

## Pass the Baton Challenge

**Focus Area: Physical Activity** 

**Description:** Work as a team to complete a walking relay. Each person will complete a leg of the relay.

Category: Pairs or groups

**Length of Activity: Varies** 

In-person or Virtual: In-person

## **Materials Needed:**

- Baton (can be an any item or something you create)
- Prize (optional)
  - o This can be as simple as a certificate.

## **Directions:**

- **1.** Create a baton, mimicking those used in Olympic team relays. You can simply use paper and tape or your own creativity.
- **2.** Determine a walking distance (can be measured in metrics or time). You could also use <a href="MapMyWalk">MapMyWalk</a> as a resource to identify a relay route.
- **3.** The first participant will begin the challenge by completing the department-determined walking route/distance and will "Pass the Baton" to the next participant upon completion.
- **4.** Each participant has a predetermined timeframe/distance to complete his or her leg of the relay before passing the baton to the next person.





