

Greater Mercer TMA's 13th Annual Safe Routes to School Bookmark Design Contest

Calling all artists in Grades 3-5!

Directions:

Draw an original design reflecting the theme: *“Why I Walk. Why I Bike.”*:
Show the reasons why you like to walk or bike. Maybe for fun, for friends, for fresh air, and for our planet. Draw your safe happy journey!
Return it to GMTMA **by March 13, 2026**. The winning designs (two from each county) will be printed & distributed to schools and local libraries in Mercer and Ocean Counties.

Contest Rules:

- **Design your bookmark in the space provided on THIS entry form and return the whole form intact.**
- Each entry must be the original work of one child. No copyrighted images (characters, logos, etc.) or computer designs.
- Designs may be either vertical or horizontal. Any 2D art medium may be used (crayons, markers, colored pencil). No 3D materials (glitter, glued items, etc.).
- Designs and words must be dark enough to be reproducible.
- Please do not put your name anywhere on the bookmark.
- Contest ends March 13, 2025 at 4:30 PM.
- Contest is open to students in grades 3-5 who live in or attend school in Mercer or Ocean County, NJ, or Montgomery Twp.*
- Winner selected by GMTMA staff.
- Questions? 609-452-1491 or tma@gmtma.org
- Return form to: Greater Mercer TMA, 15 Roszel Road, Suite 101, Princeton, NJ 08540. You may be able to return the form to the school to mail in bulk.
- **Winners will receive a \$50 gift card alongside bookmark printing!**

Name: _____

Grade: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

School: _____

All entries become the property of the Greater Mercer TMA and may be reproduced for Public distribution, displayed in public, and posted on GMTMA's website. GMTMA may use each winner's name, design, and photograph for publicity purposes. (Not eligible without parent/ guardian consent.)

*Montgomery Twp. entries will be included with Mercer County.

Parent signature: _____

Why do you walk or bike? _____

