

## PREPARE

Have solar viewers for the community to use when viewing the Sun (for sale or share); have colanders, cardboard to punch, and other "pinhole cameras".

Make a traffic plan with no driving and no headlights on near maximum. Ensure an open lane for emergency traffic.

Organize school, library and community events to increase eclipse awareness and safety. Write articles in newsletters, websites and the media. FOR THE SUN

**FOR TRAFFIC** 

**TO ENGAGE** 

**FOR THE DARK** 

**FOR CROWDS** 

TO EDUCATE

Post the eclipse timings and solar directions for your location. Have an audible end-of-totality warning. *Turn off automatic lights!* 

Have plenty of food, water and restroom facilities for everyone. Provide viewing areas that face away from roads and lights.

Have eclipse posters describing safe observing. Use computers to show safety information and live eclipse streams. Participate in citizen science activities.



**CLOUDY?** 

If the weather is cloudy, have pre-planned activities to keep everyone safe and engaged. Have a monitor for live streams. If you are in the path, it **will** get dark!

MORE INFORMATION: space.rice.edu/eclipse

**ECLIPSE NEWSLETTER:** bit.ly/RiceEclipse

**SEE ALSO**: eclipse.aas.org | solarsystem.nasa.gov/eclipses

