



Safety Awareness

E-SCOOTERS ON CAMPUS

In line with recent increase in reported electric scooters (e-scooters) related hazards from the ANU community, this is reminder to familiarise yourself with the guidelines for operating, and properly securing electric scooters (e-scooters) and other designated micro-mobility devices on campus.



Scooter blocking exit



E-scooter following fire



Scooter blocking stairs



Abandoned scooters trip

E-scooters and micro-mobility devices are **restricted from being inside** any ANU facilities (residences allowed). This includes all buildings, public facilities, shops other University facilities. Parking e-scooters inside and charging unattended, pose a number of hazards including fire and electrical hazards.

Safety is a top priority at ANU for students, faculty, and staff.

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Suggested signage to display at building entrances

What are the restrictions?

- Charging e-scooters in ANU facilities is **no longer permitted**, unless you have a written permission from your Director, Dean, or other divisional leaders.
- If you reside in ANU Residential Halls and other residential areas, you may be permitted to charge your e-scooter if the charger has been fitted with a timer.
- Use of **imported e-scooters** with non-compliant or incompatible charging systems is not permitted on ANU campuses (including residences). For example using a charger with 110V.
- E-scooters and micro-mobility devices must be secured outside University facilities at bike racks. If using e-scooters and micro-mobility devices, have a plan for properly securing it.
- E-scooters and other micro-mobility devices found inside any University facility or improperly parked in places other than bike racks may be impounded at the owner's expense.

*Staff and Students are reminded to report incidents to their supervisor and/or through the **FIGTREE** online incident notification system.*