

If you're a newly qualified driver, you're only allowed to rack up six points in your first two years of driving. So a public jaunt on a private e-scooter could end up costing you your license.

But provided you're happy only scootering on your own turf, there's no reason why you can't enjoy this lockdown trend.

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Lockdown puppy boom impacts pet insurance prices

According to research by Propellernet, online searches for 'buying a puppy' have increased by 166%[*] now we're spending more time at home. This high demand means that pup prices have been on the rise.

The average price of a new dog increased from £534 in January to over £750 in July, when Coronavirus was at its peak. And the more expensive your dog, generally the more expensive your pet insurance.

A pet will have the same requirements when life gets back to normal after lockdown. So think carefully about the cost and time required for owning one.



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