

Sign up for the Ottawa Student Transportation Authority's

# Walking School Bus

**Registration Starts: June 1, 2017**



Students walking to school together with a trained leader

Your school is participating in a Walking School Bus program!

If your child walks to school, they can now join up with some friends and a trained leader to make sure they get to school safely.

The Walking School Bus (WSB) is designed to promote active transportation and healthy living. Students walk to school with a group of peers and a professional leader, following a specific route and schedule. Our leaders are trained by the Ottawa Safety Council to make sure your child has a safe and educational walk to school

Visit our website to view the maps showing the route and stop locations.



So many benefits for your child

- Make new friends
- Reduce stress
- Improve health
- Boost confidence
- Gain independence
- Decrease traffic
- Become road-aware
- Get fresh air!

Leaders are paid staff, just like bus drivers. They are certified in first aid, and have undergone a police records check. They know road safety.

**Register at [ottawaschoolbus.ca/wsb](http://ottawaschoolbus.ca/wsb) Participation is free!**

