

DENA'INA ELEMENTARY

WALKERS

Students who walk to school are asked to have a school form signed by parent on file at the school. We do this for the following reasons:

1. We are concerned about the safety of the child.
2. We believe parents should be aware that their child is walking home.
3. There are extreme hazards for pedestrians on the road in our area.
4. It is practical for us to want this information both for teachers and the office so that we can facilitate entry and dismissal of pupils as well as contact the parent if anything unforeseen should happen.
5. We ask that parents assume the responsibility for their child's safety when walking to and from school, e.g. animals, vehicles, abduction hazards.

We ask that parents of children that walk to school do the following:

1. Review with your child pedestrian and traffic rules.
2. Go over the exact pathway or routing you want your child to follow. Let your child's teacher know the agreed upon route.
3. Help your child understand the "personal safety" guidelines you want them to follow should a stranger approach.
4. Alert your child to the dangers of moose. They are common to our area.
5. Instruct your child that they are to enter and leave the building as explained by their classroom teacher.
6. Encourage your child to follow our safety rules, which are written to keep pedestrians away from high-density traffic areas.



WALKER PERMISSION SLIP



I, _____, parent/guardian of _____
being fully aware of the hazardous streets in the area, give my permission for him/her to
walk to/from school. I have reviewed the above rules with my child and he/she is fully
aware of what is expected of him/her.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Student's Grade _____ Teacher _____