

Before each ride, you need to make sure you and your Honda are both ready to ride. To help get you prepared, this section discusses how to evaluate your riding readiness, and how to perform the recommended pre-ride inspection of your Honda. If you're a parent, be sure you also read the *Important Message to Parents* on page 5.

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