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# Supporting Organizations ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Grants & Scholarship Opportunities**

#### The Girls Movement \$500 Coach Stipend

The Girls Movement, a FREE Marathon Kids program, empowers 4th to 8th-grade girls through running. We're recruiting passionate individuals to lead and mentor female running clubs. Qualified schools may receive a \$500 coach stipend and an empowerment kit. The program creates safe, positive spaces where girls can build confidence, self-esteem, and friendships while developing healthy habits. With a focus on keeping girls active, The Girls Movement makes a lasting impact on their well-being.

**Details Linked Here** 

#### 2024 Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day Application

Applications are now open for 2024 Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day mini-grants! Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day honors the living legacy of civil rights activist Ruby Bridges. In 1960, six-year-old Ruby Bridges etched her name in history when she integrated all-white William Frantz Elementary School in New Orleans. We are excited to offer grants in the amounts of \$500 and \$1000 to support your Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day celebrations this Fall. Submissions are due by Friday, September 13, 2024. Grants will be awarded by Friday, October 4, 2024.

**Details Linked Here** 





## **Program & Instructional Materials**

#### Fun Brain Breaks with Kong Academy – Get Moving, Get Growing!

Need a quick break to reset and recharge your child's mind? Kong Academy's YouTube channel is packed with exciting brain breaks—short, fun movement activities designed to get kids up, moving, and refocused! From creative parkour challenges to interactive adventures, our videos help kids release energy while building coordination, confidence, and social-emotional skills. Perfect for at-home learning breaks or anytime they need a boost. Subscribe and join the fun!

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#### Walkabouts by ActivEd adds Gamified Sports Lessons for 3rd - 5th Grade Students

ActivEd, the parent company of the Walkabouts active learning education platform, has launched 180s lessons for 3rd through 5th grade students. About 180 seconds long, the new lessons engage students in realistic outdoor sports games and activities requiring full-body movements while delivering lessons correlated to each state's language arts, math, and social studies standards. With the addition of 180s, the Walkabouts platform now includes a full spectrum of gamified lessons for PreK through 5th students as well as corresponding Walksheets, worksheets with a movement component.

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# Webinars, Workshops, & Trainings

#### Safe Routes to School National Conference

Join the Safe Routes Partnership in Fort Collins, Colorado on October 22-24, 2024, for the Safe Routes to School National Conference!

Connect with fellow active transportation, public health, and Safe Routes champions from across the country. The Safe Routes to School National Conference will be a fantastic opportunity to network, share best practices, and explore the vibrant city of Fort Collins, a Platinum-level Bicycle Friendly Community!

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### **Special Events, Contests, & Challenges**

No news