Parent Survey About Walking and Biking to School		
Dear Parent or Caregiver, Your child's school wants to learn your thoughts about children walking and biking to school. This survey will take about 5 - 10 minutes to complete. We ask that each family complete only one survey per school your children attend. If more than one child from a school brings a survey home, please fill out the survey for the child with the next birthday from today's date.		
After you have completed this survey, send it back to the school with your child or give it to the teacher. Your responses will be kept confidential and neither your name nor your child's name will be associated with any results. Thank you for participating in this survey!		
+ CAPITAL LETTERS ONLY - BLUE OR BLACK INK O	DNLY +	
School Name:		
1. What is the grade of the child who brought home this surv	vey? Grade (PK,K,1,2,3)	
2. How many children do you have in Kindergarten through 8 th grade?		
3. What is the street intersection nearest your home? (Provide the names of two intersecting streets)		
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Place a clear 'X' inside box. If you make a mistake, fill 4. How far does your child live from school?	the entire box, and then mark the correct box.	
Less than 1/4 mile 1/2 mile up to 1 mile	More than 2 miles	
1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile 1 mile up to 2 miles	Don't know	
Place a clear 'X' inside box. If you make a mistake, fill	the entire box, and then mark the correct box.	
5. On most days, how does your child arrive and leave for school? (Select one choice per column, mark box with X)		
Arrive at school	Leave from school	
Walk	Walk	
Bike	Bike	
School Bus	School Bus	
Family vehicle (only children in your family)	Family vehicle (only children in your family)	
Carpool (Children from other families)	Carpool (Children from other families)	
Transit (city bus, subway, etc.)	Transit (city bus, subway, etc.)	
Other (skateboard, scooter, inline skates, etc.)	Other (skateboard, scooter, inline skates, etc.)	
+ Place a clear 'X' inside box. If you make a mistake, fill the entire box, and then mark the correct box +		
6. How long does it normally take your child to get to/from s		
Travel time to school	Travel time from school	
Less than 5 minutes		
	Less than 5 minutes	
5 – 10 minutes	5 – 10 minutes	
5 – 10 minutes	5 – 10 minutes	
5 – 10 minutes 11 – 20 minutes	5 – 10 minutes 11 – 20 minutes	

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7. Has your child asked you for permission to walk or bike to/from school in the last year? Yes No			
8. At what grade would you allow your child to walk or bike to/from school without an adult?			
(Select a grade between PK,K,1,2,3) grade (or) I would not feel comfortable at any grade			
Place a clear 'X' inside box. If you make a mistake, fill the entire box, and then mark the correct box			
9. What of the following issues affected your decision to allow, or not allow, your child to walk or bike to/from school? (Select ALL that apply) 10. Would you probably let your child walk or bike to/from school if this problem were changed or improved? (Select one choice per line, mark box with X)			
My child already walks or bikes to/from school			
Distance			
Convenience of driving			
Time			
Child's before or after-school activities			
Speed of traffic along route			
Amount of traffic along route			
Adults to walk or bike with			
Sidewalks or pathways			
Safety of intersections and crossings			
Crossing guards			
Violence or crime			
Weather or climate			
+ Place a clear 'X' inside box. If you make a mistake, fill the entire box, and then mark the correct box 11. In your opinion, how much does your child's school encourage or discourage walking and biking to/from school?			
Strongly Encourages Encourages Neither Discourages Strongly Discourages			
12. How much fun is walking or biking to/from school for your child?			
Very Fun Fun Neutral Boring Very Boring			
13. How healthy is walking or biking to/from school for your child?			
Very Healthy Neutral Unhealthy Very Unhealthy			
+ Place a clear 'X' inside box. If you make a mistake, fill the entire box, and then mark the correct box	+		
14. What is the highest grade or year of school you completed?			
Grades 1 through 8 (Elementary) College 1 to 3 years (Some college or technical school)			
Grades 9 through 11 (Some high school) College 4 years or more (College graduate)			
Grade 12 or GED (High school graduate) Prefer not to answer			
15. Please provide any additional comments below.			