BIKE SAFETY COURSES
FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

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J-1 Visa Program

Jamaica: 9.1%
Russia: 8.2%
Bulgaria: 25.7%
Serbia: 17.6%
Bike Challenges of J-1 Students
Bike Safety Program

International Students
Police Departments

- Stigma of “bad cop”
- Review basic laws
- In case of emergency
- Light distribution
- Review of maps outlining dangerous intersections
CCRTA

- Promote discounted student passes
- Bike racks on buses
10 Things to Do

1. Ride WITH Traffic
2. Lights at Night
3. Watch for Doors
4. Yield to Pedestrians
5. Stop at Lights
6. Single File on Highways
7. Avoid Sidewalks
8. Use Hand Signals
9. Make Eye Contact
10. Wear a Helmet

2 things to know

1. Your Route
2. Your Bike
Bike Shop

CHATHAM HOOD BIKES
Testimonials

This year in Harwich, I have noticed a dramatic increase in J1 students following the rules of the road. I have noticed an increase in safety measures taken by students with the use of bicycle lights, helmets and reflective gear. I have no doubt that the trainings in Harwich by Mass RIDES has contributed greatly to the safety and wellbeing of these students.  

*Lt Kevin Considine, Harwich, MA*

I could describe the bike safety training as being helpful. Even though all the information was not unknown for me, it was a reminder. I would have wanted more equipment to be provided (a raincoat would not have been bad at all), however, I am very thankful for lights and backpack.  

*Wequassett Resort J-1 Student*
Questions?
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