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# Join children and adults around the world to celebrate the benefits of walking and bicycling.

Walk to School Day is an annual event that promotes walking and bicycling for several reasons:

- ✓ Physical activity
- ✓ Teaching safe pedestrian and bicycling skills to children
- ✓ Awareness of how walkable & bikeable a community is and where improvements can be made
- ✓ Concern for the environment
- ✓ Reducing traffic congestion, pollution and speed near schools
- ✓ Sharing time with community leaders, parents and children

Get started at

[walkbiketoschool.org](http://walkbiketoschool.org)

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Walk to School Day is coordinated in the U.S.A. by the National Center for Safe Routes to School.

