

# Devonshire Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers

A generation ago, 70% of us walked to school – now it's less than half.

However, last month Devonshire took part in Sustrans Big Event and I am proud to report that we achieved an average of 66% of the children using human power to make their journey to school.

We want your children to be energised and empowered. So once again this year we will be taking part in Living Street's Walk to School Week which runs from 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> May. So, with the milder weather, why not ditch the car and walk to school and enjoy all the benefits it brings.

For more information and ideas you can use the link below to download a family walk to school kit.

<https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/get-involved/family-walk-to-school-kit>

We want children and parents to make walking to school their natural choice. Let's see if next week we can reach that 70% target. All children who successfully complete the challenge will be rewarded with a Wow badge that they can proudly wear.

Thank-you in anticipation of your continued support.

Helen Stockden  
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