

Drive to Five – It's a 5-Minute Walk to School



Look for this location on your Best Routes to School Map.

Too far to walk or cycle? Stretch your legs and help relieve traffic congestion around your school by parking or dropping off at least five minutes away from school.



Bus Service

Did you know that Maria Montessori operates a morning bus service to pick children up and bring them to school?

For more information or to register your child, contact the school at office@mariamontessoriacademy.net.



Maria Montessori Academy

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Why Walk or Bike to School?

BENEFITS FOR STUDENTS

Being active builds healthy bones and minds. Walking or biking to school is not only a great way to be healthy and keep moving but has also shown to increase alertness and grades at school.



FAMILY AND FRIEND TIME

Time spent walking together allows families and friends to connect without stressful distractions. It is a time to unwind, play or share stories about each other's day.

COMMUNITY LIVABILITY

Know your community. Walking and cycling is a great way to meet your neighbours. People feel safer when they know other people in their community.

CARE FOR OUR EARTH

Vehicle emissions are the largest cause of poor air quality in BC and are individual Canadians' greatest source of greenhouse gas emissions. Every vehicle trip replaced by walking reduces our contribution to climate change.

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Best Routes To School Map

Best Routes to School are developed based on information we've received from parents, your school community and the municipality's transportation department. They are chosen to use the safest crossing points and to enable more people walk and cycle together.



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-  Best Route
-  Bike Route
-  Connecting Route
-  Caution Crossing
-  School
-  Traffic Signal
-  Crosswalk
-  Enhanced Crosswalk
-  Trail
-  Park
-  Drive to 5 Zone
-  Municipal
-  Recreational/Cultural

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