

Get the Thrills Without the Spills

A GUIDE ON HOW TO RIDE

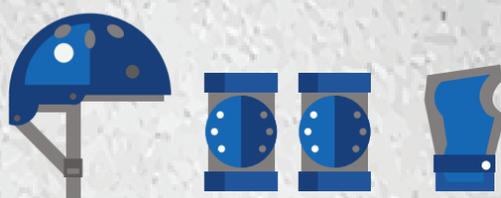
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Give Me Some Space.

Make sure you have room to ride with a smooth surface the first time around. Your living room probably isn't the best choice.

Use Your Head.



WEAR. A. HELMET. Just because you're "sure you won't fall" doesn't mean you won't. You might want to consider pads and wrist guards too.

Posture Matters.

Stand up straight (but relaxed) in a wide stance with your feet closest to the wheels.

One Foot at a Time.

Stand behind the Hovertrax and put your first foot on, closest to the wheel — not in the center! Use that foot to activate and bring the foot platform to a balanced place.

All Aboard.

Once you have your "first footing," step up with your second foot, but don't use other objects as a crutch to lift up. Keep your weight evenly balanced between the two platforms. Try standing steady without moving first.

Turn It Up.

Learn to turn by tilting your right foot down to turn left, ← and left foot down to turn right. →

Rotate in place by tilting down on the front of one platform while tilting down on the rear of the other one. ↓

Eyes Up.

Like riding a bike, it's best to scan both ahead and in front of you to avoid obstacles.

SLOW DOWN

Start Slowwww.

No need for speed until you're comfortable.

Hop Off The Back (Jack).

Once you've taken Hovertrax to the Max, slow to a stop and step off the back.

Get a Move On.

To go forward, press down with your feet on the front of the platforms. Resist the urge to lean forward or back. Push down on the rear edges and you get the thrill of traveling backwards.

License to Ride.

Adhere to any and all rules about use. Always announce yourself and slow down when passing.

