

Kutz Elementary School
Walker/Bicycle/Scooter Privilege Permission
Grades 3-6
2019-2020 School Year



Dear Parent/Guardian:

Students in grades 3-6 who are considered “walkers” (meaning they live in a neighborhood that does not receive bus services to or from school) are permitted to walk or ride bicycles/scooters to and from school if they have parental consent and follow the school regulations listed below. **If your child is in K-2, students must be accompanied by an adult.** Please review these rules with your child and determine the safest route to and from school for your child. **The attached permission form should be returned to school as soon as possible.**

1. Students must wear approved helmets when they ride their bicycle and/or scooter (*Please be aware that the school cannot guarantee safekeeping of the bicycles and/or scooters. Bicycles with costly extras should not be ridden to school*).
2. Students must always walk bicycles/scooters on school property when other students are present. Remember, walkers always have the right of way.
3. Students should use blacktop path on other side of the bus lane for bicycles and scooters.
4. Bicycles and scooters must be individually locked to the bike racks by the playground.
5. Bicycles/scooters cannot be used during recess and before or after school on the school grounds for leisure.

A bicycle is a vehicle and should be ridden with the same care and concern as a motorist driving their automobile. As a parent, please be a critical judge of your child's ability to navigate a bicycle or scooter safely to and from your home. Please do not be afraid to deny your child permission if safety and well-being are questionable. Information about Bike Safety is available free of charge from the PENN DOT Transportation Department, (717) 772-8374.

Due to serious safety issues, children who live on the opposite side of the bypass, Route 611 or live in bus service neighborhoods are only permitted to walk, ride bicycles or scooters to and from school if accompanied by a parent/guardian.

Please remember: bike riding, as well as riding the school bus, is a **PRIVILEGE**. Failure to abide by the rules will result in the loss of this privilege.

Sincerely,


Christina Adelberger
Principal

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Please complete this form and return to school.

Student's Name: _____

Grade: _____ Teacher: _____

Address: _____

Route traveled by student (please list street names and intersections)

I have reviewed the agreement as well as all pertinent safety rules with my child and my child has permission to (check one of the following).

_____ walk to and from school during the 2019-2020 school year on the route outlined on this form.

_____ ride their bicycle/scooter to and from school during the 2019-2020 school year on the route outlined on this form.

_____ both walk and/or ride their bicycle/scooter to and from school during the 2019-2020 school year on the route outlined on this form.

I understand that the the school is not liable for theft or damage of the bicycle/scotter while parked on school premises.

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print)

Parent/Guardian Signature

Student Signature

Date