

# Hanover County Public Schools

## Walk to School Agreement and Consent Form

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_  
School Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

This agreement is valid during the \_\_\_\_\_ school year and must be renewed annually.

In order to ensure the safety of our students, Hanover County Public Schools require that any student walking home have a signed permission form on file in the office. Telephone calls are not acceptable. We recommend that all students be accompanied by an adult; however, we understand that some families wish to allow their third, fourth and/or fifth grade students to walk to school or walk home after school.

### General Safety Tips

- **Never** talk to strangers and **never** accept rides from strangers.
- Always look both ways before crossing the street—look left, look right, and look left again before proceeding.
- Do not wear headphones or talk on a cell phone while walking.
- Stay alert at all times and pay attention to traffic.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature Date

**Parents/guardians are responsible for determining the best and safest routes for their child when walking to and from school. It is highly recommended you walk the route with your child prior to allowing them to walk to school. If your child becomes ill during the school day, a parent or guardian will be contacted and required to pick up the child.**

I will assume all risks associated with my child walking to school, including injury to my child. By signing below, I acknowledge that both my child and I understand the information on this application and agree to the conditions for walking to and from school. My signature authorizes my child to leave school without adult supervision at the end of the school day in order to walk home.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Parent Name Parent Signature Date

### FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY

Date Received	Date Approved	Approval Signature	Registration #

Original on file with school

Copy to parent

Copy to teacher