

Dear Valued Teacher,

Thank you for supporting our Safe Routes to School Program, educating students about safe, active transportation, and encouraging them to Walk or Roll to *ANYWHERE* this year! Here are the steps for participating in Walk & Roll in 2025-26!

Walk & Roll Encouragement Program Teacher Steps:

- Please inform students/parents of your school's designated walk/roll days/weeks. Encourage them to choose walk, bike, scooter or skateboard to school that day, if able. If they can't walk/roll to school, encourage them to choose another destination to walk or roll to that week and/or participate in that month's challenge.
- Assign or share our current Challenge Activity with students/parents
 Completed activities may be submitted via email to saferoutes@bikesonoma.org
 or via mail at SCBC/SRTS PO Box 3088, Santa Rosa, 95402, for a chance to win a prize. Each Challenge Activity may be downloaded from
 www.sonomasaferoutes.org. A hard copy may be put in your teacher's box that you can copy/distribute to students.
- The day before your designated walk/roll day, encourage students to visit your school welcome table (if one is established) the next morning. If requested, conduct classroom counts using the method requested by your school administrator or Champion.
- Consider posting our Current Themed Walk & Roll to School/Anywhere
 Flyer in your classroom, or sharing with students/parents electronically (we
 suggest sharing it on the last week of each month). Your principal may provide
 you with the flyer each month, or it may be downloaded from
 www.sonomasaferoutes.org



WALK & ROLL EVENTS & CHALLENGES 2025-26

Month	Theme & Challenge	Walk/Roll Day (event day with welcome table set up)
September	Back to School Buddy Meet-Up Challenge	n/a – but walk & roll when possible and even better, meet up with other families!
October	International Walk & Roll	Wednesday, Oct 8 th
November	Ruby Bridges Walk to School	Friday November 14 th
December	Wacky Winter Walk & Roll	Wednesday Dec 4 th
January	Wacky Winter con't	n/a or optional day of choice
February	Walk & Roll for our HeARTS Art contest	Wednesday Feb 4th
March	Spring Go Green! Transportation	Wednesday March 4 th
April	Spring Go Green! Transportation con't	Wednesday April 1st
May	Bike to School Day	Wednesday May 6 th

If there is a meet-up spot for a Walking School Bus or Bike Train, be sure to mention it to your students!







