

Get around quickly, cheaply and safely by bike in Maastricht

Maastricht is #posifiets

Maastricht is working to make cycling more fun, easier, and safer. This is great news, because cycling is good for you and it's a great way to see the best side of the city. What's more, if you cycle instead of travelling by car, then you are helping to make Maastricht better. Happy faces, clean air, and a city centre that is easily accessible. You can contribute to all this and more by cycling! That's what we mean when we say #Posifiets

#1 Posifiets is: parking your bike in a bike rack, bike shed or bike section in the inner city and Wyck

Why is this #posifiets?

You keep the pavement free for pedestrians and also for people with a walker, blind stick, mobility scooter or wheelchair.

Avoid a fine

Your bicycle can be removed. You will first receive a warning label attached to your bike. Then your bicycle is removed and you pay 25 euros to retrieve it from the Bike Depot at Gerardusweg 39.

#2 Posifiets is: not leaving your bike in a bicycle rack, bicycle shed or bicycle section in the inner city and Wyck for more than 2 weeks in a row

Why is this #posifiets?

There will be enough parking space left for everyone who comes to the city centre and Wyck by bike.

Avoid a fine

If you park your bike longer than 2 weeks in a row, it may be removed. You pay 25 euros in administrative costs to retrieve it from the Bike Depot at Gerardusweg 39.

#3 Posifiets is: walking through the shopping area with your bike in hand

Why is this #posifiets?

This is how you keep shopping fun for everyone. Shoppers don't have to be on the lookout constantly for cyclists racing past.

Avoid a fine

You risk a fine of 60 euros + 9 euros administration costs.

#4 Positive cycling is: keeping your phone in your pocket

Why is this #posifiets?

Talking, messaging or navigating on your bike is dangerous, both for yourself and for other road users. Keep it safe, do it #posifiets.

Avoid a fine

You risk a fine of 100 euros + 9 euros administration costs.

- Covered supervised bicycle-parking facilities
- Covered unsupervised bicycle-parking facilities
- Unsupervised and uncover bicycle racks
- In the green marked areas you may park your bike or moped for a maximum of 2 consecutive weeks in the designated bike section, bike rack or bike shed.
- Cycling through the pedestrianized shopping area during shop opening hours is not allowed. If you do so, you risk being fined.

And if you really cannot find a parking spot for your bike?

All racks and parking spaces full?

This is how you park your bike #posifiets:

- choose a safe spot
- outside the car-free shopping area of the city centre
- keep at least one metre of the pavement free
- do not block a fire escape

If you no longer need your bicycle, then give it a second life...

If you'd like to donate your bicycle or bicycle parts to the Fietsbank, then make an appointment with the collection service. Visit fietsbank.com/ophaaldienst or call: +31 (0)6 - 137 877 37.

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