

## Indiana Celebrates 200 Years

On December 11, 2016, Indiana will celebrate 200 years of statehood. To commemorate this anniversary, Indiana hosted a torch relay September 9 - October 15, 2016. The golden torch (a representation of the torch on Indiana's flag) began its journey in Corydon, Indiana, the state's first capital. From there, the torch traveled through all ninety-two counties, ending at the statehouse in Indianapolis for a bicentennial celebration. More than 1,800 torchbearers were selected throughout the state to carry the torch on the 3,200 mile journey.

### Torch Details:

- Designed by a team of Purdue University Engineering students, staff and faculty
- GPS equipped
- HD cameras for photos and video
- Wi-Fi connectivity
- Automatic shut-off if tilted past 45°
- Weighs under five pounds

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*For more photos and the complete torch story visit: [www.indianatorchrelay.com](http://www.indianatorchrelay.com)*



*Left to right: Wabash City Schools Superintendent Jason Callahan hands off the torch to Ford Meter Box President Steve Ford.*



*The Indiana Bicentennial Torch makes its way through downtown Wabash.*



*Manchester High School teacher Jabin Burnworth runs one leg of the Indiana Bicentennial Torch Relay.*



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