



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Building Wisdom and Faith Through Service to God

Walker/Bicycle Permission Form—2025-2026

St. Joseph School follows the safety directive of Fairfax County transportation department which permits students who live within a **radius of ONE mile** of the school to walk/bike to or from school. Upon receipt of this form, student(s) will be given a green walker tag to place on their backpacks. This helps teachers identify walkers/cyclists at dismissal. The following regulations must be strictly adhered to:

1. The student must take responsibility for arriving at school on time.
2. The student must use extreme caution entering and exiting the school parking lot.
3. Students must enter/exit **from Peachtree Street** only.
4. Cyclists must wear a bike helmet and possess a lock for the bicycle and use the bike rack by the flagpole.
5. At dismissal, students must follow the directive of the teacher on duty and go directly to their destination and not return to St. Joseph Catholic School property.
6. Walkers must walk on the sidewalks and cyclists must follow all bicycle and road safety rules.
7. The student must know both home and emergency phone numbers.
8. The student must represent the St. Joseph School Code of Behavior **at all times**.
9. St. Joseph Catholic School does not provide supervision for students once they are off school property.

Therefore, parents and students assume all risks and responsibilities associated with walking/biking home.

10. By law, electric-power assisted, motorized mobility devices are prohibited. VA Code 46.2-908.1

Please fill out the information below (please print) and return the form to the school office.

Student Name	Homeroom Teacher	Grade
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The above student(s) will be (please circle) walking/biking:

____ For the entire school year

____ Occasionally (list days or dates) _____

I have read the above information and have discussed these regulations and all safety rules with my child(ren).

Parent/Guardian Name (please print)	Phone
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Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
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