

Cycling: Getting Around by Bicycle (Faye Brownlie)

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Adults are copying kids. For years, kids have known how much fun it is to spend hours roaming around on their bikes, sometimes alone and sometimes in a group. Now, adults are trying to get in on the action. More and more adults are choosing to cycle. People are riding to work, for recreation, to save money because gas is becoming so expensive, for health reasons, and often, just for fun! Cycling is quite cheap. It is great exercise and it takes you outdoors, often exploring areas that you wouldn't see from a car.

Bike Routes

In some towns and cities, special bike routes have been established to help cyclists have a safer ride. These routes are generally paved or on hard gravel surfaces. Sometimes no one is allowed on these routes except those riding a bicycle. At other times, the route is shared with walkers, skateboarders, and people with roller blades.

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