SPRING INTO SPRING APRIL & MAY 2024

Walk to school as many days as you can this April and May!

Get to know your community and engage in the many <u>benefits of active</u> <u>transportation</u> as you walk or wheel to school!

1. Check out these activity ideas

- Track your active trips and earn treasures with the free, kid-friendly HOP! App and compete in the Hop! Spring into Spring Challenge.
- Plan a group bicycle ride together with students and parents/guardians in your neighbourhood.
- Do an activity to celebrate spring by completing this <u>Word Search</u> and looking for the items in real life on the way to school.
- Use the hashtags #GetYourWalkOn, #JourneyOutside, and #SpringintoSpring, on social media to share your journey.

2. Learn about the benefits of active transportation

- Watch or share our fun, educational video illustrating the five main benefits of active transportation, available in English and French!
- Check out our educational posters they are available in multiple languages: English, French, Arabic, Mandarin, Spanish, Cantonese, Farsi, Vietnamese, Som ali, and Russian.
- Check out all the resources on our <u>School Active Transportation</u> web page.

3. Encourage your school to plan a Spring into Spring event

- Ask your school principal or teachers about incorporating active school travel activities in class, for example making art to celebrate walking and wheeling in the spring.
- Ask your school principal to plan a walk to school day event using these great resources.

