



WALK HOME PERMISSION FORM

Dear Parents/Guardians:

In order to ensure the safety of our students, Discovery Elementary requires that any student walking/riding their bike home after school, have a signed permission slip on file in the office. Any student that does not have this form on file, will not be allowed to walk unless accompanied by an adult. **VERBAL REQUESTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

I give my child permission to walk/ride their bike home from school every day between the dates of _____ and _____ unless I otherwise inform the office.

- ☐ My child has permission to walk/ride his/her bike home each day, at 3:42 pm.
- ☐ My child has permission to walk/ride his/her bike home on scheduled early release days. School is dismissed at 12:30 on days with a scheduled early release.
- ☐ My child has permission to walk/ride his/her bike home on unscheduled early release days.

I am aware that once my child leaves the school campus, there is **NO** adult supervision. I have made my child aware that, for their safety, they are not allowed to loiter on the school grounds or at any nearby businesses, and that they are to go directly to their after-school destination. I understand that any changes from this above permission will be communicated (**in writing**) to the front office.

Student _____ Teacher _____ ☐ Front Door ☐ Back Walking Path

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Parent/Guardian Name Signature Date

I have read the attached safety guidelines and agree to be responsible and safe.

Student Signature

Student Signature

Please detach and keep this page for your child!

When walking home from school, please remember the following safety guidelines:

- Go directly from school to your home. Students should only return to school in the event of an emergency
- Walk home using the sidewalk or walking path where there is one; cross only at designated crosswalks
- Obey all traffic signs and signals
- Check in with a parent or other designated adult/sibling when you get home

Walking to and from school is a big responsibility. You must follow the rules for both the school and the rules as a pedestrian. You may start walking home only after being dismissed by a staff member. You are always to use a sidewalk when one is available and cross the road at intersections. There are no crossing guards to assist you, so take special care to look both ways several times before crossing. Remember that the simple fact that you can see a vehicle does not guarantee that the driver can see you. Remember that any irresponsible behavior exhibited while walking home can result in the loss of walking privileges and/or disciplinary action from the school. Please be responsible and careful!