



## SchoolPool - Easy as 1, 2, 3

### 1. Sign up

Work with your school administrator or principal to sign up on RideshareOnline.com.

### 2. Find a Match

To create a trip, enter your travel preferences and privacy options. Click save and SchoolPool will automatically show your ridematches.

### 3. Make Contact

To bike, walk or share a ride, call or email your best ridematches.

## What is SchoolPool?

SchoolPool is a way to help you share rides with other parents at your child's school. Any public or private elementary, middle or high school can set up a SchoolPool program for free! Each parent decides whether or not to participate, and what kind of schedule works best for them.

Find out if your school is signed up by contacting [rideshare@rideshareonline.com](mailto:rideshare@rideshareonline.com). To start a new program at your school, talk to your school administrator or principal and ask them to email or call 888-814-1300 and we'll get your school set-up.

## At Your Fingertips

Toll-Free 888-814-1300 in Washington

208-345-POOL (7665) in Idaho

TTY Relay in Idaho & Washington

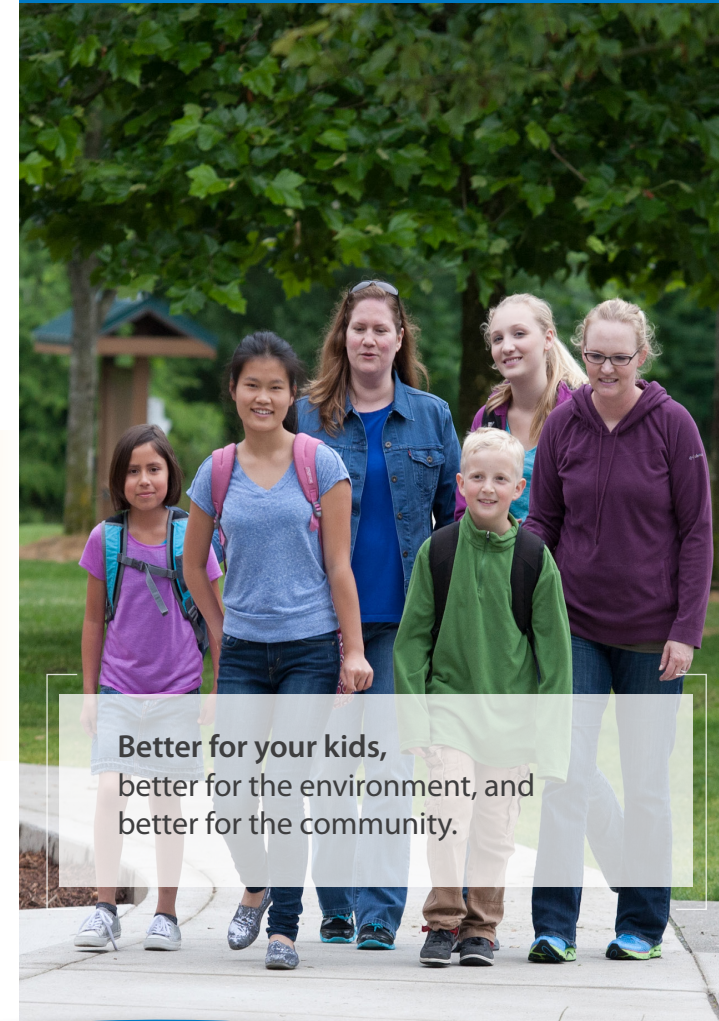
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## SchoolPool gives you a recess from driving

SchoolPool is a free, secure ridematch service that connects you with other parents of kids who attend your child's school who want to carpool, bike or walk together.

### Benefits of sharing the ride

- Make new friends
- Find safer ways to travel
- Reduce pollution and improve the air quality around your child's school

## Log your trips, watch your savings add up

Once signed in, click Calendar.

1. Select your mode of travel, add a few details and select the days you traveled.
2. Go back to your home page and watch your miles, cost savings and CO2 reductions add up!

## SchoolPool can find matches for biking and walking

For shorter trips to school, you may like your child to bike or walk but aren't comfortable having them travel alone. You can find biking trains and walking school buses (a group of children who walk or bike to school with a parent) using the online SchoolPool ridematching tool.

### Ridematching tips

- To find the most ridematches, be flexible in your trip start and return times.
- If no match appears, select Advanced Search and deselect Trip Times Should Match.
- Sometimes individuals are more flexible on commute times when contacted.

## Frequently Asked Questions

**Q. How is SchoolPool Secure?**

**A. Each user has an individual account with a secure password. Users choose what information to share.**

**Q. Can I match only with other parents from my child's school?**

**A. Yes. Parents can choose to match only with other families from their child's SchoolPool network.**

**Q. Must I have a car in order to participate in the SchoolPool program?**

**A. No. You can choose to find a bike or walk buddy or your child can be a passenger in a carpool.**

**Q. What if I don't find any matches in the SchoolPool program?**

**A. Try again! Return to the site often and encourage families at your school to join the website. As SchoolPool catches on, you will find new ridematches.**