

Parent Survey Report: One School in One Data Collection Period

School Name: Woodlawn Elementary School

Set ID: 12181

School Group: Douglas County

Month and Year Collected: October 2014

School Enrollment: 216

Date Report Generated: 11/21/2014

% Range of Students Involved in SRTS: Not Applicable

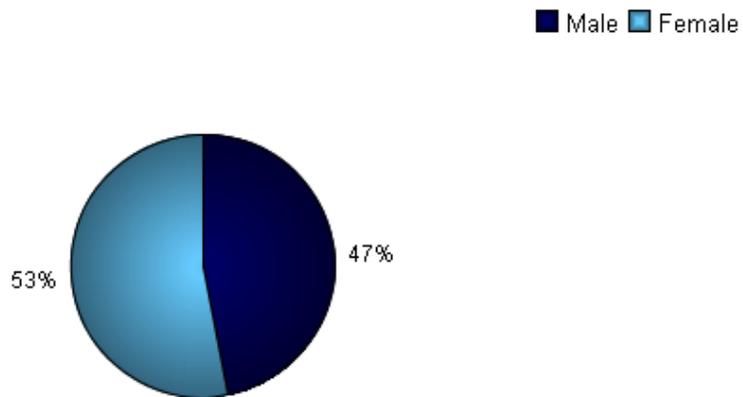
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Number of Questionnaires Distributed: 0

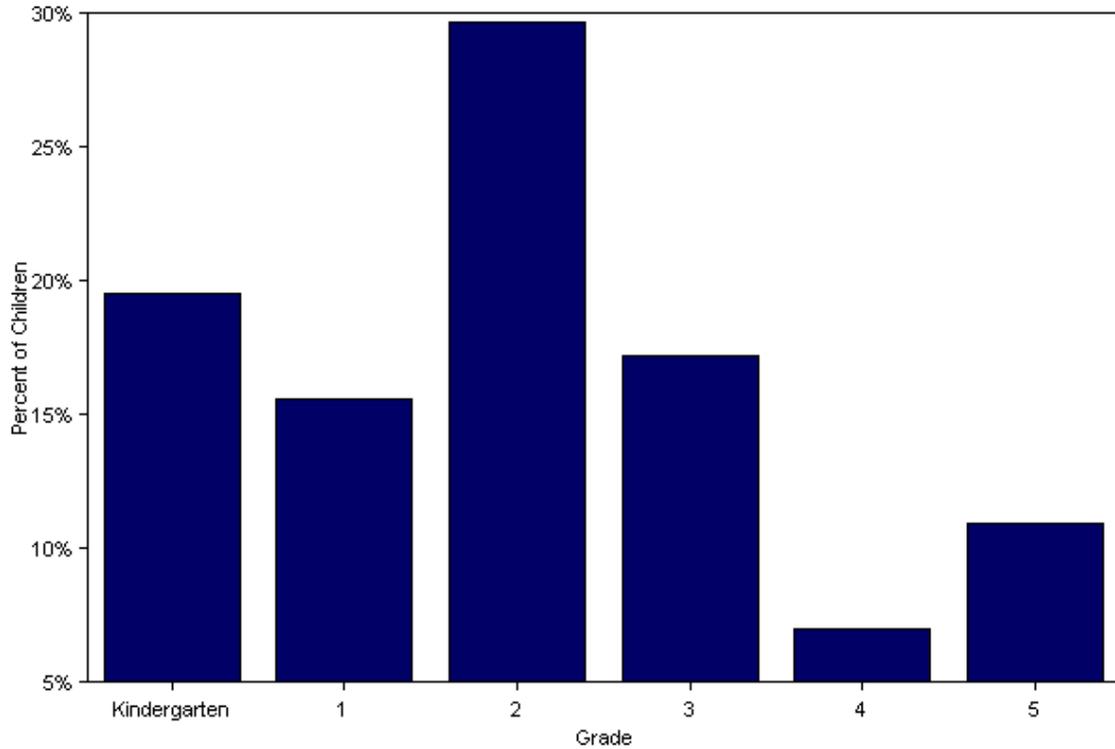
Number of Questionnaires Analyzed for Report: 128

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



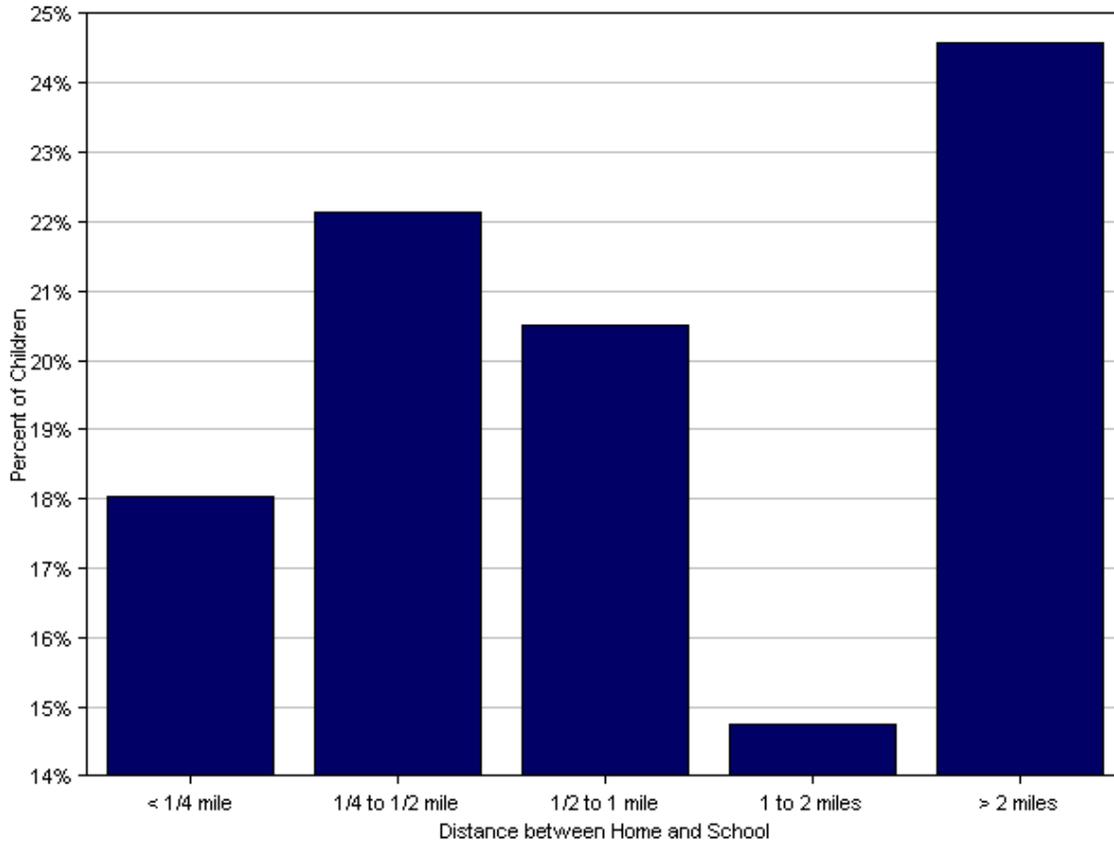
Grade levels of children represented in survey

Grade in School	Responses per grade	
	Number	Percent
Kindergarten	25	20%
1	20	16%
2	38	30%
3	22	17%
4	9	7%
5	14	11%

No response: 0

Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding.

Parent estimate of distance from child's home to school



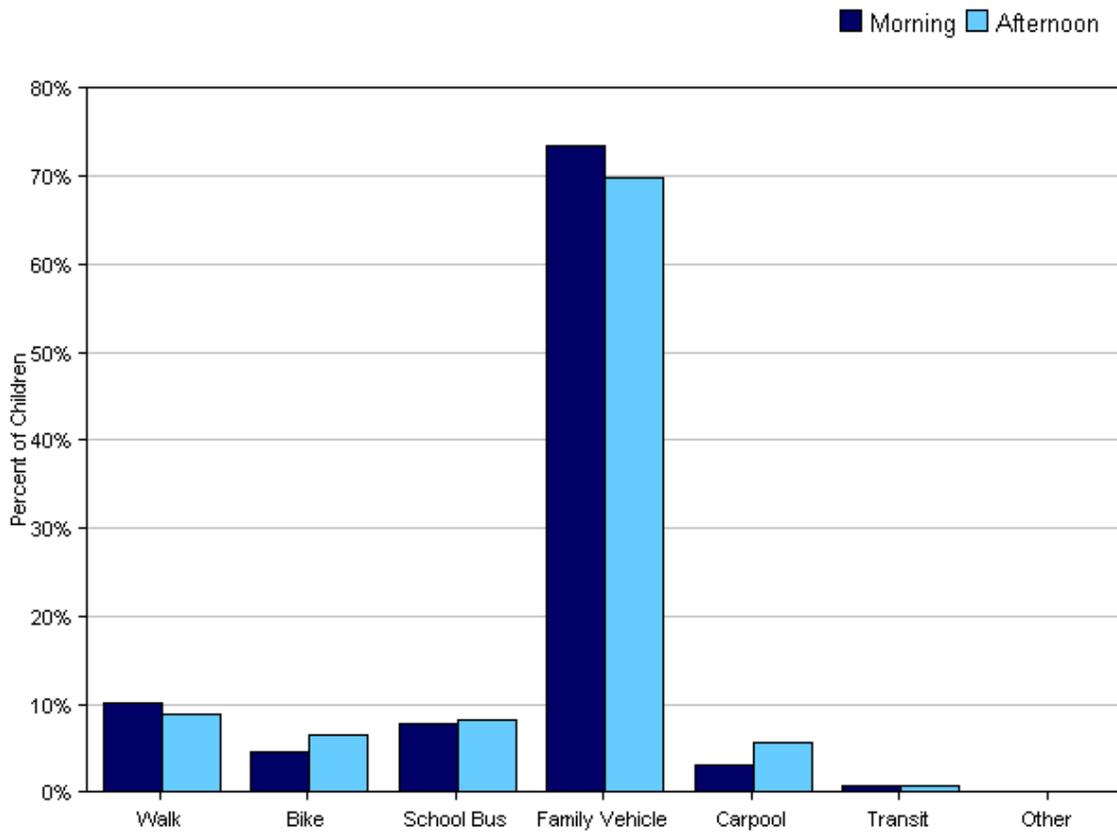
Parent estimate of distance from child's home to school

Distance between home and school	Number of children	Percent
Less than 1/4 mile	22	18%
1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	27	22%
1/2 mile up to 1 mile	25	20%
1 mile up to 2 miles	18	15%
More than 2 miles	30	25%

Don't know or No response: 6

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Typical mode of arrival at and departure from school



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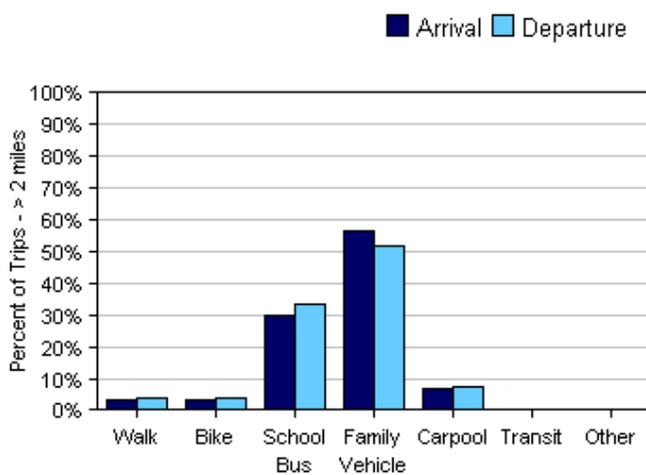
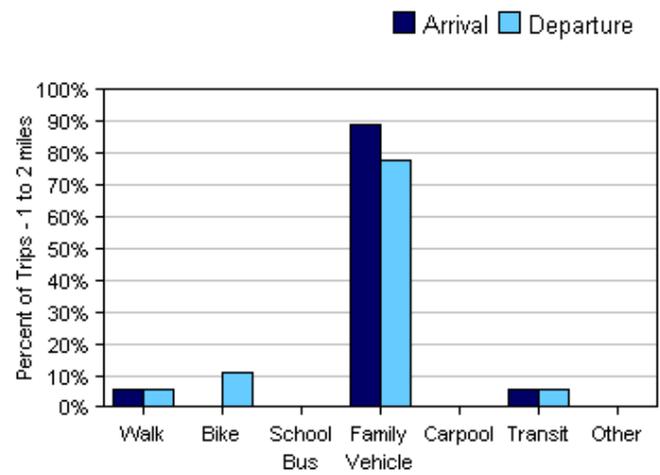
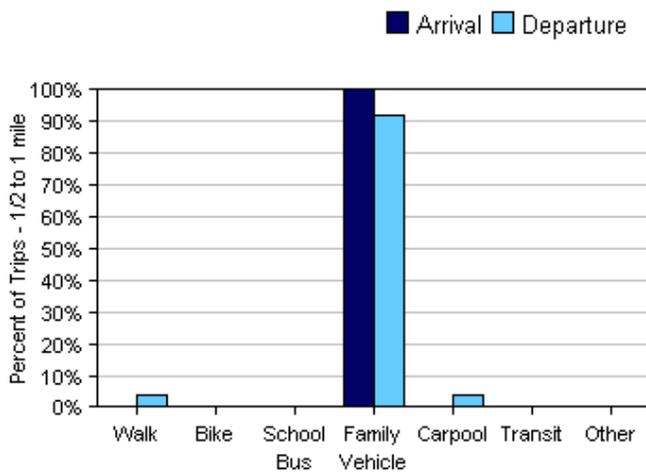
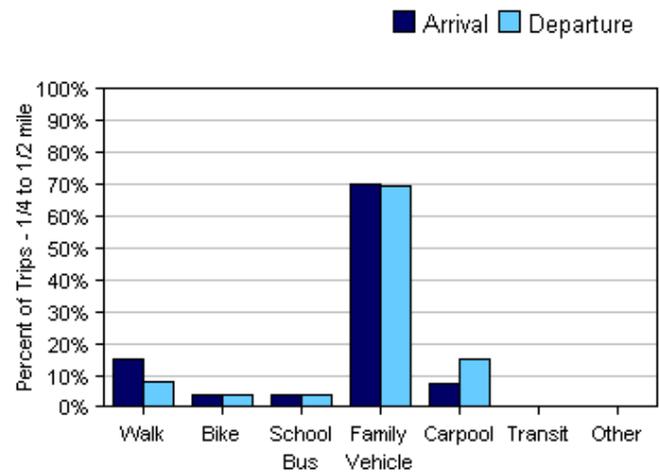
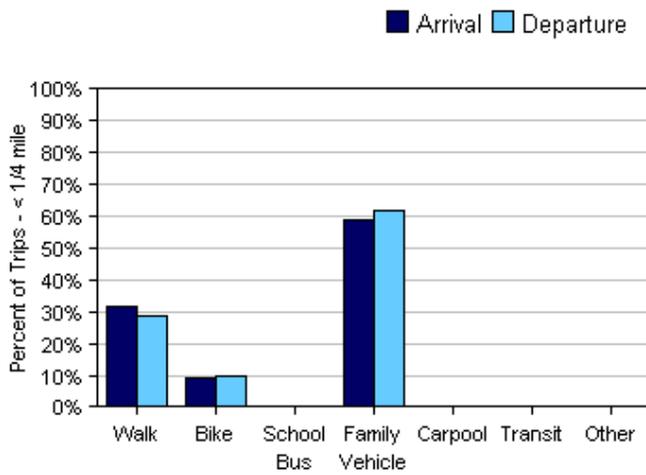
Time of Trip	Number of Trips	Walk	Bike	School Bus	Family Vehicle	Carpool	Transit	Other
Morning	128	10%	5%	8%	73%	3%	0.8%	0%
Afternoon	123	9%	7%	8%	70%	6%	0.8%	0%

No Response Morning: 0

No Response Afternoon: 5

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



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

School Arrival

Distance	Number within Distance	Walk	Bike	School Bus	Family Vehicle	Carpool	Transit	Other
Less than 1/4 mile	22	32%	9%	0%	59%	0%	0%	0%
1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	27	15%	4%	4%	70%	7%	0%	0%
1/2 mile up to 1 mile	25	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%
1 mile up to 2 miles	18	6%	0%	0%	89%	0%	6%	0%
More than 2 miles	30	3%	3%	30%	57%	7%	0%	0%

Don't know or No response: 6

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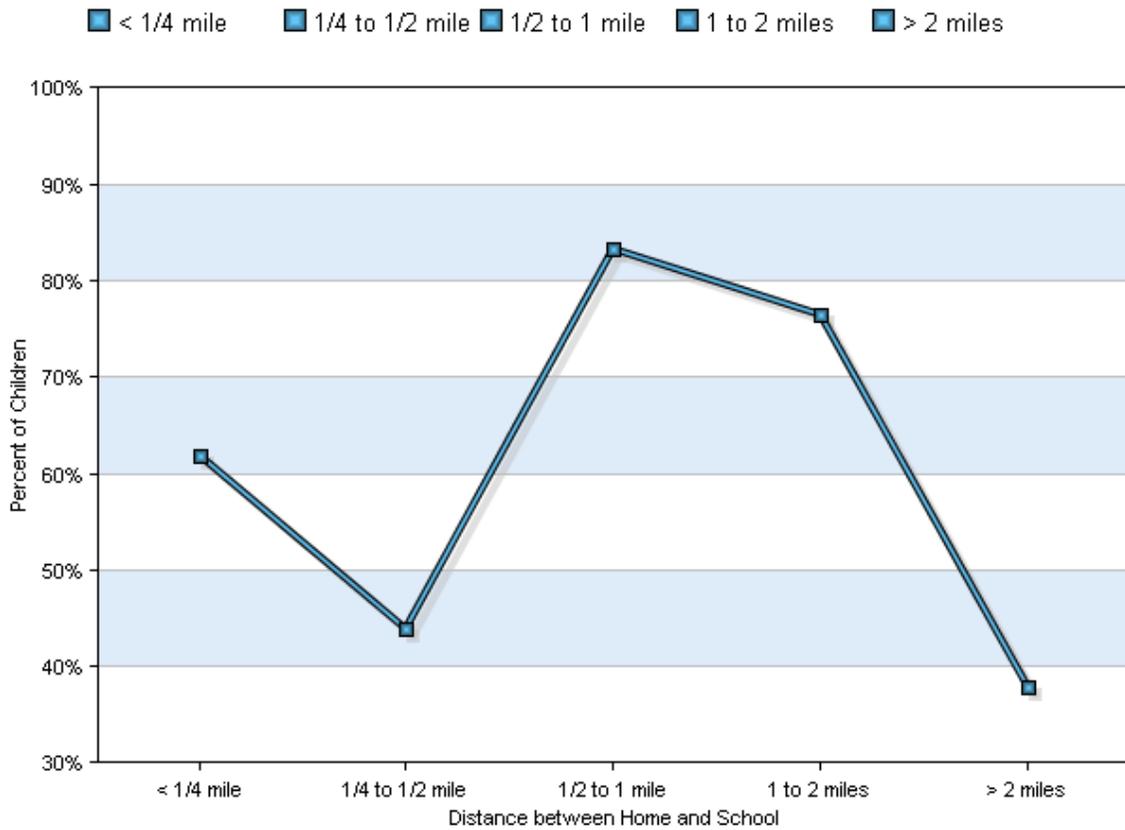
School Departure

Distance	Number within Distance	Walk	Bike	School Bus	Family Vehicle	Carpool	Transit	Other
Less than 1/4 mile	21	29%	10%	0%	62%	0%	0%	0%
1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	26	8%	4%	4%	69%	15%	0%	0%
1/2 mile up to 1 mile	25	4%	0%	0%	92%	4%	0%	0%
1 mile up to 2 miles	18	6%	11%	0%	78%	0%	6%	0%
More than 2 miles	27	4%	4%	33%	52%	7%	0%	0%

Don't know or No response: 11

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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

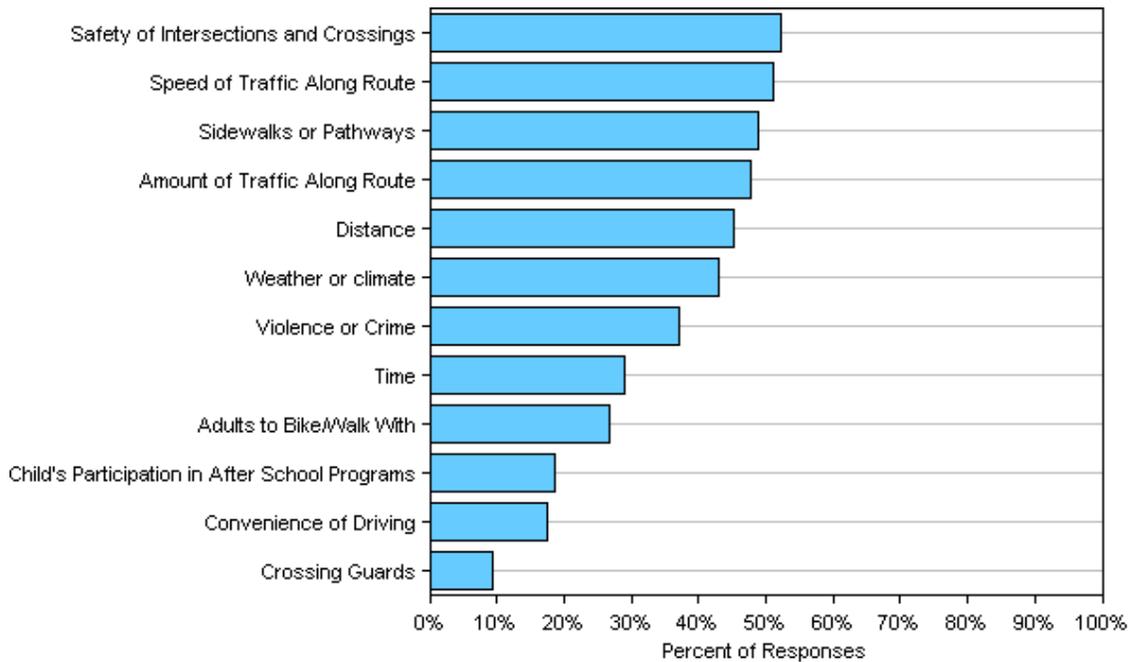


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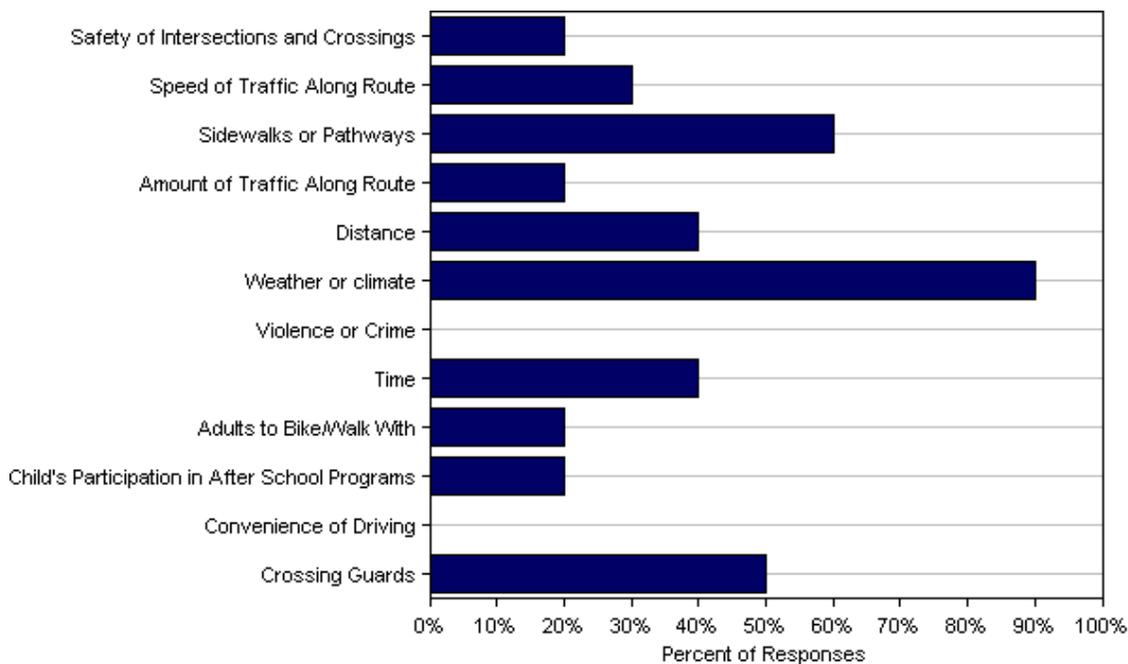
Asked Permission?	Number of Children	Less than 1/4 mile	1/4 mile up to 1/2 mile	1/2 mile up to 1 mile	1 mile up to 2 miles	More than 2 miles
Yes	68	62%	44%	83%	76%	38%
No	48	38%	56%	17%	24%	62%

Don't know or No response: 12
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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



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

Issue	Child does not walk/bike to school	Child walks/bikes to school
Safety of Intersections and Crossings	52%	20%
Speed of Traffic Along Route	51%	30%
Sidewalks or Pathways	49%	60%
Amount of Traffic Along Route	48%	20%
Distance	45%	40%
Weather or climate	43%	90%
Violence or Crime	37%	0%
Time	29%	40%
Adults to Bike/Walk With	27%	20%
Child's Participation in After School Programs	19%	20%
Convenience of Driving	17%	0%
Crossing Guards	9%	50%
Number of Respondents per Category	86	10

No response: 32

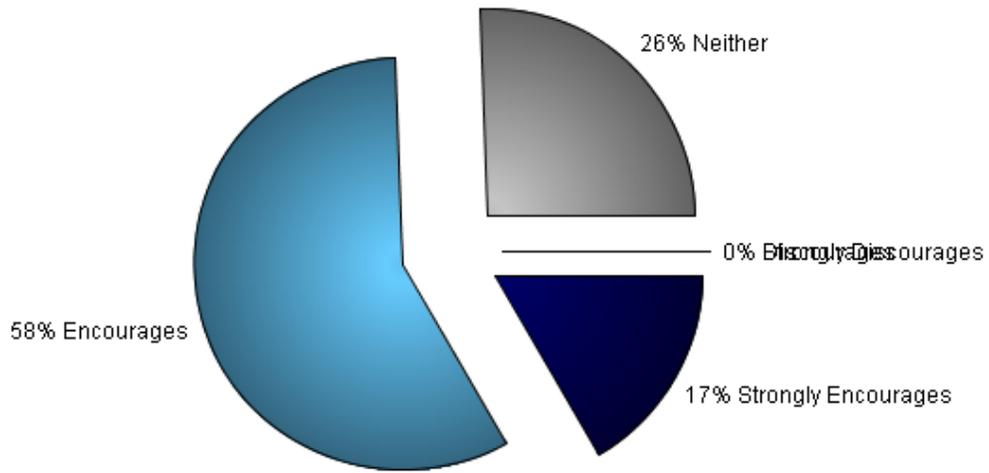
Note:

--Factors are listed from most to least influential for the 'Child does not walk/bike to school' group.

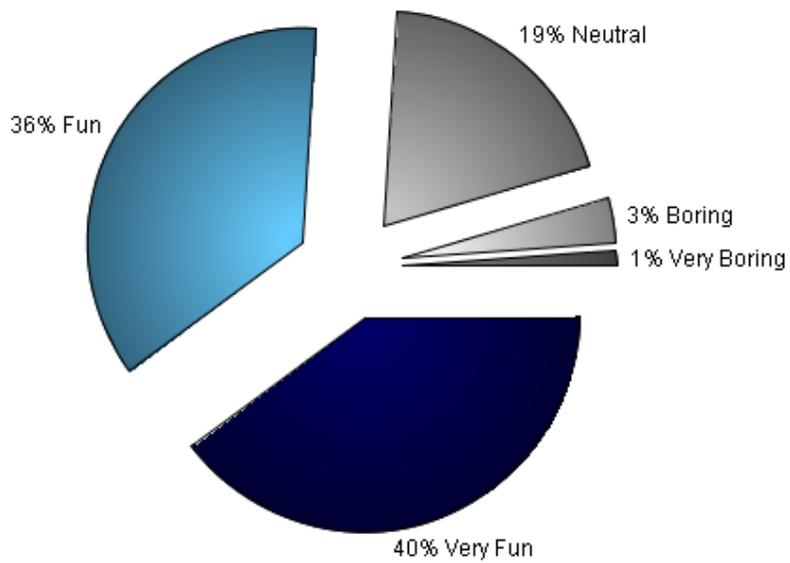
--Each column may sum to > 100% because respondent could select more than issue

--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.

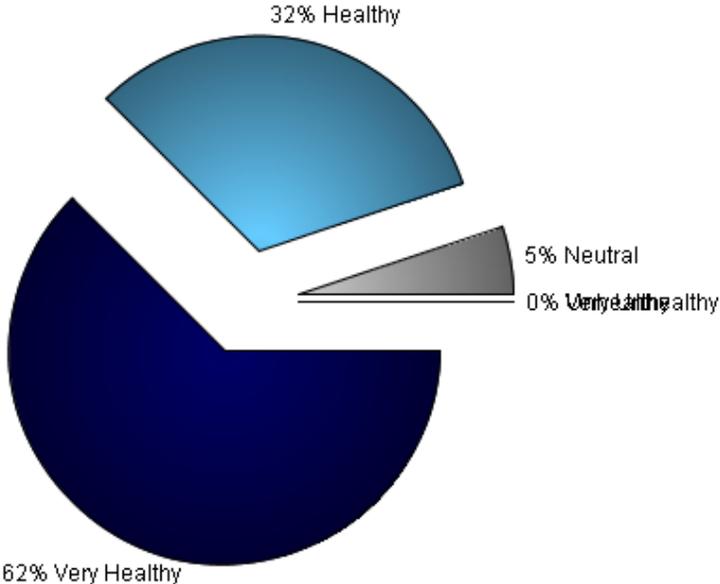
Parents' opinions about how much their child's school encourages or discourages walking and biking to/from school



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
1253173	Need sidewalks on Walnut St.
1253203	She is too young to walk by herself.
1253206	I am a guardian of 2 kids and one has anger issues and I don't trust him at this point, without someone being with them.
1253211	We live out in the country. But if we lived in town close to the school I would let her ride her bike. That's something discussed a lot. On the negative, times have changed; scary world out there.
1253653	Walks with parent
1253785	7th Street from Lyon Park to the railroad tracks (South) is HORRIBLE - The road is too narrow, no sidewalks, and high-speed traffic. Must cross street twice to use side walks. :(
1253811	If we lived closer and had the time I would love to walk my child to school.
1253814	People drive too fast on Lyon St. and we need more sidewalks
1253820	I feel it is good in teaching them responsibility and helping them in maturing their morals. Thanks
1253964	There needs to be a crossing guard at Elm and the 2 intersections of 4th and 5th
1253965	Need sidewalks. Too many fast drivers on Lyon St.
1253966	We walk the dog to school if we can leave early enough and the weather is agreeable. Walking is so important to us!
1253978	My kids only walk/bike with an adult. Lyon Street is too busy to cross alone. Also there is no real intersection for them to be seen clearly by traffic to cross Lyon in between 3rd and 4th Streets.
1253987	Next to #13: Doesn't walk/bike to school
1253993	Next to #12: encouraged rarely Basically, we lead such a busy routine that we run out of time in the morning. It's our own fault that we don't walk more often. Also, I worry about bikes being left at school (where to put helmets?) - after-school activities make it inconvenient to ride home.
1254001	Enrolling in JCCC for fall class too
1253181	I would feel more comfortable if there were more monitors along the route. I would consider letting them walk if this were the case.
1253791	Our biggest concern is the train tracks.
1253796	I would feel more comfortable accompanying my child walking/biking to school due to my child's health issues.
1253801	People drive far too fast on Lyon st and sidewalks either don't exist or are in disrepair
1253807	Our biggest concern is the train tracks
1253815	We prefer to let our son get exercise in other ways every day because we just don't feel it would be safe to let him ride alone. We occasionally let him walk/bike to school with one of us.
1253841	If there were more monitors along the route on 7th St. I would feel safe also letting them walk.
1253975	Train tracks and having to cross N 7th St to get to another sidewalk
1254196	N 7th St from Lyons to Elm is an accident waiting to happen. Poor to no sidewalks and a lot of kids. Many speeders here too.
1253187	We would like to see more sidewalks in North Lawrence! Walnut street, Elm, Oak. I know that they are not busy streets, but people drive fast and the streets are narrow.
1253199	(Wrote "none" under issues that affect their decision) - RG

1253794	I would really only let my child walk to school if we lived within sight of the school and I was able to see her the entire time. It is too dangerous otherwise, regardless of age.
1253186	I always walked to school and from growing up. It wasn't safe and it's easier and more loving for me to see him into school rather than making him go at it alone.
1253651	We have family that is always able to both walk to and from school, so regardless they will most likely always have an adult accompanying them.
1253797	The real problem at Woodlawn is the trains, but 7th has no good sidewalks either, which makes it a double whammy. - Don't confuse biking/walking - 2 different things (Woodlawn discourages biking)
1253981	We live in the country - it won't change
1253997	Next to #6 'leave' & 'walk': with friend who lives 1/2 block away
1254021	The biggest issues is pickup and drop off. Double lanes. And dogs going restroom in the school yard.
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1253174	My children do not walk/bike because of the train tracks, distance, and not trusting other people.
1253996	Next to #7 'to school': trains My children do not walk/bike because of the train tracks, distance and not trusting other people.
1253809	He would have to cross train tracks and cross a busy street to continue to walk on a sidewalk.
1253971	Exercise is very important, but we are about 5 miles from school so walking/biking is not realistic.
1253990	Next to #9: too far We are about 5 miles from school, so walking/biking is not a realistic option.
1253652	Too many kids come up missing. Just don't think it is safe right now.
1253657	Arrive/leaves school either walking with mom or riding in car
1253840	Some days he rides his bike weather permitting and others he gets a ride to school.