## Walking Across Canada

Cross the country together
Total distance: 7428 km !

## Stay fit, and have fun

Challenge your community (students, teachers, individuals and families) to collect footsteps or kilometers on Clean Air Day or throughout the month to travel from one end of the country to the other!

Compete as a family, as a classroom, or in a group. The bigger the group, the better!

## What you need

A chart to track distance (see example on next page) A pedometer (optional)

## How To Walk Across Canada

With a pedometer: Walk 1 km with your pedometer (2.5 laps around a track, or calculate it on Google Maps). Multiply your step count by the total kms to cross Canada to find out the total amount of steps you will need.

Without a pedometer: Track your distance on each walk or bike ride and add it up throughout the day or month to find your tota!! If you need to guess, the average person can walk 5 km or bike 20 km in an hour.

While 7428 km seems like a lot for one person, it gets easier when you share the distance! Divide the total distance by the number of people participating to determine how much walking or biking each person has to do.

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| IQUALUIT, NT | YELLOWKNIFE, NWT | 2200 km |
| YELLOWKNIFE, NWT | WHITEHORSE, YT | 2704 km |
| WHITEHORSE, YT | VICTORIA, BC | 2763 km |
| VICTORIA, BC | VANCOUVER, BC | 66 km |
| VANCOUVER, BC | EDMONTON, AB | 1244 km |
| EDMONTON, AB | REGINA, SK | 764 km |
| REGINA, SK | SASKATOON, SK | 256 km |
| SASKATOON, SK | WINNIPEG, MB | 829 km |
| WINNIPEG, MB | THUNDER BAY, ON | 715 km |
| THUNDER BAY, ON | TORONTO, ON | 1384 km |
| TORONTO, ON | MONTREAL, QC | 539 km |
| MONTREAL, QC | QUEBEC CITY, QC | 270 km |
| QUEBEC CITY, QC | FREDERICTON, NB | 586 km |
| FREDERICTON, NB | HALIFAX, NS | 346 km |
| HALIFAX, NS | CHARLOTTETOWN, PEI | 232 km |
| CHARLOTTETOWN, PEI | ST. JOHNS, NL | 1294 km |
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Here's a chart to get you started! Print this off or make your own

| DATE | NAME | NUMBER OF STEPS OR KM | TOTAL DISTANCE COVERED |
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