

Green Ridge Primary Academy

School Travel Plan



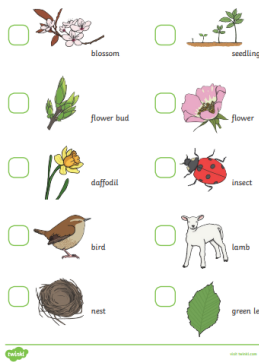
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Our School Travel Plan promotes sustainable ways for the school community to travel to and from school. We currently have a Silver Accreditation and are working towards Gold this year.



Spring Hunt Checklist



Now that Spring has arrived, how about getting out and about to hunt for the first signs of Spring. [Here](#) is a lovely checklist you could use!

Also, have a look at the Living Streets Walking Activities sheet on page 2.

Green Cross Code

You can use this time to promote the importance of the Green Cross Code to your children. If you go out on a walk then make a point of practising safer crossing skills. [Click here](#) for some good ideas.

Upcoming Projects

- Walk to School Week

School Banner

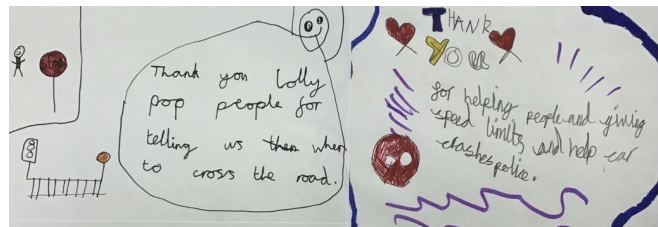
Have you spotted our Walk to School Banner?



Road Safety Week 2021

Road Safety Week took place in Autumn Term 2021.

The theme of Road Safety Week 2021 was **Road Safety Heroes**, celebrating the heroic work of road safety professionals, and explaining how we can all play a part in making journeys safer for everyone. All classes took part in lessons linked to Road Safety.



WOW Travel Tracker

This years theme for the WOW Travel Tracker badges is, 'Walk for the World'. 287 pupils at Green Ridge earned a sea turtle badge during February for active travel! We look forward to seeing how many children earn the March badge which has a picture of a hirola antelope.



If you have any suggestions to improve travel safety or projects that we can run to increase active travel, please let us know!

Please remember to keep our children safe by only parking in car parking spaces. If carers drop and collect, please remind them of our safe parking too.

#WALKING FROM HOME

WALKING ACTIVITIES FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL-AGED CHILDREN



LET'S
WALK TO
SCHOOL



DISCOVER

Getting out on foot and exploring your local area is a great way to stay active, especially while we're all social distancing! The below activities are suitable for primary school children of varying ages, and designed to engage them in their community. Give them a try and share your thoughts, snaps and videos on social media.

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I SPY

AGES 4-7

Can you spot all of these on your walk?

- ☐ POST BOX
- ☐ NEWSAGENT
- ☐ PLACE OF WORSHIP
- ☐ BUS STOP
- ☐ STREAM, RIVER, POND OR PUDDLE
- ☐ FLOWERS



What else did you see?

AGES 8-11

LOCAL SNAPSHOTS

Can you photograph three local landmarks?
Which one is your favourite and why?



INDOOR CHALLENGE

If you could re-imagine the world outside your window, what would you like to see?

Can you draw or paint it?



Living Streets is the UK charity for everyday walking and the people behind the Walk to School campaign.

Our mission is to achieve a better walking environment and inspire people to walk more. To find out how you can become a supporter, download our parent handbook and spread the word about the walk to school:

[LIVINGSTREETS.ORG.UK/WALK-TO-SCHOOL](https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/walk-to-school)

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