

Walking and cycling routes to school

**How does it work?**

1. As part of a taught lesson, pupils will help identify the main walking and cycling routes to school.
2. Once identified, pupils will then create artwork for a map identifying the routes
3. The maps are then sent out to families, new pupils and staff, as well as be included on the school website, prospectus, newsletter and school travel plan.

**What does the school need to do?**

1. Give pupils a blank map showing the school and the surrounding area.
   1. Maps can be obtained for free from [https://www.openstreetmap.org](https://www.openstreetmap.org/)
2. Pupils who already walk and cycle will mark their existing routes to school on their copy of the map.
3. Pupils will then be taken along the routes and asked to draw what they see (e.g. trees, landmarks, crossing points, interesting objects etc).
4. All artwork can then be collated and turned into a visual map which can then be sent out to parents/carers as well as published don the website, prospectus etc.