

# Parent Survey Report: One School in One Data Collection Period

**School Name:** Schwegler Elementary School

**Set ID:** 12174

**School Group:** Douglas County

**Month and Year Collected:** October 2014

**School Enrollment:** 415

**Date Report Generated:** 12/08/2014

**% Range of Students Involved in SRTS:** Not Applicable

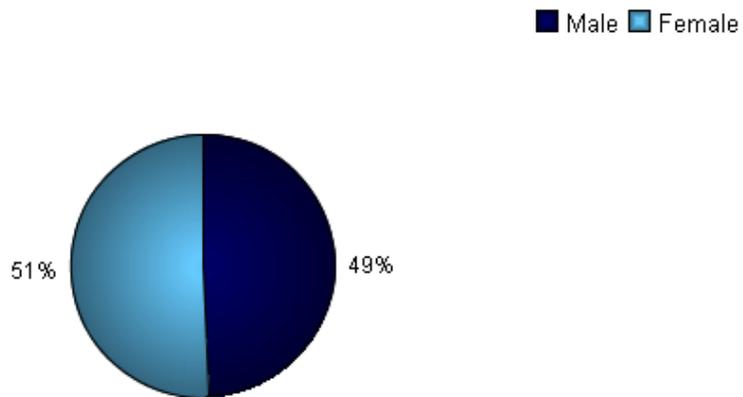
**Tags:**

**Number of Questionnaires Distributed:** 0

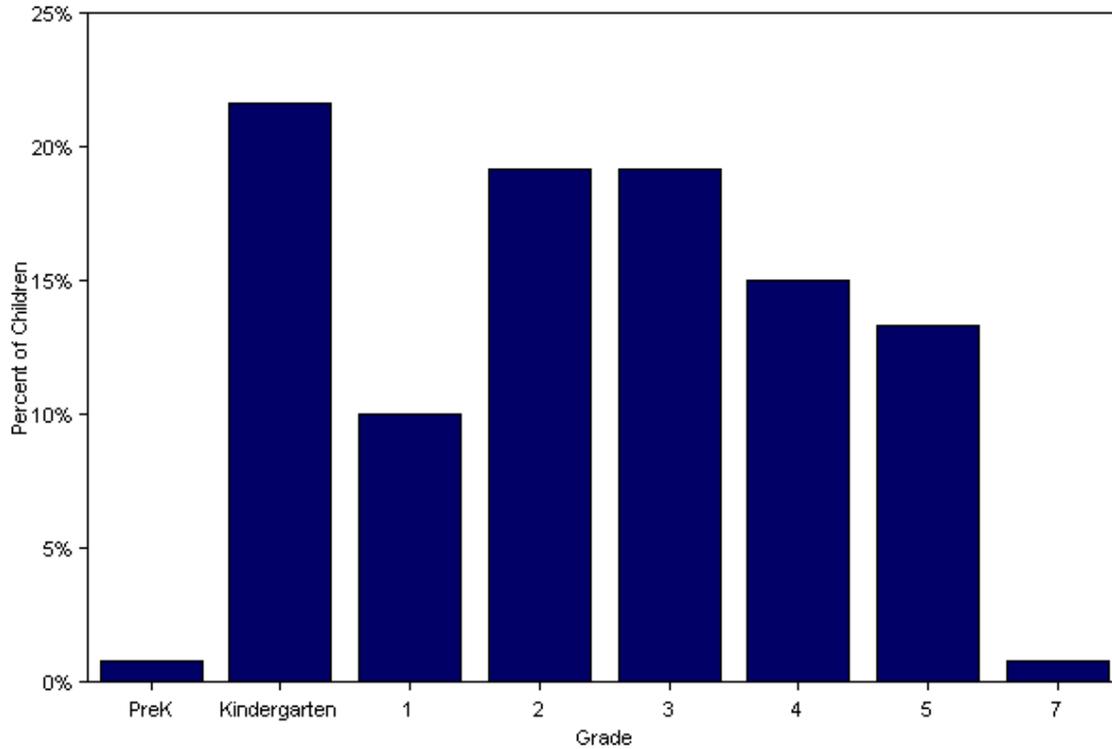
**Number of Questionnaires Analyzed for Report:** 121

This report contains information from parents about their children's trip to and from school. The report also reflects parents' perceptions regarding whether walking and bicycling to school is appropriate for their child. The data used in this report were collected using the Survey about Walking and Biking to School for Parents form from the National Center for Safe Routes to School.

## Sex of children for parents that provided information



### Grade levels of children represented in survey



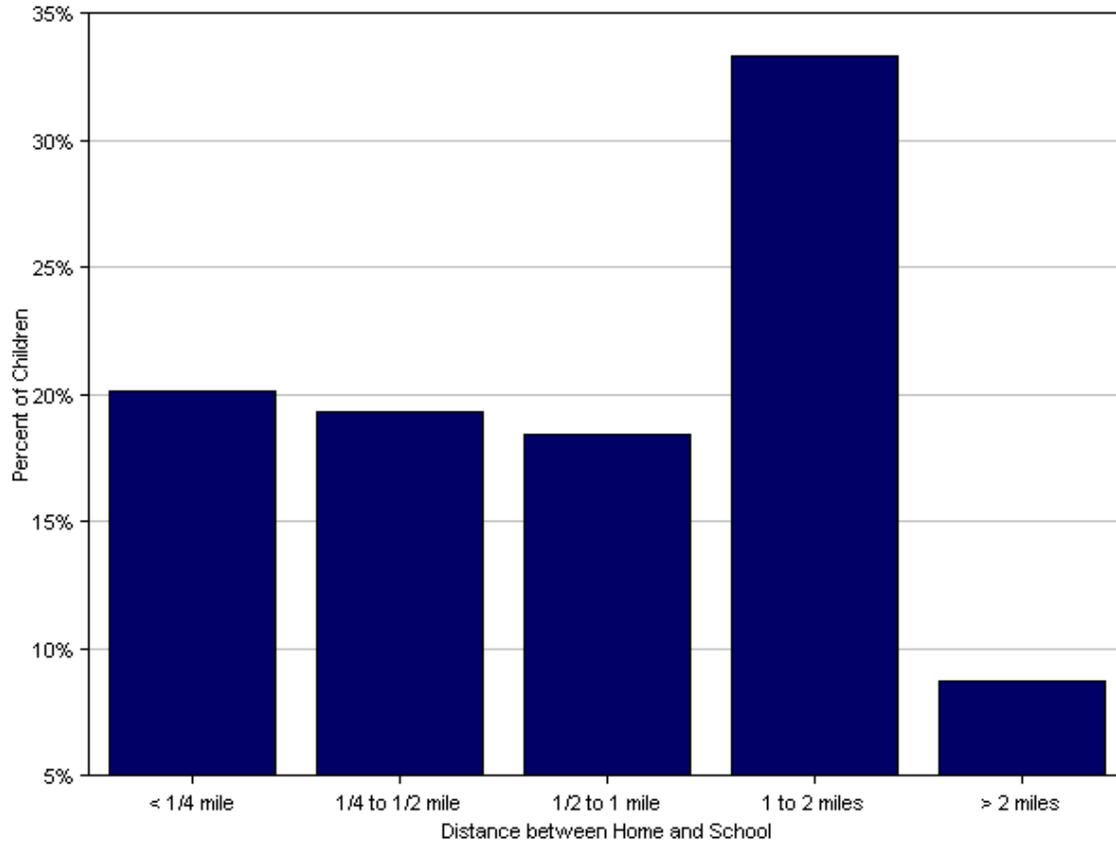
### Grade levels of children represented in survey

Grade in School	Responses per grade	
	Number	Percent
PreK	1	1%
Kindergarten	26	22%
1	12	10%
2	23	19%
3	23	19%
4	18	15%
5	16	13%
7	1	1%

No response: 0

Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding.

### Parent estimate of distance from child's home to school



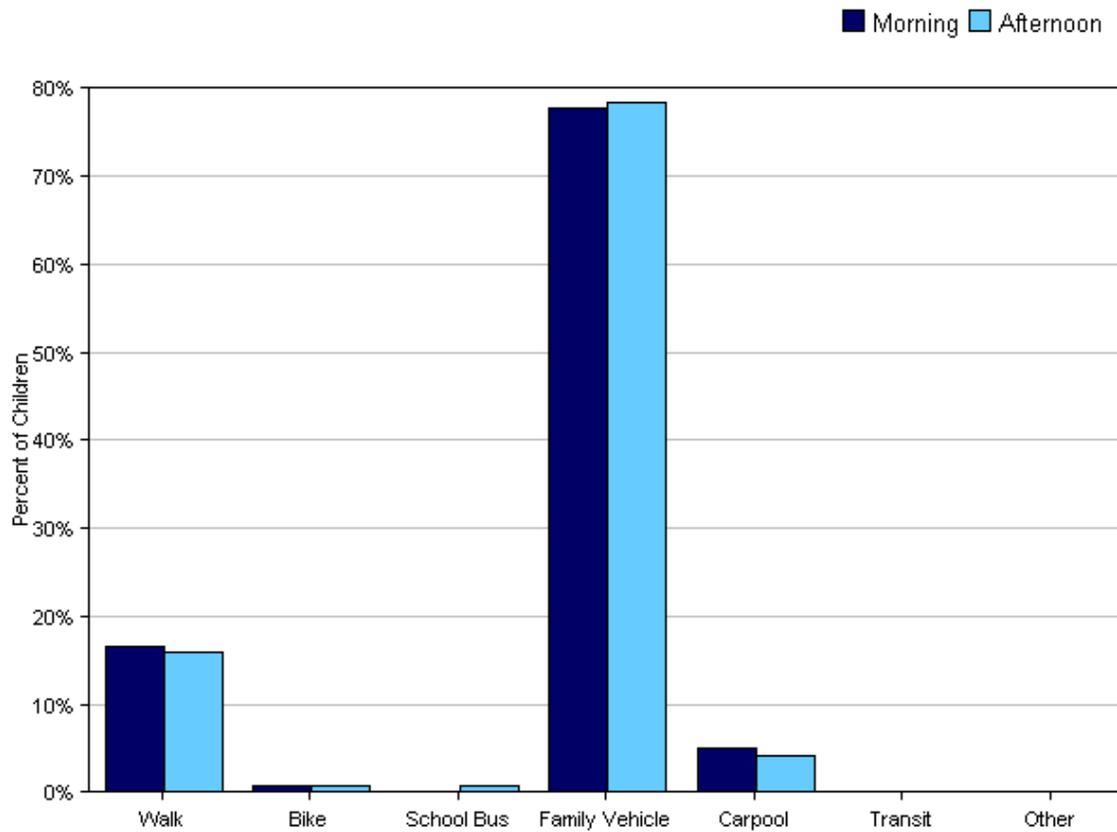
### Parent estimate of distance from child's home to school

Distance between home and school	Number of children	Percent
Less than 1/4 mile	23	20%
1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	22	19%
1/2 mile up to 1 mile	21	18%
1 mile up to 2 miles	38	33%
More than 2 miles	10	9%

Don't know or No response: 7

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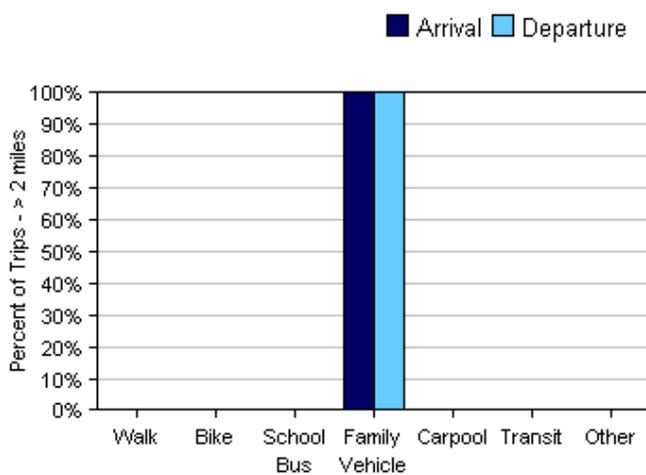
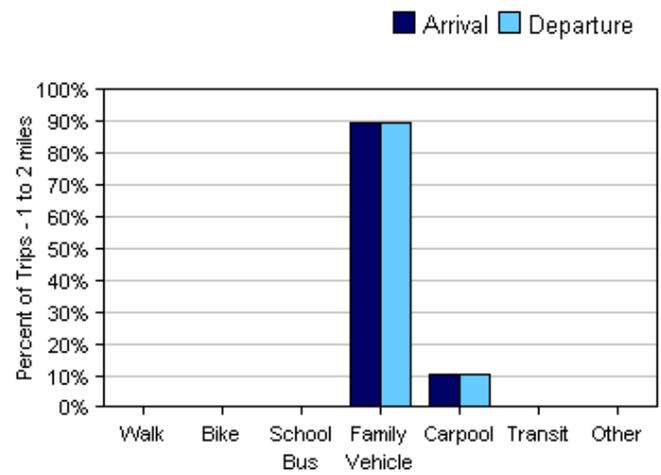
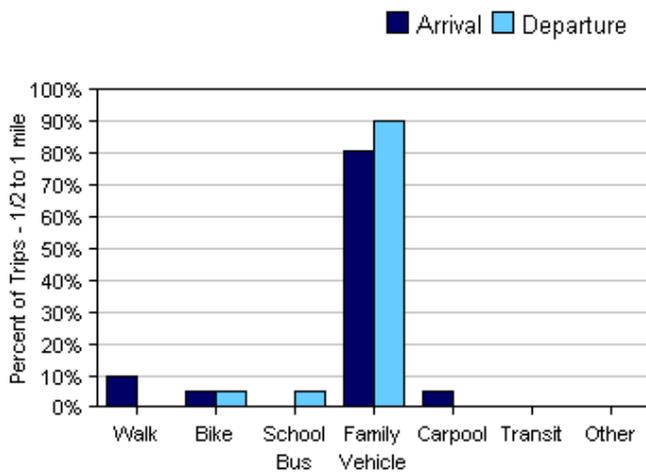
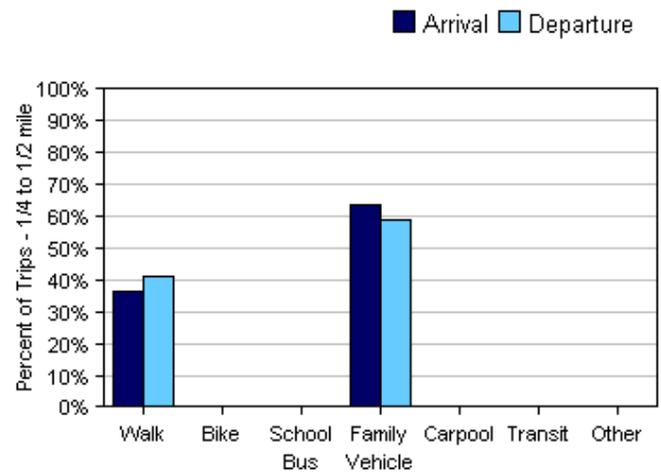
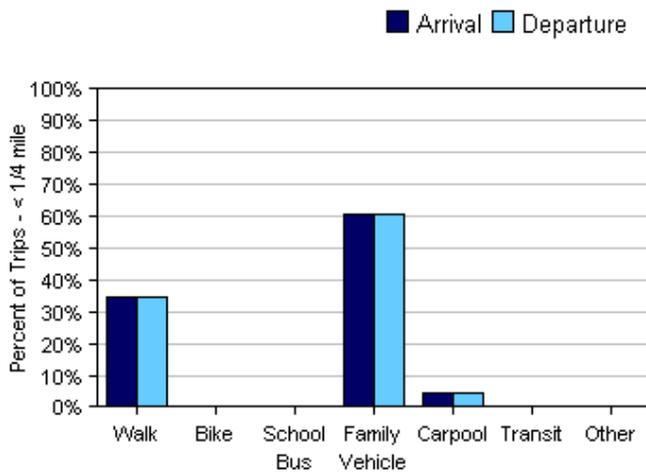
Time of Trip	Number of Trips	Walk	Bike	School Bus	Family Vehicle	Carpool	Transit	Other
Morning	121	17%	0.8%	0%	78%	5%	0%	0%
Afternoon	120	16%	0.8%	0.8%	78%	4%	0%	0%

No Response Morning: 0

No Response Afternoon: 1

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## Typical mode of school arrival and departure by distance child lives from school



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### School Arrival

Distance	Number within Distance	Walk	Bike	School Bus	Family Vehicle	Carpool	Transit	Other
Less than 1/4 mile	23	35%	0%	0%	61%	4%	0%	0%
1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	22	36%	0%	0%	64%	0%	0%	0%
1/2 mile up to 1 mile	21	10%	5%	0%	81%	5%	0%	0%
1 mile up to 2 miles	38	0%	0%	0%	89%	11%	0%	0%
More than 2 miles	10	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%

Don't know or No response: 7

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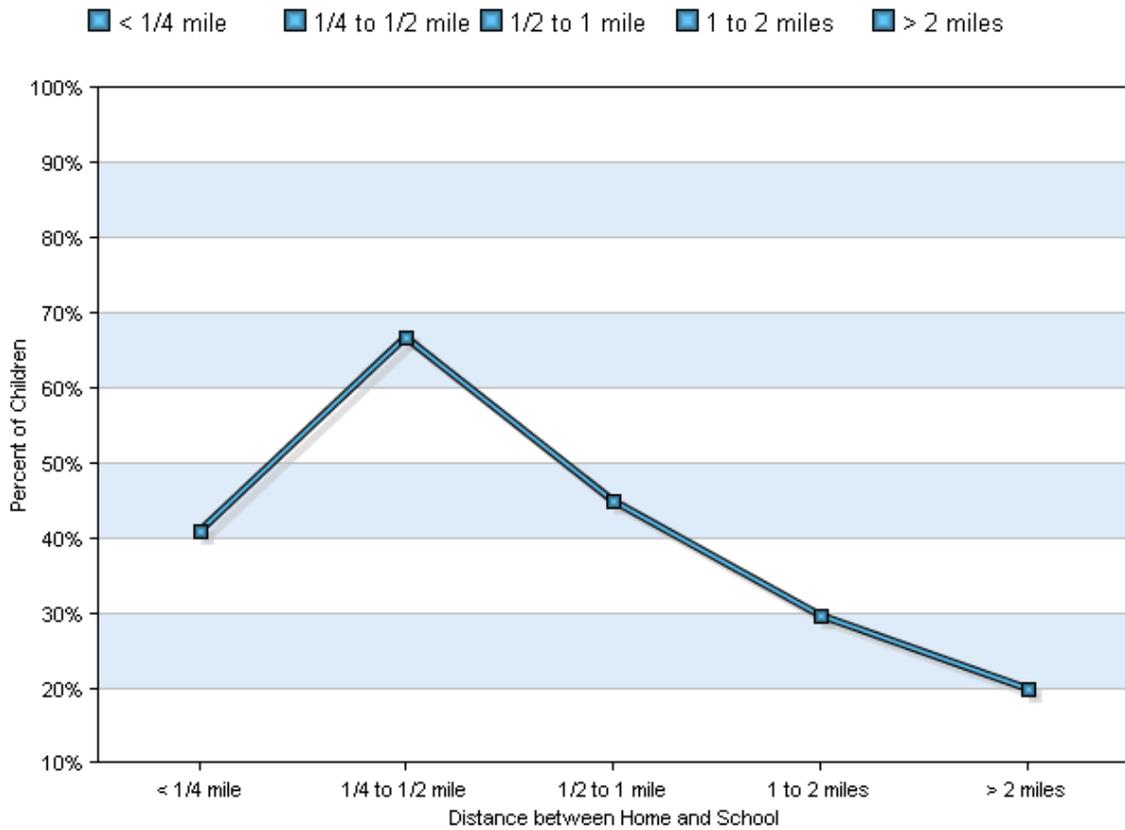
### School Departure

Distance	Number within Distance	Walk	Bike	School Bus	Family Vehicle	Carpool	Transit	Other
Less than 1/4 mile	23	35%	0%	0%	61%	4%	0%	0%
1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	22	41%	0%	0%	59%	0%	0%	0%
1/2 mile up to 1 mile	20	0%	5%	5%	90%	0%	0%	0%
1 mile up to 2 miles	38	0%	0%	0%	89%	11%	0%	0%
More than 2 miles	10	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%

Don't know or No response: 8

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Percent of children who have asked for permission to walk or bike to/from school by distance they live from school

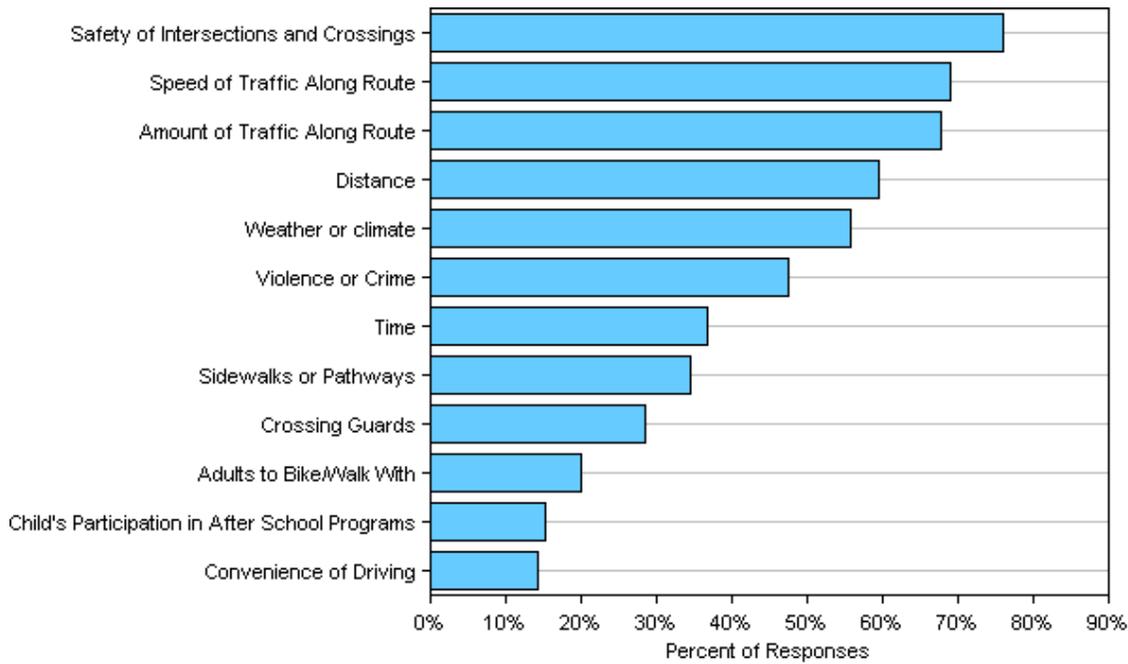


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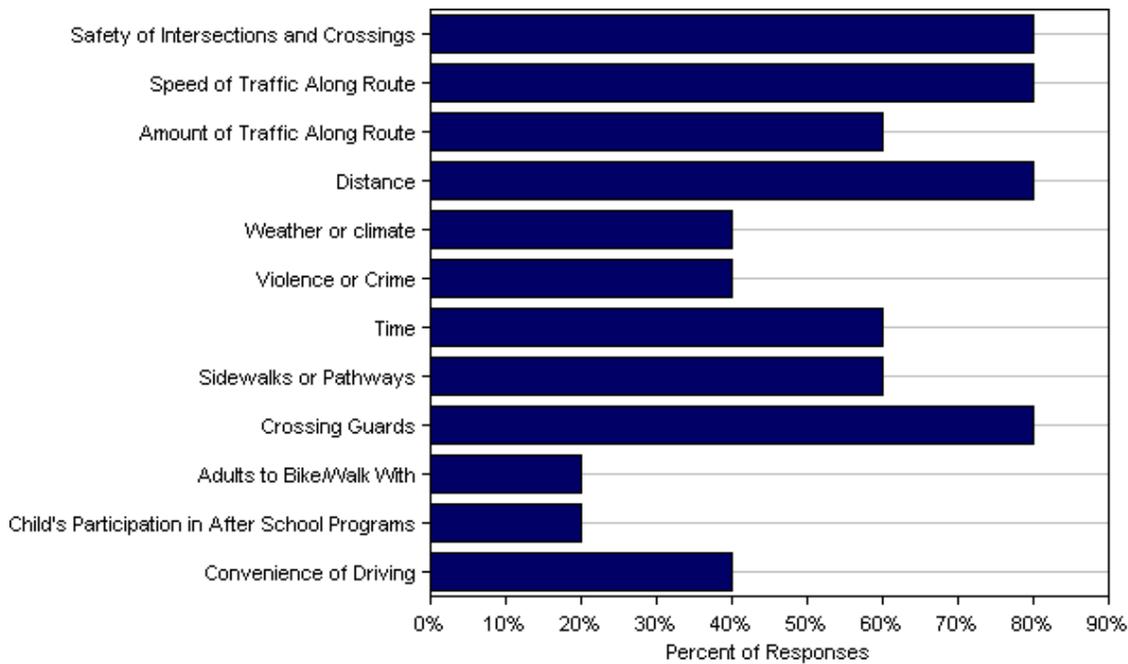
Asked Permission?	Number of Children	Less than 1/4 mile	1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	1/2 mile up to 1 mile	1 mile up to 2 miles	More than 2 miles
Yes	45	41%	67%	45%	30%	20%
No	65	59%	33%	55%	70%	80%

Don't know or No response: 11  
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Issues reported to affect the decision to not allow a child to walk or bike to/from school by parents of children who do not walk or bike to/from school



Issues reported to affect the decision to allow a child to walk or bike to/from school by parents of children who already walk or bike to/from school



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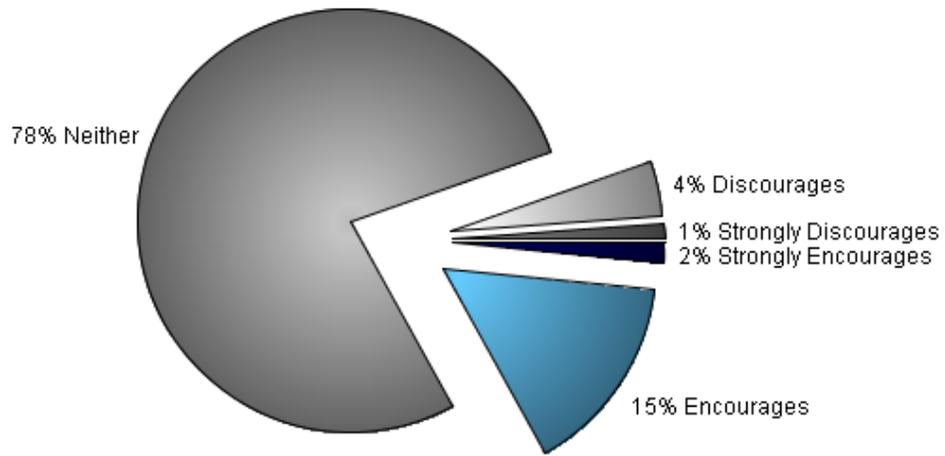
Issue	Child does not walk/bike to school	Child walks/bikes to school
Safety of Intersections and Crossings	76%	80%
Speed of Traffic Along Route	69%	80%
Amount of Traffic Along Route	68%	60%
Distance	60%	80%
Weather or climate	56%	40%
Violence or Crime	48%	40%
Time	37%	60%
Sidewalks or Pathways	35%	60%
Crossing Guards	29%	80%
Adults to Bike/Walk With	20%	20%
Child's Participation in After School Programs	15%	20%
Convenience of Driving	14%	40%
<b>Number of Respondents per Category</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>5</b>

No response: 32

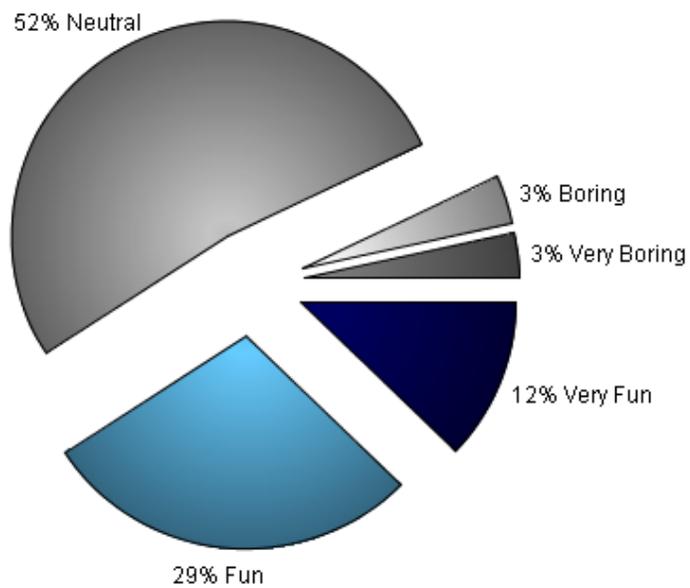
Note:

- Factors are listed from most to least influential for the 'Child does not walk/bike to school' group.
- Each column may sum to > 100% because respondent could select more than issue
- The calculation used to determine the percentage for each issue is based on the 'Number of Respondents per Category' within the respective columns (Child does not walk/bike to school and Child walks/bikes to school.) If comparing percentages between the two columns, please pay particular attention to each column's number of respondents because the two numbers can differ dramatically.

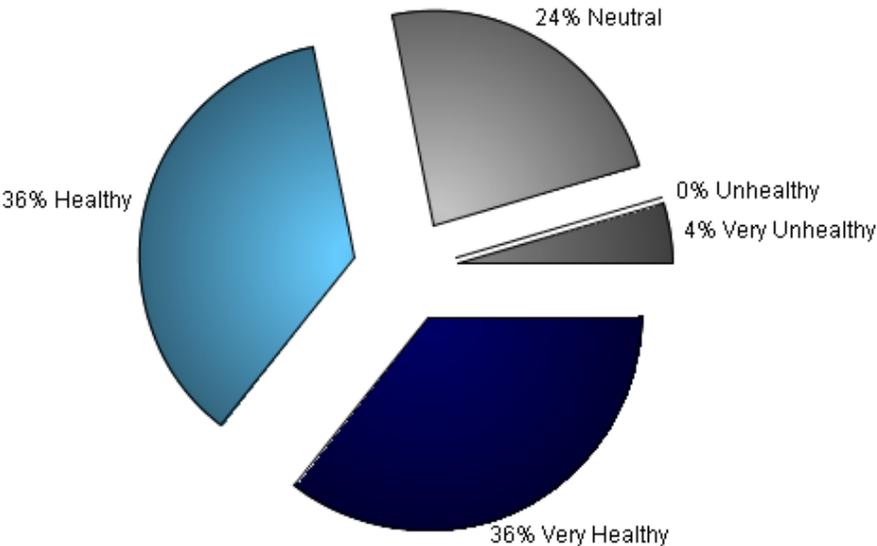
Parents' opinions about how much their child's school encourages or discourages walking and biking to/from school



Parents' opinions about how much fun walking and biking to/from school is for their child



Parents' opinions about how healthy walking and biking to/from school is for their child



## Comments Section

SurveyID	Comment
1266001	The intersection of 23rd & Ousdahl is extremely dangerous and I myself have almost been hit twice by drivers not paying attention to pedestrians crossing the street.
1266138	Mis hijos hay ocasiones que caminan de la escuela a mi casa - por mi trabajo, pero es bueno que caminen. Eso les ayuda a auto independisarse.
1266144	Our home is too far from school to make walking practical (2.4 miles). Our daughter would have to leave very early - in the dark and cold/bad weather for much of the year. In addition, she would have to cross Iowa and 23rd st.
1266146	We need sidewalks please! Ousdahl Rd.
1266196	I would like my daughter to walk/bike to school. We live at the limit of her school's boundary and would have to walk through a neighborhood with recent homicides. So no. If she were to go to the school that is nearer (as the crow flies) she would walk.
1266410	I feel good when I take my kid to and from school. I feel good knowing my kid is safe when I take her and knowing that no one will hurt her to or from school.
1266822	There are NO sidewalks on our street which is very close to school. This is really disappointing! We would definitely walk/bike to school if they were present.
1266824	Sidewalks need on all roads for safety of everyone!
1267190	We do not live in Lawrence, Due to traffic sometimes it takes less than 20 minutes, sometimes more.
1267209	My daughter sometimes doesn't follow directions. That is the main reason i would not allow her to travel alone. It would be at least several more years before I would consider it.
1267211	Our street leads directly to the school and there are no sidewalks! Too many college/ high school students in area to have no sidewalks by the school!
1266137	Gracias por preocuparse por la seguridad de nuestros hijos al entrar y salir de la escuela. gracias.
1266142	Need sidewalks down all the streets. It is truely messed up that the city doesn't know how to spend its money and doesn't know how to redo roads correctly!
1266188	My child would have to cross 23rd and Iowa Streets to walk or bike home.
1266192	The intersection at 23rd and Iowa would be the biggest concern I would have with letting my child walk to school, it is too busy w/o crossing guard.
1266413	Also I worry about my son and daughter because of how many child predators are allowed to love in the area of Shweigler and between her and south too.
1267200	Too many commercial/business driveways along route and drivers aren't good about looking for pedestrians/bikers before pulling out.
1266174	In the summer its not so bad but during the rain and chilly or freezing months for my first grader that's a bit much. What if we didn't have a car? Then what? Denied an education because a bus can't stop at a place it already drives by?
1266183	no comments, thanks
1266415	The distance from school to my home is too far to walk. I think they might expose to several rise such as car accident.
1266451	I don't want my children crossing 27th and Iowa or 23rd and Iowa. and they would have to.
1267194	We had a bus that the kids could walk to, but many families could not afford it, so, it stopped. Given our geography that is a good option - more kids walked a little
1266193	My son loves to walk to school with his dad. It is one of their favorite activities to do together. Now that my son is older, I feel he is safe walking home when needed.
1266194	(paper is torn - comment incomplete) ... is the better option for our neighborhood we live... dangerous at pick up - there are too many....ise walking/biking is not a good option.

1266198	It is not a good option where we live. Bussing is the best choice for our neighborhood.
1266426	My children would have to cross Iowa to get to school. I'm not sure when I would be okay with that.
1266401	I just wish we could get a bus for less than 2.5 miles too.
1266877	2nd grader DOESN'T know dangers lurking around and would NOT know how or what to do in an emergency situation.
1267199	Four our family, walking or biking will not be allowed or an option due to numerous safety reasons.
1266182	Masters Degree
1266881	If a distance from school to home is short, I would prefer walking or riding a bike. There are so many risks and as incident crime, safety problems generated by long distance.
1267221	no entiendo que encuesta es esto, pero mis niños sufren mucho por andar caminar con este frío que hace ahora.
1266136	It is way too far and unsafe for a child to cross some of the streets (highways) in this town. I don't care how healthy walking is if it's unsafe. There should be a bus.
1266405	We are prevented from walking by a combination of distance to school (just 2 miles) & the need to cross both Iowa & 23rd to get there.
1266880	We are prevented from walking by a combination of distance to school (just shy of 2 miles) and the need to cross 2 major streets (23rd and Iowa) to get there.
1267216	If I had to work it would be a big deal getting my kids to school. I am shocked that the district expected my girls to walk from Iowa & 31st all the way to 23rd & Ousdahl. If they end up being bussed I could go back to work.