



walnut hills walking routes  
are as easy as 1, 2, 3.

### 1. ASK A FRIEND

or a family member, or a colleague to join you, or take a stroll by yourself.

### 2. PICK A ROUTE

- orange 1 mi ~20 mins
- green 2 mi ~40 mins
- pink 3 mi ~60 mins

### 3. WALK OR RUN IT

follow the color coded signs on the way and have fun!



**Walnut Hills Branch Library -**  
Built in 1906, the library was designed in the Fresh Renaissance Style and the first of nine branch libraries built through the generosity of philanthropist Andrew Carnegie. Twin columns at the entrance arrived from Munich, Germany with the Tyler Davidson Fountain and later were incorporated into the building's design.



**Frederick Douglass Community School -**  
In 1870, the school came under jurisdiction of the Cincinnati Colored School System and named Elm Street School. In 1902, the name was changed to Douglass Elementary School, named after the famous writer and abolitionist Frederick Douglass.



**Walnut Hills Presbyterian Church Tower -**  
"The Tower" was designed by prominent architect Samuel Hannaford in the architectural style of Gothic Revival. Presbyterian minister James Kemper helped to organize a congregation and after 60 years merged with another located at the Lane Theological Seminary. The Church was expanded twice (the chapel in 1891 and a larger section added in 1929.)



**Walnut Hills Cemetery -**

Walnut Hills Cemetery is one of Cincinnati's oldest operating establishments. It originally opened in 1843 and was named the Second German Protestant Cemetery. Each October, a "Run Like Hell" 5K marathon benefits the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation supported by the cemetery.



**Harriet Beecher Stowe's House -**

Harriet, daughter of Reverend Lyman Beecher and author of Uncle Tom's Cabin, pinned the fictionalized account of the pain slavery imposed on its victims and of the difficult struggles of slaves to escape and travel on the Underground Railroad to freedom in the Northern States and Canada.



**Lane Theological Seminary Marker -**

Lane Seminary was founded at this location (now Thompson MacConnell Cadillac Dealership) in 1830 to educate Presbyterian ministers. It is known primarily for the "debates" held here in 1834 that influenced the nations thinking about slavery. Several of the students involved in the debates went on to play important roles in the abolitionist movement and build up the American Civil War.

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