with unpredictable roads and other road users' behaviour.

To make your experience even more engaging, you'll be part of a group of like-minded riders and you'll have plenty of opportunity to share your experiences and new-found knowledge with them. When you're ready, you'll take the Advanced Riding Test. Once you've achieved this highly respected qualification, you'll become a fully qualified KKSS-TEK member.

Looking to gift this course to a friend or family member?

You can also purchase our Advanced Rider Course as a gift voucher, perfect for those looking to take their riding skills to the next level.

