



Road Safety Education in Schools

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NZTA Education in schools

- Generate resources and initiatives that help create inclusive communities around schools to work together towards zero harm.
- School age children have access to NZTA best practice road safety education resources



Education Portal

<https://education.nzta.govt.nz>

- Curriculum support for teachers
- Advice for school trustees
- Links to virtual field trips
- Teacher and student narratives on resource use
- Links to resources designed by stakeholders
- Pamphlets and 'down-loadables'
- School Traffic Safety Teams video remake
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Stakeholders

- City and Regional Councils
- Police School Community Officers
- Students Against Dangerous Driving (SADD)
- Brake
- Living Streets Aotearoa
- Teachers
- Students



Road safety: Everyone is a road user

Year 1-8 teaching resource including English, Mathematics and Science for learning about safe road use and citizenship.



Bike Ready

New Zealand's national cycle education system and includes curriculum-based learning.



Feet First

The Feet First resources provide learning experiences for teacher-directed inquiry around the context of walking as a type of active travel.



Walking school bus

All the resources you need for setting up a walking school bus at your school.

walking school bus



Getting to school enjoyably & safely

What is a Walking School Bus?

A Walking School Bus provides a fun, safe and active way for children to travel to and from school.

A walking school bus is like a real bus – it travels at a set time and children join or leave the bus at designated stops.

Each bus walks along a set route with at least one adult 'driver' picking children up at designated 'bus stops' and walking them to school. In the afternoons when the children are coming home the process is reversed.

Bus routes can be flexible to suit the needs of the families using it and can go as often as volunteer parents/caregivers/whānau/neighbours want to drive them.

Why walk to school?

By walking to school, children get fresh air, enjoy the activity of walking and have the opportunity to:

- learn how to safely negotiate the roads
- develop independence
- enjoy the environment
- have fun with their friends during the walk.

Children love being part of a walking school bus. Teachers often report that children arrive at school invigorated and ready to learn.

How do I set up a walking school bus?

If you're a parent/caregiver, talk to your school's principal and your local council's road safety coordinator about the idea.

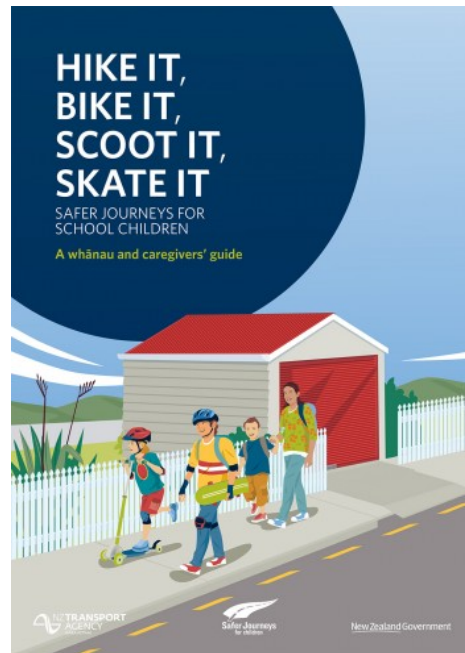
If you're a teacher, try to enthuse and involve parents from the beginning.

For more information or to download a Walking School Bus Coordinator's Guide, visit www.walkingbus.co.nz



Road safety advice for families

Hike it, Bike it, Scoot it, Skate it: Safer Journeys for School Children: A Whānau and Caregivers' Guide



Walking to school: useful videos and tips

Walking around a footpath hazard in town



Walking to school: useful videos and tips

Crossing at an intersection



Road safety posters, pamphlets and online tools

Schools can download posters to share messages about safe road use, aimed at a young audience.



School Traffic Safety Teams training video



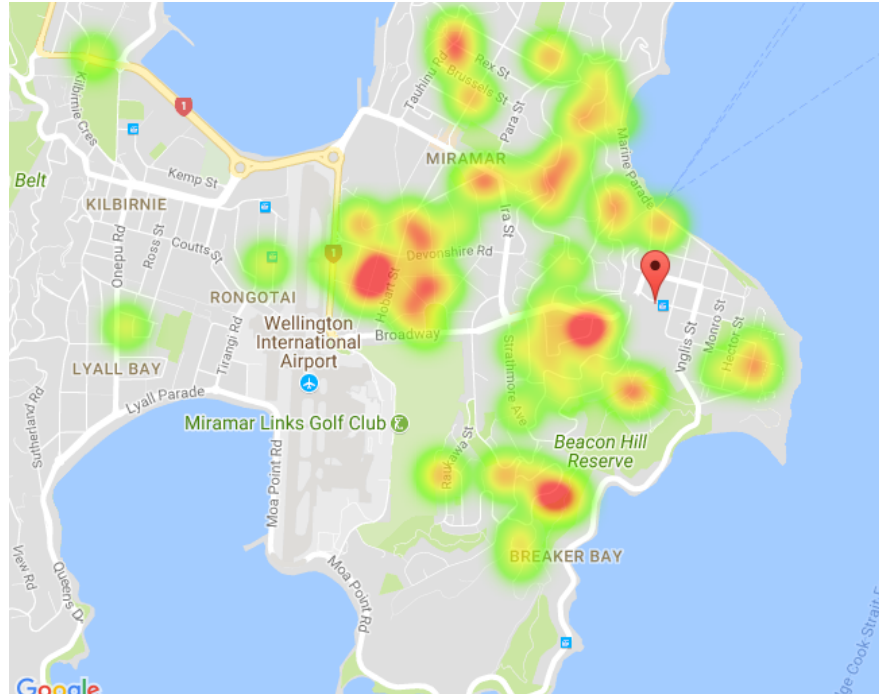
Sustainable Development Goals

- **Goal 3: Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages:**
 - 3.6. By 2020, halve the number of global deaths and injuries from road traffic accidents
- **Goal 11: Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable:**
 - 11.2. By 2030, provide access to safe, affordable, accessible and sustainable transport systems for all, improving road safety, notably by expanding public transport, with special attention to the needs of those in vulnerable situations, women, children, persons with disabilities and older persons





Tracking Student Travel







LEARNING IN CONTEXT



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CURRICULUM RESOURCES FOR YEARS 1-13

Written by top educators.

Free to download, free to modify.

Engage students with authentic learning:

- Context of safer journeys
- Key competencies
- Citizenship

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