



**SCHOOL  
POOL**

# Take some of the stress out of getting the kids to school.



If you typically drive your child to and from school every day, arranging a carpool with other families can save you time, money and wear and tear on your car and your schedule.

Plus, you'll meet new families at your child's school, teach your kids about ride sharing and even do your part to improve air quality.

## **1** CHECK IT OUT

Use our website ([commuterconnect.us](http://commuterconnect.us)) to see if your school district participates in the Commuter Connect school pool program. Don't see your school? Reach out to Commuter Connect today!

## **2** SIGN UP

Click on "School Pool Match Signup" to register in our school pool match portal.

## **3** FIND A MATCH

Review your potential pool partners based on criteria that matters to you, including your home address, school location, commute preferences, schedule and comments in the "Notes" section.

## **4** CONNECT

Contact families you'd like to match with. Discuss driving, scheduling, splitting expenses, and emergency back-up plans. Check driver's licenses and insurance coverage. Arrange a time to meet with pool parents and kids so everybody is comfortable with each other.

## **5** TELL US

Let us know when you find a match! Send us a note at [email address] letting us know you've found your match so we can know our program works. Also let us know if you do not have room for other riders so we can indicate that in our database.

### ITEMS TO DETERMINE BEFORE DAY ONE OF THE SCHOOL POOL:

- Pick-up and drop-off locations
- Meeting times
- Back-up plans for sick days (for drivers and students)
- Rules about smoking (we recommend smoke-free carpools)
- Rules about food and drink
- Allergy issues: perfume, cologne, peanuts, etc.
- Costs: If one person is going to drive every day, make plans to split gas costs

Have questions? Contact Us

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