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We introduce the basics of Legendrian graphs, with a focus on the Thurston-Bennequin number. We define a new invariant called the total Thurston-Bennequin number of the graph. We show that this invariant is determined by the Thurston-Bennequin numbers of 3-cycles for complete graphs and by the Thurston-Bennequin numbers of 4-cycles for complete bipartite graphs. We discuss the consequences of these results for K_4 , K_5 and $K_{3,3}$. (Received August 27, 2015)