



Interested in a Walking School Bus?

Walking School Buses are being used effectively at several schools throughout the district.

A Walking School Bus is a group of students that walk to school with parent chaperones for a safe, fun and healthy way to get to school. They follow an established route, up to a mile away from school, with designated times and places for more students to join in along the route.

They are a great solution for busy parents who would like their young children to walk to school, but don't have time to accompany them. Send them along with the Walking School Bus and they will have all of the benefits of walking: fun time with friends, heart-healthy exercise, a boost for learning when they arrive at school, and a feeling of independence and self-confidence they will carry forward for lifelong habits.

Walking School Buses can operate daily, weekly, monthly or just on certain days. They can start out small, with just a few students, and eventually grow over time. Choose the model that's right for your community. We would love to help your school get started!

Sexton Mountain Elementary has run a Walking School Bus for many years and is a model for the district, thanks to a team of dedicated volunteers. They have less traffic on their neighborhood streets, less congestion in their parking lot and many happy families who've reaped the benefits of walking and community-building. Let us know how we can help!