

Bike & Roll to School Day (AG Cox, WH Robinson) Wednesday, May 28th, 2025

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Why Bike & Roll to School?

- Promote healthier habits among our kids.
- Spark enthusiasm for active mobility among students and parents.
- Introduce concepts like bike buses.
- Celebrate the new bike racks installed at AG Cox and WH Robinson.
- Decrease vehicle emissions and car traffic around schools.
- Improve in-class focus.
- It's fun!

Location and route: Meet at Hillcrest Park to participate in the entire ride, or join us along your school's route (see an interactive version of these maps <u>here</u>).



WH Robinson routes. Rolling/biking = red (0.75 mi), walking = orange (0.3 mi).



AG Cox biking/rolling route (1 mi).

Meeting times:

- WH Robinson students should be dropped off/meet at Hillcrest Park by **7:15 am**. Walkers and rollers are both welcome. You can also join us along the route.
- AG Cox students should be dropped off/meet at Hillcrest Park by **7:50 am**. Due to the length of the route, students should plan to bring a bike/scooter/skateboard (or borrow one from us!). You can also join us along the route.

Swag:

- All participants will receive a reflective safety slap bracelet and sticker.
- Free helmets will be provided to any student who needs one.
- AG Cox students will also receive a free U-lock (theirs to keep!).

Safety: Safety is a priority with this event. *Students are safer in a group* – that's why bike "buses" are so powerful! Walking and rolling groups will be fully chaperoned by adults and school resource officers, and routes have been chosen that prioritize sidewalks or lower traffic streets. Students will be briefed on road safety skills before beginning.

Bike/scooter/skateboard storage at school: Both schools have brand new racks in the front of the school. AG Cox students will get a free U-lock to take home with them. WH Robinson participants will be able to leave their bikes in a secure location in school, but parents can also pick up equipment at the end of the route. The end of the day will function as usual, and staff will assist with retrieving students' bikes if they were stored in a secure location at school.

Community participation: Parents/guardians, other family members, staff, and community members are welcome to join us!