

Bike & Roll to School Day 2026

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Bike & Roll to School Day

Save the Date – May 6, 2026

A Part of Bike Month

This annual event celebrates schools, students, bicycles and other active ways to “roll” to school!

- Encourages safe, active trips to school
- Engages families, schools and local government
- Promotes health, safety, and air quality
- Highlights community-level transportation choices

NCTCOG encourages participation by providing planning and promotion resources and drawings to incentivize participation.

Who Can Participate

- Students and families
- School district and educators
- Cities and local departments
- Public safety partners
- Community organizations
- Elected officials and local leaders



Promotional Drawings!

Schools must
register by
April 17

- Schools complete brief Bike & Roll to School Day participation pledge with NCTCOG
- Schools add their events to tracker at www.walkbiketoschool.org

Brand-new
Bicycle and
Helmet
Drawing

- Students/parents return signed Promise to Street Safety Pledge to enter bike drawing

Bike Month
Celebration
Drawing

- Schools that held a Bike Bus submit photos to NCTCOG
- Schools that submit photos enter a drawing for an end-of-the-year Bike Month Celebration



Safety Education Incentives

Bike Buses offer a method to address safety when bicycling to school

- Provide hands-on road safety education for students and parents
- Events provide a scalable way to reach families locally



Miller Elementary, 2023 Walk & Roll to School Day Participant

Safety Pledges: opportunity to teach road safety



PROMISE TO STREET SAFETY

By signing this pledge, I promise to participate in Bike & Roll to School Day 2026 and to do my part to stay safe, look out for others, and show respect while walking or bicycling to school.

BE ALERT for people biking and walking on sidewalks, trails and streets.



LOOK OUT for cars in the street. No matter what, it is never worth endangering my safety or the safety of other people to get somewhere.



RESPECT the rights of all people to use our streets safely.

OBEY all traffic signs and signals for my own safety.

PROTECT myself by wearing a helmet when I ride my bicycle.

PROTECT my friends and loved ones by encouraging them to bike, walk and drive safely by following traffic laws and looking out for other people.

I will show my parent or caregiver the 21 Safety Tips at www.LookOutTexans.org.

Together, we can keep our streets safe and make Bike & Roll to School Day a success.

By signing this card, I promise to participate in Bike & Roll to School Day and practice respectful street safety.

Enter to win a new bike!

----- Cut here and keep the top! -----

Student Name _____ Parent or Guardian Signature _____

Student Height (determines bike size): _____ Student Grade _____

Student's Teacher _____ School Name _____



Bike Events from Around the Region

Events like these and others can be a part of Bike & Roll to School Day!

Bike Bus (Denton)

- Students ride to school together with an adult(s)

Ride with the Mayor (Grand Prairie)

- Community bike ride with the mayor

Bicycle Rodeos (Richardson)

- Experts teach bike safety, maintenance and more

Free event planning and promotional resources at www.nctcog.org/walkbikeroll



Richardson Bike Rodeo Event, 2025
Photo courtesy of City of Richardson



Bike Bus Denton: Newton Rayzor
www.bikebusdenton.org



Grand Prairie Ride with the Mayor, 2026
Photo courtesy of City of Grand Prairie



Not Sure Where To Start?

- Visit www.nctcog.org/walkbikeroll for more information about Bike & Roll to School Day and free resources for holding your own event!
- Collaborate with local ISDs and schools in your city to hold joint events and raise community awareness
- **Contact us** for assistance with planning your Bike & Roll to School Day events

Bledsoe Elementary
Courtesy of the City of Frisco



Help Us Spread the Word!

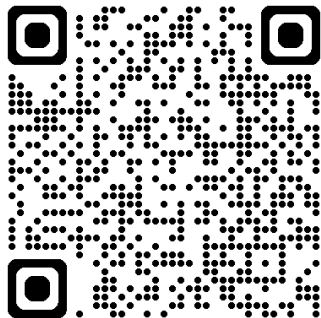
Help support and celebrate Bike & Roll to School Day

Elevate the importance of student safety

- Get the word out to city staff, schools, parents, bicyclists, etc.
- Participate in local events

May 6, 2026 is Bike & Roll to School Day

For more information:



Walk and Roll to School Day

October 7, 2026!

- Another opportunity to plan a fun, community-focused event that encourages **safe walking to school** through education, encouragement and celebration.

NCTCOG encourages participation by providing:

- Planning and promotion resources
- Pedestrian safety-themed giveaways
- Other incentive drawings

Promotion registration will begin early in the fall semester



Nichols Elementary: 2022 Photo Contest Winner



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