



What is a Walking School Bus?

A walking school bus (WSB) is just like a school bus except children walk to and from school under the supervision of adult volunteers (often parents). This creates a safe and social journey to school.

Benefits for parents

- *"More than anything, the WSB gives me time with my kids that I might miss by dropping them in the car...and I get to know other families that live in my community."*
- *"This is so much easier than taking the car...I don't have to find a park!"*
- *"What a great way to teach the kids about Road Safety."*
- *"I really look forward to my day on the WSB; I have met so many nice families in my neighbourhood."*
- *"You can have young children that you might not send off by themselves, but they can join the walking school bus."*
- *"I want my kids to walk; I want them to get to school having had a bit of exercise."*
- *"For me it was a social thing and I wanted to know who my kids were hanging out with."*

Get on the bus!



For more information about starting a WSB at your school, please visit AT.govt.nz/walkingschoolbus or email us at walkingschoolbus@aucklandtransport.govt.nz

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