



Dear Families

During the week commencing Monday 15th May we will be launching our Walk to School Campaign. The nationwide event is organised by the walking charity Living Streets and is designed to help pupils experience first-hand the importance of walking to school. Our five-day walking challenge is an annual celebration of the walk to school.

This year's challenge Walk with Wildlife. This year's challenge encourages children to travel actively to school every day of the week. Meeting various animals along the way, they'll learn about the important reasons to walk and the difference it can make for individuals, communities and the planet! In the process they'll learn about the social, road safety, health, environmental benefits of walking, encouraging sustainable travel habits for life. Please find a list of the missions below, which we encourage you to discuss with your child each day during their walk to school.

| Day | Mission |
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| Monday | We Walk for Inclusion |
| Tuesday | We Walk for Sustainability |
| Wednesday | We Walk for Health |
| Thursday | We Walk for Mindfulness |
| Friday | We Walk for Friendship |

During morning registration next week children will complete a reflection activity linked to the questions above. Each class will also record the total of journey's made to school that involved walking some or all of the distance.

Thank you in advance for engaging in these challenges with your child.

Happy walking!

Miss Merchant.