



# NORWOOD PARK IT'S EARTH MONTH!!

## MONDAY, APRIL 22 - WEAR BLUE *and* GREEN!



## TUESDAY, APRIL 23 - WALK AND ROLL TO SCHOOL

We are encouraging students and staff to walk or roll to school!

Ways to participate:

- Walk to school from home!
- Ride your bike or scooter or rollerblade to school from home! Remember wear your helmet, safety gear and follow the rules of the road. Look both ways when crossing and be extra caution around busy areas.
- If you live too far away to walk or roll – try walking part way with your friends, family or Eco Club members! You could park nearby, on a side street or use a local parking lot! It is a great way to cut down on pollution and start your day off right by meeting up with a group of friends to walk together and enjoy some fresh air and light exercise!
- See photo for an easy route to school from the parking lot by Walmart.

**Note:** This is not a supervised activity; if students choose to walk to school, they must be responsible enough to do so or be supervised by a parent/guardian.



## THURSDAY, APRIL 25 - COMPOST DAY

Eco Club will be handing out a small compostable green bin to each homeroom class. We hope to collect any uneaten pizza or crust as well as napkins to reduce the amount of compostable materials that end up in the garbage or landfills.

Each classroom needs 1 volunteer to bring home the compost bin. Once at home you simply add it into your large green bin to be picked up with your other compost from home on Garbage/Pick-Up Day.

If your family can help out follow this link to sign up!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B044CA5A62BA6F94-49007067-pizza>



### Spring Garden Plans

If this spring you are working at home in your gardens and you end up with extra plants or seeds, consider donating them to our school gardens. Eco Club members will be working on our gardens in May. More information will be posted to the Eco Club section of the school site later this month (i.e. plant wish list, dates for drop off, etc.)



# Meeting Place (behind Walmart)



**Walking Route: From the parking lot we will walk down Howard, cross at South Bend & Terrace and arrive at school!**