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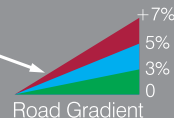
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The Colleges Route runs from Southbrae Drive, Jordonhill to Cathedral Street in the city centre.

As well as linking many centres of education, the route takes you through the west end's popular residential and commercial areas providing access to a range of shops, cafés and transport hubs.

The route is mainly composed of cycle paths on busier roads, minor roads, purpose built sections and wider footways that have been converted to shared use for walking and cycling. The route is not designed simply as an end to end route and users are able to join and leave as required. It crosses other cycle ways at various points and provides linkage to other cycle routes, such as the River Kelvin Way and Kelvingrove Anderston Route.

Where walkers and cyclists use shared footways, 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

- When using shared tracks cycle with respect for others. Alert others of your presence, slow down when passing and say thanks
- 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 and their unpredictable movements
- 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:  
[www.outdooraccess-scotland.com](http://www.outdooraccess-scotland.com)  
or order from SNH on 01738 444 177
- For further advice regarding polite cycling, visit [www.politecycling.info/glasgow.html](http://www.politecycling.info/glasgow.html)